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HIGHLIGHTS

First session of the Eighty-eighth Congress convened.
Forty Senators took their oaths of office.
Senate elected President pro tempore and adopted procedural resolutions.
House approved enlargement of Rules Committee membership.

Senate

Chamber Action

Resolutions Submitted: Eight resolutions were submitted, as follows: S. Res. 1–8. **Pages 8–9**

Organizational Resolution Adopted: S. Res. 4, providing for election of Senator Hayden, of Arizona, as President pro tempore of the Senate, was submitted and adopted. Senator Dirksen proposed an amendment to elect Senator Aiken, of Vermont, to this office instead of Senator Hayden, which was rejected by voice vote. **Pages 8–9**

Swearing In of Senators: The following 33 Senators, elected in November 1962 for 6-year terms beginning January 3, 1963, were sworn in: Senators Aiken, Bayh, Bennett, Bible, Brewster, Carlson, Church, Clark, Cotton, Dirksen, Dominick, Ervin, Gruening, Hayden, Hickenlooper, Hill, Inouye, Javits, Johnston, Kuchel, Lausche, Long (Missouri), Long (Louisiana), Magnuson, McGovern, Monroney, Morse, Morton, Nelson, Ribicoff, Smathers, Talmadge, and Young (North Dakota).

In addition, the following seven Senators were sworn in for the balance of the unexpired terms to which they had been elected in November 1962, or appointed to fill vacancies occurring since that election: Senators Kennedy (elected for term expiring January 2, 1965); Mechem (appointed to vacancy caused by the death of Senator Chavez); Jordan (Idaho) (elected to term expiring January 2, 1967); McIntyre (elected to term expiring January 2, 1967); Pearson (elected to term expiring January 2, 1967); Simpson (elected to term expiring January 2, 1967); and Edmondson (appointed to vacancy caused by the death of Senator Kerr). **Pages 3–7**

Procedural Resolutions Adopted: Senate adopted the following procedural resolutions:

Notification of quorum: S. Res. 1, providing for the appointment of two Senators to advise the President that a quorum of the Senate is present and ready to receive any message. Senators Mansfield and Dirksen were appointed to this committee.

Legislative program: S. Res. 2, advising the House that a quorum of the Senate is present and ready to transact business;

Hour of meeting: S. Res. 3, setting the hour of 12 o'clock meridian as the hour of daily meeting of the Senate unless otherwise ordered;

President pro tempore: S. Res. 5, directing that the President be notified of the election of Senator Hayden as President pro tempore;

President pro tempore: S. Res. 6, directing that the House be notified of the election of Senator Hayden as President pro tempore; and

Condolence resolutions: S. Res. 7, expressing condolences on the death of Senator Chavez, and S. Res. 8, expressing condolences on the death of Senator Kerr. **Pages 8–9**

Recess: Recessed at 12:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 1,173 public bills, H.R. 1–1171, 1235, and 1341; 401 private bills, H.R. 1172–1234, 1236–1340, and 1342–1574; and 224 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1–112, H. Con. Res. 1–34, and H. Res. 1–78, were introduced. Pages 13–14, 23–24, 30–66

Committee Reports: The following 14 reports were filed by committees of the 87th Congress subsequent to its adjournment:

Report of the Committee on Science and Astronautics entitled "Project Advent—Military Communications Satellite Program" (H. Rept. 2558);

Annual Report of the Committee on Un-American Activities for the Year 1961 (H. Rept. 2559);

Report of the Committee on Science and Astronautics entitled "Communications Satellite Experiments" (H. Rept. 2560);

Report of the Committee on Science and Astronautics entitled "Space and the Weather" (H. Rept. 2561);

Report of the Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Small Business and Government Procurement" (H. Rept. 2562);

Report of the Committee on the District of Columbia entitled "Administration and Enforcement of Regulations Relating to Automobile Dealers in the District of Columbia, and Administration and Enforcement of Regulations Relating to the Housing Code of the District of Columbia, and the Status of Urban Renewal Redevelopment of Washington Channel Waterfront" (H. Rept. 2563);

Report of the Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Organization and Operation of the Small Business Administration" (H. Rept. 2564);

Report of the Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Small Business Problems in the Dairy Industry" (H. Rept. 2565);

Report of the Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Small Business Problems in the Poultry Industry" (H. Rept. 2566);

Report of the Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Small Business Problems Created by Petroleum Imports" (H. Rept. 2567);

Report of the Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Opportunities for Small Business in Foreign Trade" (H. Rept. 2568);

Final report of the Select Committee on Small Business (H. Rept. 2569);

Report of the Special Committee To Investigate Campaign Expenditures, 1962 (H. Rept. 2570); and

Report of the Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Advertising Opportunities for Small Businesses in Radio and Television" (H. Rept. 2571). Page 30

Election of Speaker: By a vote of 256 to 175, John W. McCormack, of Massachusetts, was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives over Charles A. Halleck, of Indiana. Representatives Burleson, Schenck, Sullivan, and Reid acted as tellers on this vote. The Speaker was escorted to the chair by Representatives Albert and Halleck.

Representative Vinson administered the oath of office to the Speaker, who subsequently administered the oath to 432 Members-elect en bloc. Pages 11–13

Party Leaders: It was announced that Representatives Albert and Halleck were selected as majority and minority leaders, respectively. Page 13

Election of House Officers: Adopted H. Res. 1, electing the following officers of the House of Representatives:

Ralph R. Roberts, Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Zeake W. Johnson, Jr., Sergeant at Arms.
William M. Miller, Doorkeeper.
H. H. Morris, Postmaster.
Rev. Bernard Braskamp, D.D., Chaplain. Page 13

Notify Senate: Adopted H. Res. 2, to inform the Senate that a quorum of the House had assembled and had elected John W. McCormack, a Representative from the State of Massachusetts, Speaker; and Ralph R. Roberts, Clerk of the House of Representatives. Page 13

Notify President: Adopted H. Res. 3, authorizing the Speaker to appoint a committee of three Members to join with a like committee of the Senate to notify the President that a quorum of each House has been assembled and that Congress is ready to receive any communications that he may be pleased to make. Subsequently the Speaker appointed Representatives Albert, Walter, and Halleck. Page 13

Inform President: Adopted H. Res. 4, authorizing the Clerk of the House to inform the President that the House of Representatives had elected John W. McCormack, a Representative from the State of Massachusetts, Speaker; and Ralph R. Roberts, Clerk of the House of Representatives. Pages 13–14

House Rules: By a record vote of 235 yeas to 196 nays the House adopted H. Res. 5, providing that the rules of the House of Representatives for the 88th Congress shall be the same as those of the 87th Congress with the exception of the Committee on Rules, whose membership shall be increased from 13 members to 15 members permanently.

Earlier, by a record vote of 249 yeas to 183 nays the House had ordered the previous question on the resolution. Pages 14–22

Minority Employees: Adopted H. Res. 6, announcing the selection and fixing the salaries of the following minority employees: Harry L. Brookshire, William P. Bonsell, Tom J. Kennamer, Beecher Hess, and Walter P. Kennedy. Page 23

Resignations: Heard the reading of letters of resignation from Congress by Representatives Smith, of the 3d Congressional District of Mississippi, and Cook, of the 11th Congressional District of Ohio. Page 23

Ways and Means Majority Elections: Adopted H. Res. 7, electing certain majority Members to membership on the Committee on Ways and Means. Page 23

Hour of Meeting: Adopted H. Res. 8, fixing the hour of meeting in the House of Representatives at 12 o'clock noon. Page 23

State of Union Message: Adopted H. Con. Res. 1, providing for a joint session of Congress on Monday, January 14, to hear the President deliver his state of the Union message. Also made in order the calling of a recess by the Speaker on Monday. Page 23

Appropriations Committee: Adopted H. Res. 9, authorizing the Committee on Appropriations and its subcommittees to sit during the sessions and recesses of the 88th Congress. Page 24

Majority Whip: It was announced that Representative Boggs had been selected as Democratic whip. Page 24

House Records: Adopted H. Res. 10, relative to compliance with subpenas duces tecum in connection with House records, documents, and papers. Page 24

Condolence Resolutions: Adopted H. Res. 11 and 12, providing for expressions of sympathy and condolences on the deaths of Senators Chavez, of New Mexico, and Kerr, of Oklahoma. Page 24

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:51 p.m.

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Thursday, January 10, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

President's Message—Trade: Copies of trade agreements negotiated with United Kingdom, signed on behalf of U.S. on December 10, 1962, and with Japan, signed on behalf of U.S. on December 18, 1962, were submitted by the President and ordered to be printed—referred to Committee on Finance. Page 136

Senator Sworn In: Senator Fulbright was sworn in for 6-year term beginning January 3, 1963. Page 136

State of Union Message: H. Con. Res. 1, providing for joint session of Congress on Monday, January 14, to hear the President deliver his state of the Union message, was adopted. Page 137

Recess: Recessed at 1:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 145 public bills, H.R. 1575–1719; 42 private bills, H.R. 1720–1761; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 113–119, H. Con. Res. 35–37, and H. Res. 79–85, were introduced. Pages 131–135

President's Message—Trade Agreements: Heard the reading of a message from the President of the United States transmitting copies of trade agreements negotiated with the United Kingdom and Japan. The message was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 34). Pages 96–97

House Office Building Commission: The Speaker announced the appointment of Representatives Vinson and Auchincloss to serve with him on the House Office Building Commission. Page 97

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, January 14, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses heard the President deliver his state of the Union message.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 189–294

Bills Introduced: 180 bills and 33 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1–180; S.J. Res. 1–15; S. Con. Res. 1–3; and S. Res. 9–23. **Pages 188–197**

Resolution Reported: S. Res. 17, authorizing Committee on Government Operations to make studies as to efficiency and economy of Government operations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 189**

President's Message on State of Union: Senate met jointly with House to hear the President deliver his message on the state of the Union. **Page 181**

Appointments to Boards: Senators Fulbright and Anderson were reappointed as members of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. **Page 181**

Cloture: Senator Anderson submitted S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. Request for immediate consideration of the resolution was objected to, and it was ordered to lie over for 1 day under the rule.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that bills and resolutions may be received for reference to appropriate committees without prejudice to the right of any Senator with respect to any attempted change of rule XXII. **Pages 181–188**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CUBA

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, January 11, committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from Secretary of State Dean Rusk on the world situation, with particular regard to Cuba.

Secretary Rusk will resume this briefing on Wednesday, January 16.

SUBCOMMITTEE FUNDS, AND SALE OF C–74's

Committee on Government Operations: On Friday, January 11, committee, in executive session, authorized the reporting of four original resolutions providing funds for its subcommittees as follows:

(1) *Permanent Investigating Subcommittee*—$490,000;

(2) *Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations*—$95,000;

(3) *Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations*—$110,000; and

(4) *Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations*—$115,000.

Committee also approved rules of procedure for its Permanent Investigating Subcommittee, which rules are identical to those of the subcommittee in the 87th Congress.

Committee held executive hearings on proposals to negotiate sale of seven C–74 Globemaster-type aircraft, receiving testimony from three proposed purchasers and representatives of the Departments of State, Defense, and Commerce, the GSA, FAA, and CAB.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 86 public bills, H.R. 1762–1847; 42 private bills, H.R. 1848–1889; and 31 resolutions, H.J. Res. 120–123, H. Con. Res. 38–43, and H. Res. 86–106, were introduced. **Pages 178–181**

President's Message on State of Union: Before a joint session of Congress President Kennedy delivered his state of the Union message. He was escorted to and from the House Chamber by a committee composed of Senators Mansfield, Humphrey, Smathers, Dirksen, Kuchel, and Hickenlooper, and Representatives Albert, Boggs, Walter, Halleck, and Byrnes of Wisconsin.

The message was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 1). Pages 171–174

Smithsonian Institution: The Speaker announced the appointment as members of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Cannon, Kirwan, and Bow. Page 174

Atomic Energy Committee: The Speaker announced the appointment as members of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Holifield, Price, Aspinall, Thomas, Morris, Hosmer, Bates, and Westland. Page 175

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for an informal briefing by Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

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Tuesday, January 15, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated change in rule on cloture.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 310–361

Bills Introduced: 69 bills and 21 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 181–249; S.J. Res. 16–17; and S. Res. 24–42. Pages 320–323

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 25, requesting $150,000 for continuing study by Committee on Foreign Relations of U.S. foreign policy and the administration thereof (S. Rept. 1)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 26, requesting $50,000 for Committee on Foreign Relations to extend for 1 year its study of activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals (S. Rept. 2)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 27, providing for study by Committee on Government Operations of matters pertaining to interagency coordination, economy, and efficiency (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Pages 319–320

Funeral Expenses: Senate adopted S. Res. 24, providing for payment of funeral expenses of the late Senator Kerr. Page 334

Cloture: Presiding officer laid down as coming over from a previous day S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. At the hour of 2 p.m. when morning business was concluded, S. Res. 9 was placed on the calendar.

Senator Humphrey offered an amendment (in the nature of a substitute for S. Res. 9) embracing the provisions of S. Res. 10. This was one of two notices submitted yesterday (one by Senator Humphrey and one by Senator Morse) of intention to move to amend rule XXII. Pages 361–384

Senate Standing Rules: Senator Clark today submitted 10 notices of intention to move to amend the Standing Rules of the Senate. Pages 335–336

Treaty Received: Convention between U.S. and the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg for avoidance of double taxation of income, prevention of fiscal evasion, and promotion of trade and investment, signed at Washington on December 18, 1962 (Ex. A, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), was received and referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 389

Nominations: Numerous nominations of civilians, Foreign Service personnel, judicial appointments, and Army officers were received. These included nominations in the rank of ambassadors, assistant Cabinet officers, and members of boards and commissions. Pages 390–396

Recess: Recessed at 5:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of J. Wesley Jones, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to Peru; an original resolution (S. Res. 25), requesting $150,000 for continuing its study of U.S. foreign policy and the administration thereof; and an original resolution (S. Res. 26), requesting $50,000 to extend for 1 year its study of activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals.

Also, by a majority vote, the committee, pursuant to Senate rule XXV, took action on the matter of establishing a minimum legal quorum for the purpose of taking sworn testimony by the full committee and subcommittees thereof.

Committee will meet again tomorrow, in executive session, to hear Secretary of State Dean Rusk resume his briefing of Friday, January 11.

FRAUDS AFFECTING THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: The committee began a 3-day series of hearings into frauds affecting the elderly, receiving testimony from Jerry J. Walsh, executive director, Dr. Ronald W. Lamont-Havers, national medical director, and Dr. Russell L. Cecil, consulting medical director, all of the Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation, who testified as to how health racketeers victimize elderly persons suffering from arthritis.

Testimony was also received from Dr. Gerald D. Dorman, member of the board of trustees, who was accompanied by Dr. Robert E. Shank, chairman, council on food and nutrition, Dr. Philip L. White, secretary, council on food and nutrition, Oliver Field, director, department of investigation, and Paul R. M. Donelan, legislative department, all of the American Medical Association, whose testimony included discussion of the field of health food frauds, cancer cures, arthritis cures, and the vitamin and aspirin industries.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when testimony will be received on fraudulent sale of land by mail.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, January 17, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE CHAIRMANSHIP

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met today and announced the election of Senator Pastore as chairman and Representative Holifield as vice chairman of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy for the 88th Congress.

Chairman Pastore indicated that he would discuss subcommittee assignments and programs with members of the committee during the forthcoming week.

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Wednesday, January 16, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated question of consideration of change in cloture rule.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, *pages 397–421.*

Bills Introduced: 45 bills and 7 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 250–294; S. Con. Res. 4–5; and S. Res. 43–47. Pages 400–401

Resolution Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 45, authorizing Committee on Government Operations to make a study of intergovernmental relationships between U.S. and the States and municipalities (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Page 399

Committee Authorization: Senate adopted S. Res. 43, extending to January 31, 1963, the provisions of S. Res. 244 of the 87th Congress, which provided for investigation by Committee on Banking and Currency of certain housing matters. Page 396

Cloture: Senate debated Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that S. Res. 10, providing that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of a constitutional majority of the Senate, shall maintain its status without change. This resolution when submitted by Senator Humphrey on January 14 had been ordered to lie over, under the rule.

Pages 421, 444–448

Funeral Expenses: S. Res. 44, providing for payment of funeral expenses of Senator Chavez, was adopted.

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Recess: Recessed at 5:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BRIEFING ON WORLD SITUATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of State Dean Rusk continue his briefing on the current world situation.

FRAUDS AFFECTING THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Committee continued its hearings on various frauds, quackery, and other schemes designed to exploit the older citizen, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Kenneth B. Willson, president, National Better Business Bureau, Inc.; J. Fred Talley, Arizona State real estate commissioner, and Elmer A. Borgschatz, Minneapolis real estate department, both of the National Association of License Law Officials; H. B. Montague, Chief Postal Inspector, and Abraham Levine, both of the Post Office Department; and Quinn Tamm, executive director, International Association of Chiefs of Police.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, January 17, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Thursday, January 17, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's budget message.

Senate debated question of consideration of change in cloture rule.

House approved majority committee assignments and fixed size of 16 standing committees.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 465–466

Bills Introduced: One bill and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 295; and S.J. Res. 18. Page 504

President's Message—Budget: Message from President transmitting proposed budget for fiscal year 1964 in the amount of $98.8 billion was received and referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 480

Cloture: Senate debated Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. Pages 467–474, 477–487, 496–501, 503–504

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Philip N. Brownstein, of Maryland, to be Federal Housing Commissioner; Frank Kowalski, of Connecticut, to be member of the Subversive Activities Control Board; and Jack Beaty, of New Mexico, to be member of the Renegotiation Board. **Page 504**

Recess: Recessed at 5:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FRAUDS AFFECTING THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Committee concluded its current series of hearings on various frauds, quackery, and other schemes designed to exploit the older citizen, after receiving testimony from Dr. Ethel Percy Andrus, president, who was accompanied by William Fitch, both of the American Association of Retired Persons; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; George P. Larrick, Commissioner, who was accompanied by W. B. Rankin, Assistant Commissioner, both of the Food and Drug Administration; William L. Cary, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission; and Thomas Parrott, Assistant Director in Charge of Claims Policy, and Alvin David, Assistant Director for Program Analysis, Social Security Administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 284 public bills, H.R. 1890–2173; 154 private bills, H.R. 2174–2327; and 78 resolutions, H.J. Res. 124–156, H. Con. Res. 44–47, and H. Res. 107–147 were introduced. **Pages 505–506, 563–574**

Committee Elections: Adopted H. Res. 107, electing Representatives Bass and Jennings to membership on the Committee on Ways and Means. **Page 505**

Committee Size: Adopted H. Res. 108, providing for fixing the size of certain standing committees of the House for the 88th Congress as follows: Committee on Agriculture at 35 members; Appropriations, 50; Armed Services, 37; Banking and Currency, 31; District of Columbia, 25; Education and Labor, 31; Foreign Affairs, 33; Government Operations, 31; House Administration, 25; Interior and Insular Affairs, 33; Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 33; Judiciary, 35; Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 31; Post Office and Civil Service, 25; Public Works, 34; and Science and Astronautics, at 31 members. **Page 505**

Majority Committee Assignments: Adopted H. Res. 109, electing certain majority Members to membership on 19 standing committees of the House for the 88th Congress. **Pages 505–506**

Minority Committee Assignments: Adopted H. Res. 110, electing certain minority Members to membership on the following standing committees: Appropriations, Ways and Means, House Administration, and Rules. **Page 506**

Minority Whip and Policy Chairman: The minority leader announced that Representative Arends would again serve as minority whip during the 88th Congress; and that Representative Byrnes of Wisconsin would serve as chairman of the Republican policy committee. **Page 506**

Ways and Means: The Committee on Ways and Means was authorized to sit during the sessions of the House for the duration of the 88th Congress. **Page 506**

Joint Economic Committee: The Speaker announced the appointment to membership on the Joint Economic Committee of the following Members: Representatives Patman, Bolling, Boggs, Reuss, Griffiths, Curtis of Missouri, Kilburn, and Widnall. **Page 506**

President's Message—Budget: Received a message from the President submitting proposed budget of the United States for fiscal year 1964 in the amount of $98.8 billion. The message was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 15). **Pages 507–514**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: On January 15, the Subcommittee on Cotton heard testimony from members of the Agriculture Advisory Committee regarding proposed cotton legislation. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Joint Committee Meetings

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Joint Economic Committee: Committee announced that it had recently held an executive organizational meeting at which it elected Senator Douglas and Representative Bolling as its chairman and vice chairman, respectively.

Committee also considered plans for hearings to be held on the President's Economic Report submitted to the Congress today.

Friday, January 18, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on D.C. budget.

Senate debated question of consideration of change in cloture rule.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 599–617

Bills Introduced: 51 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 296–346; S. Con. Res. 6–8; and S. Res. 48–49. Pages 600–601

President's Message—D.C. Budget: Message from President transmitting proposed budget for the District of Columbia for the fiscal year 1964 was received and referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 599

Cloture: Senate continued debate of Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. Pages 617–632

Nominations: Four civilian nominations were received, including those of John Prior Lewis, of Indiana, to be member of Council of Economic Advisers, and Daniel Patrick Moynihan, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor. Page 632

Recess: Recessed at 3:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 2328–2358; 21 private bills, H.R. 2359–2379; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 157–162, H. Con. Res. 48, and H. Res. 148–154, were introduced. Pages 584, 598–599

Member Sworn: Representative-elect Murray, of the Seventh Congressional District of Tennessee, presented himself at the bar of the House and took the oath of office. Page 584

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 148, electing A. Fernós-Isern, Resident Commissioner to the United States from Puerto Rico, as an additional member on the following standing committees: Agriculture, Armed Services, and Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 584

President's Message—D.C. Budget: Heard the reading of a message from the President submitting proposed budget of the District of Columbia for fiscal year 1964 and recommending several proposals for improving the budgetary procedure of the District of Columbia. The message was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 15). Pages 584–587

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

Committee on Armed Services: On Thursday, January 17, Subcommittee on Central Intelligence Agency met in executive session and received a briefing from John A. McCone, Director, accompanied by other CIA personnel.

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Monday, January 21, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated question of consideration of change in cloture rule.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 636–669

Bills Introduced: 58 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 347–404; and S. Res. 50. Pages 637–639

President's Message—Economic Report: President's message transmitting his Economic Report to the Congress was received and referred to Joint Economic Committee. Page 636

Cloture: Senate continued debate of Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. **Pages 669–676, 698–707**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Charles D. Withers, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Rwanda; William J. Hartigan, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Postmaster General; Paul J. Tierney, of Maryland, to be an Interstate Commerce Commissioner; 88 Army, and 2 Coast Guard. **Pages 707–708**

Recess: Recessed at 5:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 62 public bills, H.R. 2380–2441; 17 private bills, H.R. 2442–2458; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 163–170, H. Con. Res. 49, and H. Res. 155–162, were introduced. **Pages 732–734**

Committee To Sit: The Committee on Science and Astronautics was granted permission to sit during the sessions of the House on Tuesday and Wednesday. **Page 710**

President's Message—Economic Report: Received a message from the President transmitting his Economic Report. The report was referred to the Joint Economic Committee and ordered printed as a House Document (H. Doc. 28). **Pages 711–718**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Tuesday, January 22, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated question of consideration of change in cloture rule.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 748–770

Bills Introduced: 27 bills and 11 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 405–431; S.J. Res. 19–23; S. Con. Res. 9–11; and S. Res. 51–53. **Pages 754–756**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: 12th Annual Report of the Joint Committee on Defense Production (S. Rept. 3). **Pages 753–754**

Cloture: Senate continued debate of Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. **Pages 770, 776–796**

Nominations: Numerous Navy nominations were received. **Page 799**

Recess: Recessed at 5:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee heard the following nominees testify and answer questions in behalf of their own nomination: Christian A. Herter, of Massachusetts, to be Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with the rank of Ambassador; David E. Bell, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator of the Agency for International Development; and William T. Gossett, of Michigan, to be Deputy Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with the rank of Ambassador.

Committee will meet again tomorrow in open and executive sessions to consider these and other nominations.

Also, committee announced that it will open the hearings phase of its investigation into the activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals at 10 a.m. on February 4, with testimony from representatives of the executive branch. The first witnesses February 4 will be from the Department of State, to be followed on February 6 by representatives of the Department of Justice.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, January 24, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

SCIENCE–TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met for an informal discussion with the committee's panel on science and technology. The discussion will continue Wednesday, January 23.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC MATTERS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held an informal executive meeting with Chairman Glenn T. Seaborg, and other Atomic Energy Commissioners, to discuss various AEC matters.

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Wednesday, January 23, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated question of consideration of change in cloture rule.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 800–838

Bills Introduced: 36 bills and 7 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 432–467; S.J. Res. 24–29; and S. Res. 54. **Pages 800–801**

Cloture: Senate continued debate of Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting.

Senator Anderson announced that on Monday, January 28, he expects to raise the question of the constitutionality of the existing rules. **Pages 838–844, 852–865**

Recess: Recessed at 4:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Christian A. Herter, of Massachusetts, to be Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with the rank of Ambassador; David E. Bell, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator of the Agency for International Development; William T. Gossett, of Michigan, to be Deputy Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with the rank of Ambassador; Bill D. Moyers, of Texas, to be the Deputy Director of the Peace Corps; William B. Dale, of Maryland, to be U.S. Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund; John C. Bullitt, of New Jersey, to be U.S. Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development; and routine promotions and appointments in the Foreign Service.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony in behalf of their own nominations was received from Messrs. Moyers, Dale, and Bullitt. Also, testimony in behalf of Mr. Moyers was received from Senator Yarborough.

In an afternoon executive session committee met with Dr. Carlos Manuel Muniz, Argentine Foreign Minister.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, January 24, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

CONSERVATION—LIVESTOCK

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held an informal executive meeting to discuss its legislative program for 1963. Heard Department of Agriculture officials.

On January 22, Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains met in executive session regarding a legislative program for 1963.

SCIENCE—TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Concluded informal discussion with the committee's panel on science and technology.

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Thursday, January 24, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received tax reduction and reform message from the President.
Senate debated question of consideration of change in cloture rule.
House approved minority committee assignments.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 865–907

Bills Introduced: 62 bills and 15 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 468–529; S. Con. Res. 12; and S. Res. 55–68. **Pages 869–870**

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 12, authorizing $125,000 for additional staff and funds for Committee on Public Works (S. Rept. 4)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and resolutions from the Committee on the Judiciary requesting funds for 14 of its subcommittees, as follows, the details of which are listed hereunder with the actions of the Committee on the Judiciary today, and all of which were referred to Committee on Rules and Administration:

S. Res. 55–68 (all without written reports). **Pages 866–869**

Interparliamentary Union: Report of U.S. delegation to the 51st Conference of the Interparliamentary Union held in Brasilia, Brazil, October 24–November 1, 1962, was ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 5. **Page 898**

President's Message—Taxation: Message from President recommending certain revisions in the Federal tax system, was received and referred to Committee on Finance.

Cloture: Senate continued debate of Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. **Pages 909–915, 920–937**

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Carl T. Rowan, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to Finland; Roland R. Renne, of Montana, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; Homer Lester Benson, of Indiana, to be a member of the Board of Parole; and numerous Air Force nominations in the rank of general. **Pages 938–939**

Recess: Recessed at 5:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SUBCOMMITTEE BUDGETS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held its executive organizational meeting, and ordered favorably reported original resolutions requesting operating funds for its subcommittees, as follows:

Administrative Practice and Procedure	$120,000	(S. Res. 55)
Antitrust and Monopoly	535,000	(S. Res. 56)
Constitutional Amendments	51,500	(S. Res. 57)
Constitutional Rights	165,000	(S. Res. 58)

Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations	$7,500	(S. Res. 59)
Immigration and Naturalization	135,000	(S. Res. 60)
Improvements in Judicial Machinery	100,000	(S. Res. 61)
Internal Security	360,000	(S. Res. 62)
Juvenile Delinquency	188,000	(S. Res. 63)
National Penitentiaries	5,000	(S. Res. 64)
Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights	125,000	(S. Res. 65)
Refugees and Escapees	87,500	(S. Res. 66)
Revision and Codification	$30,000	(S. Res. 67)
Trading With the Enemy	60,000	(S. Res. 68)

COMMITTEE OPERATING FUNDS

Committee on Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported S. Res. 12, requesting $125,000 for committee operating expenses for the current session of the Congress.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 238 public bills, H.R. 2459–2696; 124 private bills, H.R. 2697–2820; and 64 resolutions, H.J. Res. 171–198, H. Con. Res. 50–58, and H. Res. 163–189, were introduced. Pages 971–972, 1038–1046

Official Objectors: Announcement was made by the majority leader of the selection of official objectors for the majority party, as follows:

Consent Calendar: Representatives Aspinall, Boland, and McFall; and

Private Calendar: Representatives Roberts, Boland, and Hemphill. Page 960

President's Message—Tax Reduction and Reform: Received and read a message from the President embodying his recommendations for tax reductions and reforms in Federal tax system. The message was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 43). Pages 962–971

Minority Committee Assignments: Adopted H. Res. 163, electing certain minority Members to membership on 19 standing committees of the House for the 88th Congress. Pages 971–972

Joint Committee on Defense Production: The Speaker announced the appointment, on the part of the House, of the following Members to membership on the Joint Committee on Defense Production: Representatives Patman, Rains, Multer, Widnall, and Fino. Page 972

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN AGRICULTURE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Foreign Agriculture met in executive session to discuss its legislative program for 1963.

Heard testimony from Raymond A. Ioanes, Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service.

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Friday, January 25, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated question of consideration of change in cloture rule.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1063–1081

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 530–540; and S. Res. 69. Page 1064

Cloture: Senate continued to debate Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. Pages 1081–1095, 1101–1102

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on the National Stockpile of the Committee on Armed Services was authorized to meet next week while Senate is in session. Page 1114

Recess: Recessed at 5:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CUBA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on American Republics Affairs met in executive session to hear Secretary of State Dean Rusk and CIA Director

John A. McCone testify and answer questions with regard to reports of increased Soviet activities in Cuba.

Subcommittee made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, January 28, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Monday, January 28, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Vice President submitted to Senate the question of terminating debate to proceed to vote on cloture rule change.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1172–1187

Bills Introduced: 23 bills and 8 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 541–563; S.J. Res. 30–31; S. Con. Res. 13; and S. Res. 70–74. **Pages 1173–1174**

Cloture: Senator Anderson moved that the pending question (Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting) be submitted to the Senate without further debate, which question was submitted by the Vice President to the Senate for decision. The Vice President held that the question is debatable. **Pages 1187–1192, 1198–1212, 1214–1233**

Nomination: Nomination of Edward M. Korry, of New York, to be Ambassador to Ethiopia was received. **Page 1236**

Recess: Recessed at 6:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

STOCKPILING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on the National Stockpile held hearings to receive testimony from Arthur Flemming, former Director of the Office of Defense Mobilization, which agency is now the Office of Emergency Planning. Mr. Flemming testified and answered questions with regard to the stockpiling program for rubber and the depot purchase program for chromite during the period 1953–57, when he served as Director of the ODM.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from this witness.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 101 public bills, H.R. 2821–2921; 55 private bills, H.R. 2922–2976; and 31 resolutions, H.J. Res. 199–208, H. Con. Res. 59–63, and H. Res. 190–205, were introduced. **Pages 1166–1170**

Member Sworn: Representative-elect Don H. Clausen of the First Congressional District of California presented himself at the bar of the House and the Speaker administered the oath of office. **Page 1120**

President's Messages: Received messages from the President transmitting the following reports:

Aeronautics and space activities.—Report for calendar year 1962 on the Nation's aeronautics and space activities. The report was referred to the Committee on

Science and Astronautics and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 52). Page 1125

Trade agreements.—Sixth annual **report on the trade agreements program.** The report was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 51). Page 1125

Civil defense.—First annual report of the Office of Civil Defense. The report was referred to the Committee on Armed Services and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 50). Page 1125

Mutual education and culture.—Eleventh annual report of the mutual educational **and cultural exchange** program. The report was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. Page 1125

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton held an informal executive meeting to consider proposed cotton legislation.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: **Met in executive session for a briefing on foreign affairs by Secretary of** State Dean Rusk.

INVESTIGATIVE RESOLUTION

Committee on Rules: **Met in executive session for con**sideration of various pending investigative resolutions. No final action was taken.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee began hearings on the President's Economic Report, **receiving testimony from** Walter W. Heller, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers, who was accompanied by **his associates.**

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Tuesday, January 29, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on education.

Senate debated question of terminating debate and to proceed to vote on cloture rule change.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1270–1297

Bills Introduced: 28 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 564–591; S.J. Res. 32–33; and S. Res. 75–77. Pages 1272–1274

President's Message—Education: President's message transmitting his legislative **recommendations** in the **field of education was received—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare.** Page 1337

Cloture: Senate continued to debate **the constitutional question raised by Senator Anderson** and submitted to the Senate by the Vice President as to its right to terminate debate at the beginning of a new Congress and to proceed to an immediate vote on a **rule change notwithstanding the rule** (respecting S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting). Pages 1297–1307, 1338–1350, 1367–1374

Nominations: One judicial and two Navy nominations were received. Page 1374

Recess: Recessed at 6:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

STOCKPILING

Committee on Armed Services: **The Subcommittee on the National Stockpile continued its hearings to receive testimony from Arthur Flemming, former Director of the Office of Defense Mobilization, which agency is now** the Office of Emergency Planning. The witness testified and answered questions with regard to stockpiling programs and policies for copper, nickel, cryolite, and aluminum during the period 1953–57, when he served as Director of the ODM.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Mr. Flemming.

MAIL-ORDER GUNS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee held hearings in connection with interstate shipment of firearms to juveniles, having as its witness Sgt. Kenneth T. Carpenter, of the Los Angeles Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from other representatives of the Los Angeles Police Department.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 42 public bills, H.R. 2977–3018; 24 private bills, H.R. 3019–3042; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 209–212, H. Con. Res. 64–67, and H. Res. 206–214, were introduced. **Pages 1246, 1265, 1269–1270**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 199, providing additional compensation for veterans having service-incurred disability of deafness of both ears (H. Rept. 1);

H.R. 212, regarding burial expenses of certain deceased veterans (H. Rept. 2);

H.R. 214, regarding statutory award for veterans suffering the loss or loss of use of both vocal cords with resulting complete aphonia (H. Rept. 3); and

H.R. 2439, authorizing military support to the sixth national jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America, Valley Forge State Park, Pa. (H. Rept. 4). **Page 1269**

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 206, electing Representative Don H. Clausen to membership on the Committee on Public Works. **Page 1246**

Disposition of Executive Papers: Adopted H. Res. 207, providing for the appointment by the Speaker of two members of the Committee on House Administration to membership on the Committee on Disposition of Executive Papers. Subsequently the appointment of Representatives Thompson of New Jersey and Kyl was announced by the Speaker. **Pages 1246, 1268**

Joint Committee Membership: Adopted H. Res. 208, electing the following Members to the following joint committees of Congress:

Joint Committee on Printing: Representatives Burleson, Hays, and Schenck.

Joint Committee on the Library: Representatives Burleson, Jones of Missouri, Thompson of New Jersey, Schenck, and Corbett. **Page 1246**

Late Reports: The Committee on Rules was granted permission to file sundry reports by midnight Wednesday. **Page 1246**

President's Message—Education: Received and read a message from the President transmitting a proposed comprehensive education bill entitled "National Education Improvement Act of 1963." The message was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 54). **Pages 1247–1252**

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 209, electing Representative Horton to membership on the Committee on the District of Columbia. **Page 1265**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session for an organizational meeting.

ORGANIZATION—BOY SCOUTS

Committee on Armed Services: Held an organizational meeting following which the committee reported H.R. 2439, to lend certain Army, Navy, and Air Force equipment and provide certain services to the Boy Scouts of America for use in the 1964 National Jamboree.

In executive session considered and approved certain classified reprograming items.

ORGANIZATION—FEDERAL RESERVE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session for organizational purposes.

Following the executive session held an open meeting with officials of the Federal Reserve System.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session to organize the committee.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session for organizational purposes.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session regarding organization of the committee, and to discuss pending business.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session for an organizational meeting.

Also reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 199, to provide additional compensation for veterans having the service-connected disability of deafness of both ears;

H.R. 212, regarding burial expenses of certain deceased veterans; and

H.R. 214, regarding statutory award for veterans suffering the loss or loss of use of both vocal cords with resulting complete aphonia.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the President's economic report, having as its witnesses Kermit Gordon, Director, Bureau of the Budget, and Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Wednesday, January 30, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate reached agreement to vote on tabling of rule change question.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1387–1407

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 592–602; and S. Res. 78. **Page 1388**

Resolution Reported: Report was made as follows:

S. Res. 53, authorizing Senator Eastland to appear and testify in a case pending in the District Court for the District of Columbia (no written report). **Page 1388**

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Commerce was discharged from further consideration of S. 451, to control number of wild birds and animals in Yellowstone National Park, and the bill was then rereferred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. **Page 1416**

Court Testimony: Senate adopted S. Res. 53, authorizing Senator Eastland to appear and testify in a case pending in the District Court for the District of Columbia. **Page 1388**

Cloture: By unanimous consent, Senate agreed that on Thursday, January 31, at the conclusion of routine morning business, consideration will be resumed on the question submitted to the Senate on January 28 by the Vice President, namely, "Does a majority of the Senate have the right, under the Constitution, to terminate debate at the beginning of a session and proceed to an immediate vote on a rule change notwithstanding the provision of the existing Senate rules?", and it was further agreed that after debate of 3 hours, equally divided, controlled by Senators Russell and Humphrey, respectively, the Senate will proceed to vote on the issue of tabling the above question with a proviso that there will be a live quorum before the debate limitation starts and after it ends. **Pages 1407–1416, 1418–1426**

Nominations: Senate received 12 civilian nominations, each to be an incorporator of the Communications Satellite Corporation. **Page 1426**

Recess: Recessed at 1:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

STOCKPILING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on the National Stockpile concluded its hearings after receiving further testimony from Arthur Flemming, former Director of the Office of Defense Mobilization, which agency is now the Office of Emergency Planning. Mr. Flemming testified and answered questions with regard to stockpiling programs and policies for lead and zinc during the period 1953–57, when he served as ODM Director.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MAIL-ORDER GUNS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee continued its hearings in connection with interstate shipment of firearms to juveniles, receiving testimony from Sgt. George Carr and Lt. Manuel Pena, both of the Los Angeles Police Department.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, January 31, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 2000, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1956, and H.R. 2495, to make cotton available to domestic users at prices more competitive with prices foreign users pay for cotton.

Heard testimony from Representatives Lennon, Jonas, Taylor, Kornegay, Hemphill, Whitener, Ashmore, Watson, and Findley; and various public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, January 31.

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session for military posture briefings and heard testimony from Robert S. McNamara, Secretary of Defense; Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff; Lt. Gen. Joseph F. Carroll, Director, Defense Intelligence Agency, and other representatives of the Department of Defense. Briefings continue Thursday, January 31.

SECRETARY OF TREASURY

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard a briefing by Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon, and other members of his staff. The committee will continue Thursday, January 31.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session for organizational purposes.

INVESTIGATIVE RESOLUTIONS

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 13, to create a select committee to conduct studies and investigations of the problems of small business, and H. Res. 17, 29, 36, 38, 55, 56, 73, 79, 81, 84, 103, 142, 143, 151, 153, and 179, resolutions to authorize various committees to conduct investigations and studies with respect to matters within their jurisdiction.

AMVETS-WORLD WAR I VETERANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Heard testimony from representatives of the AMVETS and World War I veterans regarding their legislative objectives for this session of Congress.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to organize the committee.

Also reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 370, regarding the duty treatment of certain bread;

H.R. 780, to provide a credit against the estate tax for Federal estate taxes paid on certain prior transfers in the case of decedents dying after December 31, 1947;

H.R. 1597, amended, to provide a deduction for payment of redeemable ground rents;

H.R. 1839, to provide for free importation of wild animals and wild birds which are intended for exhibition in the U.S.;

H.R. 2053, to provide for the temporary suspension of the duty on corkboard insulation and on cork stoppers;

H.R. 2085, to provide that the deduction for child care expenses shall be available to a wife who has been deserted by and cannot locate her husband on the same basis as a single woman;

H.R. 2513, amended, to require certain new packages of imported articles to be marked to indicate the country of their origin;

H.R. 2826, regarding the taxation of dispositions of property (other than stock) pursuant to orders enforcing the antitrust laws;

H.R. 2874, to provide that imported electron microscopes shall be subject to the regular customs duty regardless of the nature of the institution or organization importing them;

H.R. 2875, relating to withholding for the purposes of income tax imposed by certain cities, on the compensation of Federal employees; and

H. Con. Res. 57, to designate "bourbon whiskey" as a distinct product of the U.S.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the President's economic report, having as its witnesses Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz and Secretary of Commerce Luther H. Hodges, both of whom were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon.

Thursday, January 31, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's farm message.

Senate voted 53–42 to table question of its right to terminate debate at beginning of new Congress and to proceed to vote on rule change despite the rules.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1427–1488

Bills Introduced: 47 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 603–649; and S. Res. 79.

Pages 1429–1430

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: Written report on S. Res. 62 (reported without written report on January 24), authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to spend $360,000 for investigation of administration, operation, and enforcement of the Internal Security Act (S. Rept. 5).

Page 1429

President's Message—Agriculture: Message from President transmitting his legislative recommendations on farm program was received—referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Page 1456

U.N. Conference: Senator Young, of Ohio, was appointed to U.N. Cultural and Scientific Technological Conference to be held at Geneva February 4–20, 1963.

Page 1427

Cloture: By 53 yeas to 42 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate voted to table the question submitted to it on January 28 by the Vice President, namely, "Does a majority of the Senate have the right, under the Constitution, to terminate debate at the beginning of a session and proceed to an immediate vote on a rule change notwithstanding the provision of the existing Senate rules?"

The question now recurs on the Anderson motion of January 16 to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting.

Pages 1487–1493, 1496–1516

Authority To Report: Committee on Government Operations was granted a 60-day extension for filing report under S. Res. 359 of the 87th Congress (Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations).

Authority was granted for extension of time until February 8, 1963, for filing of report under S. Res. 238 of the 87th Congress (Special Committee on Aging).

Pages 1456, 1529

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections of the Committee on Rules and Administration was authorized to meet on Monday, February 4, while Senate is in session.

Page 1519

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Frank Kowalski, of Connecticut, to be member of the Subversive Activities Control Board; Kenneth A. Cox, of Washington, to be member of Federal Communications Commission; Ronald R. Renne, of Montana, to be member of Board of Directors, Commodity Credit Corporation; Richard H. Holton, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce; Sigurd S. Larmon, of New York, to be a member of the U.S. Advisory Commission on Information; two Navy in the rank of admiral; and six Air Force in the rank of general.

Page 1529

Recess: Recessed at 5:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Kenneth A. Cox, of Washington, to be a member of the Federal Communications Commission, with testimony from Senator Jackson; Paul J. Tierney, of Maryland, to be a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, with testimony from Senators McClellan and Beall; and on the nominations of Capt. James D. Craik and Capt. Louis M. Thayer, Jr., U.S. Coast Guard, for promotion to the permanent rank of rear admiral.

The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 174 public bills, H.R. 3043–3216; 60 private bills, H.R. 3217–3276; and 40 resolutions, H.J. Res. 213–225, H. Con. Res. 68–76, and H. Res. 215–232 were introduced. **Pages 1530, 1603–1608**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 13, creating a select committee to conduct studies and investigations of the problems of small business, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 5);

H. Res. 17, to authorize the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce to conduct investigations and studies with respect to matters within its jurisdiction, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 6);

H. Res. 29, authorizing the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries to conduct certain studies and investigations, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 7);

H. Res. 36, authorizing the Committee on the Judiciary to conduct studies and investigations relating to certain matters within its jurisdiction, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 8);

H. Res. 38, authorizing the Committee on Agriculture to conduct studies and investigations, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 9);

H. Res. 55, authorizing the Committee on Foreign Affairs to conduct a full and complete investigation of matters relating to the laws, regulations, directives, and policies including personnel pertaining to the Department of State and such other departments and agencies engaged primarily in the implementation of U.S. foreign policy and the oversea operations, personnel, and facilities of departments and agencies of the United States which participate in the development and execution of such policy, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 10);

H. Res. 56, authorizing the Committee on Public Works to conduct studies and investigations within the jurisdiction of such committee, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 11);

H. Res. 73, to authorize the Committee on Veterans' Affairs to conduct investigations and studies, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 12);

H. Res. 79, to authorize the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs to make investigations into any matter within its jurisdiction, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 13);

H. Res. 81, to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives with respect to the location of activities of the Committee on Government Operations, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 14);

H. Res. 84, authorizing the Committee on Armed Services to conduct a full and complete investigation and study of all matters relating to procurement by the Department of Defense, personnel of such Department, laws administered by such Department, use of funds by such Department, and scientific research in support of the armed services, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 15);

H. Res. 103, authorizing the Committee on Education and Labor to conduct certain studies and investigations coming within its jurisdiction, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 16);

H. Res. 142, to authorize the Committee on the District of Columbia to conduct an investigation and study of the organization, management, operation, and administration of departments and agencies of the government of the District of Columbia, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 17);

H. Res. 143, to authorize the Committee on Science and Astronautics to conduct studies and investigations and make inquiries with respect to aeronautical and other scientific research and development and outer space, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 18);

H. Res. 151, to authorize the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to conduct investigations and studies with respect to certain matters within its jurisdiction, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 19);

H. Res. 153, authorizing the Committee on Banking and Currency to conduct studies and investigations and make inquiries relating to housing, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 20); and

H. Res. 179, authorizing the Committee on Banking and Currency to conduct full and complete investigations and studies of all matters within its jurisdiction under the Rules of the House or the laws of the United States, filed on January 30 (H. Rept. 21). **Pages 1602–1603**

Committee Elections: Adopted H. Res. 215, electing Representatives Brown of California and Gilbert to membership on the Committees on Education and Labor and Merchant Marine and Fisheries, respectively. **Page 1530**

Official Minority Objectors: Announcement was made by the minority leader of the selection of official objectors for the minority party, as follows:

Consent Calendar: Representatives Ford, Pelly, and Conte; and

Private Calendar: Representatives Avery, Conte, and Anderson. **Pages 1538–1539**

President's Message—Agriculture: Received and read a message from the President transmitting proposed recommendations for improving the operations of the farm program. The message was referred to the

Committee on Agriculture and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 55). **Pages 1542–1544**

Commissions, Boards, and Committees: The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Members to membership on the following boards, commissions, and committees:

Board of Directors of Gallaudet College: Representatives Thornberry and Nelsen;

Board of Visitors to the U.S. Air Force Academy: Representatives Rogers of Colorado, Flynt, Chenoweth, and Laird;

Board of Visitors to the U.S. Coast Guard Academy: Representatives St. Onge, and Martin of California;

Board of Visitors to the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy: Representatives McIntire and Carey;

Board of Visitors to the U.S. Military Academy: Representatives Teague of Texas, Natcher, Ostertag, and Riehlman;

Battle of Lake Erie Sesquicentennial Celebration Commission: Representatives Ashley, Dulski, Latta, and Mosher;

Civil War Centennial Commission: Representatives Elliott, Daddario, Schwengel, and Goodling;

Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission: Representatives Keogh, Roosevelt, Schenck, and Halpern;

Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations: Representatives Fountain, Keogh, and Dwyer;

Migratory Bird Conservation Commission: Representatives Karsten and Gavin;

National Forest Reservation Commission: Representatives Colmer and Westland;

National Historical Publications Commission: Representative Miller of California;

National Memorial Stadium Commission: Representatives Teague of Texas, Lankford, and Belcher;

Board of Trustees of National Cultural Center: Representatives Wright, Thompson of New Jersey, and Reid;

National Monument Commission: Representatives Jones of Alabama, Ullman, Nygaard, and Schwengel;

New Jersey Tercentennial Celebration Commission: Representatives Rodino, Thompson of New Jersey, Auchincloss, and Widnall;

St. Augustine Quadricentennial Commission: Representatives Matthews and Cramer;

U.S. Constitution 175th Anniversary Commission: Representatives Byrne, Delaney, and Corbett;

U.S. Territorial Expansion Commission: Representatives Karsten, Hays, and Cunningham;

Woodrow Wilson Memorial Commission: Representatives Gallagher and Wallhauser;

Committee on the House Recording Studio: Representatives Gary, O'Brien of New York, and Bow;

Committee To Investigate Nonessential Federal Expenditures: Representatives Mills, King of California, Byrnes of Wisconsin, Cannon, Mahon, and Jensen;

Joint Committee on Immigration and Nationality Policy: Representatives Celler, Walter, Feighan, Poff, and Moore;

Joint Committee on Navajo-Hopi Indian Administration: Representatives Haley, Morris, and Berry;

Joint Congressional Committee on Construction of a Building for a Museum of History and Technology for the Smithsonian Institution: Representatives Jones of Alabama, Cannon, Kirwan, Bow, and Fulton;

Federal Records Council: Representatives Staggers and Goodell;

National Fisheries Center and Aquarium Advisory Board: Representatives Kirwan and Jensen;

Battle of New Orleans Sesquicentennial Celebration Commission: Representatives Hébert, Colmer, Boggs, Abernethy, Everett, Natcher, Siler, and Quillen;

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Representative Anderson (to fill an existing vacancy); and

North Carolina Tercentenary Celebration Commission: Representatives Whitener, Rains, Kornegay, and Jonas. **Pages 1545–1546**

Internal Revenue Taxation: Heard the reading of a communication that announced the appointment of the following House Members to membership on the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation: Representatives Mill, King of California, O'Brien of Illinois, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Baker. **Page 1546**

Committee Investigations: By voice votes the House adopted, with amendments, H. Res. 84, 179, 36, 56, 143, 151, 17, 142, 79, 103, 29, 55, 73, and 81, resolutions providing investigatory authority of matters coming within the jurisdiction of the following committees, respectively: Armed Services, Banking and Currency, Judiciary, Public Works, Science and Astronautics, Post Office and Civil Service, Interstate and Foreign Commerce, District of Columbia, Interior and Insular Affairs, Education and Labor, Merchant Marine and Fisheries, Foreign Affairs, Veterans' Affairs, and Government Operations. **Pages 1547–1560**

Housing Investigation: Adopted H. Res. 153, authorizing the Committee on Banking and Currency to conduct studies and investigations and make inquiries relating to housing. **Page 1548**

Small Business Committee: Adopted H. Res. 13, creating a select committee to conduct studies and investigations of the problems of small business, with an amendment. Subsequently the Speaker announced the appointment to membership on the committee of the following: Representatives Evins, Patman, Multer, Steed, Roosevelt, Kluczynski, Dingell, McCulloch, Moore, Avery, Smith of California, Robison, and Harvey of Michigan. Pages 1550, 1560

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 2000, to maintain and expand domestic consumption of upland cotton; and H.R. 2495, to make cotton available to domestic producers at prices more competitive with prices foreign users pay for cotton, and heard testimony from Charles S. Murphy, Under Secretary of Agriculture, Hickman Price, Jr., Assistant Secretary of Commerce, and various public witnesses.

A statement was presented for the record by Representative Henderson.

Hearings continue Friday, February 1.

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Continued in executive session on military posture briefings and heard testimony from Robert S. McNamara, Secretary of Defense, Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, and other Department of Defense witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, February 1.

HOUSING AND HOME FINANCE AGENCY

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard testimony from Robert C. Weaver, Administrator, and other officials of the Housing and Home Finance Agency.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session for organization of the committee.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session for organizational purposes.

SECRETARY OF INTERIOR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Heard a briefing by Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior, and other Department of the Interior officials.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session to organize the committee.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTING PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session with Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, and other officials of the Atomic Energy Commission, to discuss the current status of the U.S. nuclear weapons testing program.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to hear officials of the Department of Defense.

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Continuing its hearings on the President's economic report, committee had as its witness Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Monday, February 4, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated question of consideration of change in cloture rule.

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1674–1722

Bills Introduced: 36 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 650–685; and S.J. Res. 34. Pages 1676–1677

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 18, requesting $75,000 for Committee on Post Office and Civil Service for operating expenses for the current session of Congress (S. Rept. 6)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 20, requesting additional clerical assistance for the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service (S. Rept. 7)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Page 1676

President's Message: Message from President transmitting report of activities in connection with program for the establishment of a commercial communications satellite system—referred to Committee on Commerce. Page 1673

Senate Rules: Senator Prouty submitted two notices in writing of intention to move to amend the Standing Rules of the Senate. Pages 1697–1698

Cloture: Senate debated Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. Pages 1722–1747

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Howard G. Gamser, of New York, to be member of the National Mediation Board; Archibald S. Alexander, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and two armed services nominations. Page 1747

Recess: Recessed at 5:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PROCEDURAL MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee held an executive procedural meeting, and discussed a proposed agenda for the current session of the Congress.

Subcommittee made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

CANADA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Canadian Affairs met in executive session to explore recent charges and countercharges with regard to the supplying of nuclear arms to Canadian forces, receiving testimony from Dean Rusk, Secretary, and George C. McGhee, Under Secretary for Political Affairs, both of the Department of State.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee began the hearings phase of its investigation into activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, receiving testimony from George W. Ball, Under Secretary, and Abram Chayes, Legal Adviser, both of the Department of State.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

COMMITTEE OPERATING FUNDS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Friday, February 1, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment S. Res. 18, requesting $75,000 for committee operating expenses for the current session of Congress, and S. Res. 20, requesting additional clerical assistance for the committee.

ALABAMA SENATORIAL ELECTION

Committee on Rules and Administration: Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections met in executive session to consider a petition of contest by James D. Martin, defeated candidate in the last Alabama senatorial election, which petition sought to contest the election of Senator Hill, alleging irregularities and violations of State election laws.

Subcommittee, by a vote of 2 to 1, agreed to dismiss this claim on the grounds that the petition gave insufficient evidence to justify further inquiry.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 76 public bills, H.R. 3277–3352; 33 private bills, H.R. 3353–3385; and 21 resolutions, H.J. Res. 226–233, H. Con. Res. 77–79, and H. Res. 233–242, were introduced. Pages 1625, 1670–1673

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 370, relating to duty treatment of certain bread (H. Rept. 22);

H.R. 780, regarding credit agencies estate tax and tax on certain prior transfers (H. Rept. 23);

H.R. 1597, to provide a deduction for payment of redeemable ground rents, amended (H. Rept. 24);

H.R. 1839, free importation for wild birds and wild animals for exhibition in the U.S. (H. Rept. 25);

H.R. 2053, regarding temporary suspension of the duties on corkboard insulation and on cork stoppers, amended (H. Rept. 26);

H.R. 2085, to provide income tax deduction for child care expenses in case of woman deserted by husband (H. Rept. 27);

H.R. 2826, regarding taxation of dispositions of property made pursuant to orders enforcing antitrust laws (H. Rept. 28);

H.R. 2874, tariff treatment of certain electron microscopes (H. Rept. 29);

H.R. 2875, permitting withholding on the compensation of Federal employees for purposes of income taxes imposed by certain cities (H. Rept. 30); and

H. Con. Res. 57, designating "bourbon whiskey" as a distinctive product of the U.S. (H. Rept. 31). **Page 1670**

Committee Resignation: Received and read a letter from Representative Anderson, submitting his resignation from membership on the Committee on House Administration. **Page 1625**

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 233, electing Representative Devine to membership on the Committee on House Administration. **Page 1625**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Veterans' burial expenses: H.R. 212, to amend the U.S. Code so that burial allowances might be paid in cases where discharges were changed by competent authority after death of the veteran from dishonorable to conditions other than dishonorable;

Boy Scouts: H.R. 2439, to authorize the Secretary of Defense to lend certain Army, Navy, and Air Force equipment, and provide certain services to the Boy Scouts of America for use in their 1964 National Jamboree.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 199 and H.R. 214. **Pages 1631–1632**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton heard testimony from various public witnesses on H.R. 2000, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1956, to maintain and expand domestic consumption of upland cotton; and H.R. 2495, to make cotton available to domestic users at prices more competitive with those paid by foreign users. Hearings continue Tuesday, February 5.

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session to continue military posture briefings, and heard testimony from Robert S. McNamara, Secretary of Defense, Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, and other Department of Defense witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, February 5, in executive session.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Held a hearing on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunities in the Nation. Heard testimony from Anthony Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare. Hearings continue Tuesday, February 5.

IRRIGATION—RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation heard a briefing by Bureau of Reclamation officials on current irrigation and reclamation problems.

COAST GUARD

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 79, to require legislative authorization for certain appropriations for the Coast Guard.

Also held an executive hearing with testimony from Vice Adm. Edwin J. Roland, Commandant of the Coast Guard, James A. Reed, Assistant Secretary, and other Treasury officials.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTING PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee concluded its executive meetings for the purpose of discussing the current status of the U.S. nuclear weapons testing program, after receiving testimony from Dr. Gerald W. Johnson, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Atomic Energy), who was accompanied by his associates.

On Friday, February 1, Dr. Johnson began his testimony on this subject.

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: The committee continued its hearings on the President's Economic Report, having as its witnesses Gerhard Colm, National Planning Association, and Arthur F. Burns, National Bureau of Economic Research.

On Friday, February 1, committee had as its witnesses William McC. Martin, Jr., Chairman, and George W. Mitchell, member, both of the Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; and Elliot J. Swan, president, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through January 31, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	16	10	..
Time in session	78 hrs., 22′	20 hrs., 40′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	1,023	513	1,536
Appendix	..	..	464
Public bills enacted into law	..	..	..
Private bills enacted into law	..	..	..
Bills in conference	..	..	..
Bills through conference	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	13	40	..
Senate bills	..	..	..
House bills	..	..	..
Senate joint resolutions	..	..	..
House joint resolutions	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	..	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	1	..
Simple resolutions	12	39	51
Measures reported, total	*32	*21	..
Senate bills	..	..	..
House bills	..	4	..
Senate joint resolutions	..	..	..
House joint resolutions	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	..	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
Simple resolutions	31	17	48
Special reports	1	..	..
Conference reports	..	..	..
Reported measures not acted on	..	..	..
Measures introduced, total	774	3,809	4,583
Bills	649	3,276	3,925
Joint resolutions	33	225	258
Concurrent resolutions	13	76	89
Simple resolutions	79	232	311
Quorum calls	14	1	..
Yea-and-nay votes	1	3	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 5 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 21 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through January 31, 1963

Army nominations, totaling 2,097, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	None
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	2,097

Air Force nominations, totaling 128, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	None
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	128

Navy nominations, totaling 44, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	None
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	44

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 7, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	None
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	7

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 966, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	None
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	963

Summary

Total nominations received	3,242
Total withdrawn	3
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	3,239
Total confirmed	None

Tuesday, February 5, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on mental health.

Cloture motion filed in Senate for terminating debate on motion to take up change in cloture rule.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1757–1780

Bills Introduced: 22 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 686–707; and S.J. Res. 35–39.
Page 1759

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees.
Page 1757

President's Message—Mental Health: President transmitted message incorporating legislative recommendations respecting mental health—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare.
Page 1757

U.N. Conference: Vice President appointed Senator Pearson to U.N. Cultural and Scientific Technological Conference, to be held at Geneva February 4–20, 1963.
Page 1757

Cloture: After further debate of Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting, the majority leader filed cloture motion signed by 16 Senators to bring to a close debate on such Anderson motion. Under the rules, this cloture motion will be voted on 1 hour after Senate convenes on Thursday, February 7.

Senator Prouty today filed notice in writing of his intention to move to amend rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate respecting cloture.
Pages 1764–1765, 1780, 1784–1800, 1803–1813

Nominations: Senate received numerous Public Health Service and Navy nominations.
Pages 1813–1833

Recess: Recessed at 5:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held a conference on S. 20, to promote effective Federal and State programs relating to outdoor recreation. Participants in this session were John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; Edward C. Crafts and Lawrence Stevens, both of the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation; Laurance Rockefeller and Carl Gustafson, both of the Citizens Committee for the Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission Report; James S. Stevens, North Carolina Recreation Commission; Joseph Penfold, Izaak Walton League; Gordon Rule, Motor Boat Association; Richard H. Stroud, Sport Fishing Institute; Thomas L. Kimbal, National Wildlife Federation; Kenneth Pomeroy, American Forestry Association; Michael Nadel, Wilderness Society; Edward Thacker, American Recreation Society; Dr. Jackson M. Anderson, American Association for Health, Physical Education & Recreation, NEA; Milo Christiansen, D.C. Recreation Department; Harold Wilm, commissioner of conservation, Albany, N.Y.; Joseph Prendergast, National Recreation Association; and Spencer M. Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Members of the committee held an informal conference with USIA Director Edward R. Murrow and Under Secretary of State George W. Ball to discuss the matter of activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 61 public bills, H.R. 3386–3446; 22 private bills, H.R. 3447–3468; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 234 and 235, H. Con. Res. 80–82, and H. Res. 243–245, were introduced.
Pages 1855–1857

President's Message—Mental Health: Received and read a message from the President transmitting his recommendations for new approaches to national programs for mental health and mental retardation. The message was referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 58).
Pages 1837–1842

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton met in executive session and ordered reported to the full committee H.R. 2495 (amended), to make cotton available to domestic users at prices more competitive with those paid by foreign users.

H.R. 2000 (amended), to maintain and expand domestic consumption of uplands cotton, was substituted for the first section of H.R. 2495 (title above).

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session to continue military posture briefings, and heard testimony from Dr. Harold Brown, Director, Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense. Hearings continue Wednesday, February 6.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a briefing with Erle Cocke, Chairman, and Jesse P. Walcott, Director, accompanied by other officials of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; Harold F. Linder, President and Chairman, and other officials of the Export-Import Bank; and Joseph P. McMurray, Chairman, accompanied by members of the Board and other principal staff of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board. Hearings continue Wednesday, February 6.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational opportunities and educational quality in the Nation. Heard testimony from Francis P. Keppell, Commissioner-designate of the Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. Hearings continue Wednesday, February 6.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for a briefing with Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held an informal briefing on programs and plans for the 88th Congress with testimony from John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Department of the Interior, accompanied by his staff.

TERRITORIAL AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs held an informal briefing on territorial programs with testimony from John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Department of the Interior; and several territorial governors.

HEALTH TRAINING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Held a hearing on H.R. 12, to increase the opportunities for training of physicians, dentists, and professional public health personnel, and heard testimony from Anthony Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; Dr. Luther L. Terry, Surgeon General of the United States; and several representatives of the AFL-CIO. Hearings continue Wednesday, February 6.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session to organize the committee.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR WEAPONS TEST BAN

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session with Arthur Dean, former U.S. Representative to the Geneva Disarmament Conference, to discuss and review nuclear weapons test ban negotiations during the past 2 years.

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the President's Economic Report, having as its witnesses William F. Hellmuth, Oberlin College; Neil H. Jacoby, School of Business Administration, UCLA; and John Lintner, Harvard Business School.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Wednesday, February 6, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

By 5 yeas to 92 nays, Senate refused to table motion to take up change in cloture rule.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1868–1896

Bills Introduced: 25 bills and 7 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 708–732; S.J. Res. 40; and S. Res. 80–85. **Pages 1869–1871**

Resolution Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 82, authorizing certain witnesses to testify in the case of *U.S.* v. *Thomas H. Keegan,* Criminal Docket, Northern District of Illinois (no written report). **Page 1870**

Senate Committee Staffs: Senator Prouty submitted S. Res. 81, respecting distribution of staff members of Senate committees, which was ordered to lie over under the rule after objection was made to request for its immediate consideration. **Pages 1877–1880**

Cloture: Following debate, Senate rejected by 5 yeas to 92 nays, Mansfield motion to table Anderson motion to take up S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. Debate then continued on Anderson motion to take up S. Res. 9.

Senator Prouty submitted S. Res. 80, to amend rule XXII respecting cloture, which resolution was ordered to lie over under the rule after objection was made to request for its immediate consideration.

Pages 1878–1879, 1896, 1909–1912, 1918–1921, 1936–1937

Court Testimony: Senate adopted S. Res. 82, authorizing certain witnesses to testify in the case of *U.S.* v. *Thomas H. Keegan,* Criminal Docket, Northern District of Illinois. **Pages 1921–1922**

Authority To Report: Committee on Government Operations was authorized to file reports after January 31, 1963, on investigations by its Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations during 1962. **Page 1922**

Expunging of Remarks: After debate, Senate adopted on division vote Mansfield motion to refer to Committee on Rules and Administration S. Res. 85, to expunge from the Congressional Record certain remarks by Senator Williams (Delaware) concerning Representative Adam C. Powell, delivered on Tuesday, February 5, pages 1769–1771 of the Congressional Record. Motion to reconsider this vote was tabled. **Pages 1927–1936**

Recess: Recessed at 5:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. CRIME

Committees on the District of Columbia: Committees held a joint conference to discuss the matter of crime and law enforcement in the D.C. Participating in today's session were Walter N. Tobriner, Commissioner, and Robert V. Murray, Chief of Police, both of the D.C.; and Judge Alexander Holtzoff, U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia, all of whom were accompanied by their associates.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met informally with Deputy Attorney General Nicholas deB. Katzenbach to discuss further the matter of activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 7, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

Committee on Agriculture: Held an informal meeting with representatives of the National Council of Churches.

AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS—IMPORTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Foreign Agricultural Operations met in executive session to discuss exporting and importing of agricultural commodities. Testimony was given by G. Griffiths Johnson, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; officials of the Department of Commerce; and Agriculture Department representatives.

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session for a briefing by Cyrus R. Vance, Secretary of the Army; and Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chief of Staff of the Army, regarding U.S. military posture. The committee will continue on this subject, in executive session, Thursday, February 7.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard a briefing from John E. Horne, Administrator, Small Business Administration, accompanied by other SBA officials; and Robert M. Ball, Commissioner of Social Security, accompanied by the Director of the Bureau of Federal Credit Unions. Hearings continue Thursday, February 7.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Heard testimony from various public witnesses on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation. Hearings continue Thursday, February 7.

EUROPEAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for a briefing by Foy Kohler, Ambassador to Russia.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session to organize the committee.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs heard a briefing by John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Interior; and Philleo Nash, Commissioner of Indian Affairs. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

HEALTH TRAINING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 12, to increase the opportunities for training of physicians, dentists, and professional public health personnel. Testimony was given by various public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, February 7.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session for organizational purposes, and appointed its subcommittees.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury; and Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Commerce. Hearings continue Thursday, February 7.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded its hearings on the President's economic report, after receiving testimony from Lester Chandler, Princeton University; James S. Duesenberry, Harvard University; and Allan H. Meltzer, Carnegie Institute of Technology.

Committee recessed subject to call.

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Thursday, February 7, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

By 54 yeas to 42 nays, Senate refused to invoke cloture on motion to take up change in cloture rule (two-thirds vote necessary).

House received President's health improvement message.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2011–2058

Bills Introduced: 21 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 733–753; S. Con. Res. 14; and S. Res. 86. **Pages 2011–2012**

Cloture: By 54 yeas to 42 nays, Senate rejected motion to invoke cloture (close debate) on Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9, providing for amendment of rule XXII so as to provide that cloture may be invoked by affirmative vote of three-fifths of Senators present and voting. A two-thirds affirmative vote of those voting is necessary to invoke cloture.

Senate then adopted, by 64 yeas to 33 nays, Mansfield motion to adjourn until Monday, February 11. This, in effect, displaces the Anderson motion to resume consideration of S. Res. 9. **Page 2058**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 11:27 a.m.

Committee Meetings

CUBA MILITARY BUILDUP

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, to hear CIA Director John A. McCone testify and answer questions with regard to the military buildup in Cuba.

Subcommittee made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

GRAZING FEES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings in connection with proposed increases in grazing fees on public domain lands, receiving testimony from Senators Morse, Bennett, Church, Simpson, and Cannon; Representatives Burton, Lloyd, and Johnson of California; and John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 153 public bills, H.R. 3469–3621; 46 private bills, H.R. 3622–3667; and 21 resolutions, H.J. Res. 236–246, H. Con. Res. 83–88, and H. Res. 246–249, were introduced. **Pages 1944, 2006–2010**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: Report of the Special Study Mission to Europe of the Committee on Foreign Affairs entitled "The Soviet Economic Offensive in Western Europe" (H. Rept. 32). **Page 2006**

Election Contest: Received and read a communication from the Clerk of the House announcing that a contest for a seat in the House of Representatives had developed out of the election held on November 6, 1962, in the 6th Congressional District of Minnesota between Robert J. Odegard and Representative Alec G. Olson. The communication was referred to the Committee on House Administration and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 62). **Page 1940**

Madison Memorial: The Speaker announced the appointment as members of the James Madison Memorial Commission of the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Smith of Virginia, Slack, Poff, and Moore. **Page 1940**

President's Message—Health: Received and read a message from the President transmitting his recommendations for legislation designed to improve the health of the American people. The message was referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 60). **Pages 1940–1943**

Committee Elections: Adopted H. Res. 246, providing for electing the following minority Members to membership on the following committees:

Representatives Findley and Taft to Committee on Education and Labor;

Representative Martin of California to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs; and

Representative Keith to Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries. **Page 1944**

Board Appointments: The Speaker today announced the appointment to the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Naval Academy of Representatives Flood, Kee, Minshall, and Stinson. **Page 1963**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and adopted several perfecting amendments to H.R. 2495, the cotton bill. Also adopted by a voice vote of 19–16 a motion to strike the overplant provisions of the measure. By a voice vote accepted a motion to recommit the bill to the Subcommittee on Cotton without instructions.

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session regarding U.S. military posture, and heard testimony from Cyrus R. Vance, Secretary of the Army; Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chief of Staff of the Army; and Lt. Gen. Robert W. Colglazier, Deputy Chief of Staff, Logistics, Department of Defense. Hearings continue Friday, February 8, 1963.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard a briefing from Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; Charles S. Murphy, Under Secretary of Agriculture; members of the board of directors, Commodity Credit Corporation; and the Administrator, Farmers Home Administration.

Following the open hearing, held an executive session to discuss committee business.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Heard testimony from various public witnesses on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation. Hearings continue Friday, February 8.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands heard a briefing from John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Interior; Conrad L. Wirth, Director, National Park Service; and Edward C. Crafts, Director, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, all of the Department of the Interior.

HEALTH

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Concluded hearings on H.R. 12, to increase the opportunities for training of physicians, dentists, and professional public health personnel. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Heard a briefing on the legislative objectives of their organizations for 1963 from the national commander, Disabled American Veterans; and the president, Paralyzed Veterans of America.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury. Hearings continue Friday, February 8.

Monday, February 11, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate received President's health message.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2070–2092

Bills Introduced: 24 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 754–777; S.J. Res. 41; and S. Res. 87. **Pages 2073–2074**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: Report of Special Committee on Aging entitled "Developments in Aging—1959–63," with supplemental and minority views (S. Rept. 8). **Page 2073**

President's Message—Health: Senate received message from President transmitting his legislative recommendations for a national health program—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. **Page 2070**

Committee Appointments: Senator Curtis was appointed to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy and Senators Miller and Jordan (Idaho) were appointed to the Joint Economic Committee. **Page 2071**

Resolutions Referred: At 2 p.m., following conclusion of morning business and, by unanimous consent, the following resolutions which had previously been ordered to lie over under the rule were ordered to be placed on the calendar: S. Res. 10 and 80, to amend the cloture rule of the Senate; and S. Res. 81, respecting distribution of staff members of Senate committees. **Page 2096**

Appropriations: Committee on Appropriations was authorized to sit during remainder of this session while Senate is meeting, and was authorized during adjournments and recesses during balance of this session of the 88th Congress to report appropriation bills, with accompanying notices of motions to suspend the rules for purpose of proposing amendments. **Page 2088**

Counterpart Funds: Pursuant to Mutual Security Act of 1954, as amended, authority was granted for printing in the Congressional Record the report of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs concerning its use of counterpart funds during 1962. **Page 2088**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., of New York, to be Under Secretary of Commerce; and 7,697 in the Air Force. **Pages 2165–2193**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee heard the following nominees testify and answer questions in behalf of their own nominations: Archibald S. Alexander, of New Jersey, to be Assistant Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Carl T. Rowan, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to Finland; Edward M. Korry, of New York, to be Ambassador to Ethiopia; Charles D. Withers, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Rwanda; William J. Porter, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Algeria; Dr. James Watt, of the D.C., to be U.S. Representative on the Executive Board of the World Health Organization; and sundry Foreign Service appointees.

Committee took no action on these nominations, and recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, February 8, committee held hearings on the nomination of Manuel F. L. Guerrero, to be Governor of Guam, with testimony from John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Public Land Management; William P. Daniel and Richard Lowe, both of whom are former Governors of Guam; and John L. Taylor, House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, who read the statement of Representative Aspinall. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

GRAZING FEES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, February 8, Subcommittee on Public Lands concluded its hearings on proposed increases in grazing fees on public domain lands, after receiving testimony from Karl S. Landstrom, Director, Leon R. Nadeau, Division of Range Management, Russell D. Lloyd, Range Economist, and Russell Penny, Nevada State Director, all of the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Thomas L. Kimbal, National Wildlife Federation; Kenneth Pomeroy, American Forestry Association; Hugh Colton, Utah Cattlemen's Association; Milton Oman, Salt Lake City; Frederick Dressler, American Cattlemen's Association; George Johnson, Oregon Cattlemen's Association; C. R. Gutermuth, Wildlife Management Institute; Stewart M. Brandborg, the Wilderness Society; George Abbott, an attorney, Minden, Nev.; Joseph Donlin, Wyoming Wool Growers' Association; Robert T. Dennis, Izaak Walton League; Kenneth L. Mann, Nevada State Grazing Board; and Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 78 public bills, H.R. 3668–3745; 17 private bills, H.R. 3746–3762; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 247–250, H. Con. Res. 89–91, and H. Res. 250, were introduced. **Pages 2217–2219**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 2513, to require certain new packages of imported articles to be marked to indicate the country of origin, amended (H. Rept. 33). **Page 2217**

The House met briefly but transacted no legislative business.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, February 8, the committee met in executive session regarding U.S. military posture, and heard testimony from Robert W. Colglazier, Deputy Chief of Staff, Logistics, Department of Defense, and Lt. Gen. Dwight E. Beach, Chief of Research and Development, Department of the Army.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: On Friday, February 8, heard testimony from various public witnesses on H.R. 3000, to improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities met in executive session for an organizational meeting. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

IRRIGATION—MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation heard a briefing by James H. Carr, Under Secretary, accompanied by other Department of the Interior officials.

On Friday, February 8, Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held a briefing with various Department of the Interior officials.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: On Friday, February 8, heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor, on the President's tax recommendations.

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Thursday, February 14, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on youth.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2279–2329

Bills Introduced: 30 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 778–807; S.J. Res. 42–43; and S. Con. Res. 15–17. **Page 2283**

President's Message—Youth: Message was received from President transmitting recommendations for enactment of the Youth Employment Act and the National Service Corps legislation, renewal and expansion of existing Peace Corps authority, continuation for 3 years of Juvenile Delinquency Act of 1961, and other legislation affecting youth—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. **Page 2279**

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Government Operations was discharged from further consideration of S. 408, to restore certain lands to the Salish and Kootenai

Indian Tribes in Montana, and the bill was then rereferred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

Pages 2304–2305

Washington's Farewell Address: Senator Prouty was designated by Vice President to read Washington's Farewell Address to the Senate on Friday, February 22.

Page 2366

Nominations: Numerous Army nominations were received.

Page 2374

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 67 public bills, H.R. 3763–3829; 14 private bills, H.R. 3830–3843; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 251 and 252, H. Con. Res. 92–97, and H. Res. 251–257, were introduced.

Pages 2276–2279

Subcommittee To Sit: The General Subcommittee on Education of the Committee on Education and Labor was granted permission to sit next week during general debate of the sessions of the House.

Page 2227

President's Message—Youth of Nation: Received and read a message from the President transmitting his proposals for an action program that will increase and improve the opportunities of the youth of the Nation. The message was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 66).

Pages 2235–2239

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On February 12 and 13, the Subcommittee on National Parks held a hearing on H.R. 1762 and 1763, to promote the coordination and development of effective Federal and State programs relating to outdoor recreation.

Heard testimony from John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; departmental officials; and public witnesses on February 12. On February 13 heard various public witnesses.

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Monday, February 18, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2388–2443

Bills Introduced: 23 bills and 7 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 808–830; S.J. Res. 44–47; and S. Con. Res. 18–20.

Pages 2390–2391

Nominations: The following nominations were received: 2 civilian, including that of Sidney R. Yates, of Illinois, to be U.S. Representative on the Trusteeship Council of the U.N.; 2 judicial; 1 Coast Guard; 29 Coast and Geodetic Survey; 55 Public Health Service; and numerous Air Force.

Pages 2453–2455

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITES

Committee on Commerce: The Communications Subcommittee began hearings in connection with the operations of Telstar and Relay, the first communications satellites, having as its witnesses Rosel H. Hyde, Acting Chairman, and T. A. M. Craven, member, both of the Federal Communications Commission; James Dingman, executive vice president, American Telephone & Telegraph Co.; and Eugene F. O'Neill, director, satellite communications laboratories, Bell Telephone Laboratories.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CUBA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Organization Affairs met in executive session with Richard Gardner, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs, who testified and answered questions with regard to the U.N. Special Fund project for Cuban agricultural development.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 49 public bills, H.R. 3844–3892; 20 private bills, H.R. 3893–3912; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 253–255, H. Con. Res. 98, and H. Res. 258 and 259, were introduced. **Pages 2482–2483**

Washington's Farewell Address: Agreed to a special order providing for the reading of George Washington's Farewell Address on Thursday, February 21. Representative Burton was subsequently designated by the Speaker to read the Farewell Address to the House. **Page 2455**

Committee To Sit: The Committee on Banking and Currency was granted permission to sit today and February 19, 25, and 26, during general debate of the House sessions. **Page 2456**

Consent Calendar: The Consent Calendar, consisting of two bills, H.R. 199, to provide additional compensation for veterans having service-connected disability of deafness of both ears, and H.R. 214, to provide additional compensation for veterans suffering the loss or loss of use of both vocal cords with resulting complete aphonia, was called and both bills were passed over without prejudice. **Pages 2462–2463**

Agricultural Investigations: The House adopted, with amendments, H. Res. 38, authorizing the Committee on Agriculture to conduct certain studies and investigations. **Page 2463**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:43 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session regarding U.S. military posture. Heard testimony from Fred Korth, Secretary of Navy; Gen. David M. Shoup, Commandant, U.S. Marine Corps; and Adm. G. W. Anderson, Jr., Chief of Naval Operations. Hearings continue Tuesday, February 19, in executive session.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard a briefing by James J. Saxon, Comptroller of the Currency, accompanied by other members of his staff. Briefings continue Tuesday, February 19.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General and Special Subcommittees on Education held a joint meeting on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation. Heard testimony from a public witness. Hearings continue Tuesday, February 19.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior, and various public witnesses, on H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps. Hearings continue Tuesday, February 19.

COMMUNISM—LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs held a hearing on Communist subversion in Latin America. Testimony was given in open and executive session by Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary of State, following which testimony was given in executive session by Raymond L. Thurston, U.S. Ambassador to Haiti, and C. Allan Stewart, U.S. Ambassador to Venezuela.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Heard testimony from Kermit Gordon, Director, Bureau of the Budget, on the President's tax recommendations. Hearings continue Tuesday, February 19.

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Tuesday, February 19, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2494–2538

Bills Introduced: 30 bills and 6 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 831–860; and S. Res. 88–93. **Pages 2501–2502**

President's Communication—Urban Mass Transportation: Communication was received from President transmitting draft of a proposed bill to authorize Housing and Home Finance Administrator to provide additional funds for development of an urban mass transportation system—referred to Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 2495

Committee Authorizations: S. Res. 88, continuing through February 28, 1963, authorizations for employment of certain additional Senate committee personnel, was adopted. Pages 2541–2542

Committee Membership: Senator Mansfield submitted S. Res. 90, amending rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate relating to membership of standing committees, but when objection was made to its immediate consideration, the resolution was ordered to lie over for 1 day under the rule.

Senator Clark submitted three notices in writing of his intention to move to amend rule XXV relating to membership of standing committees (S. Res. 91–93). Pages 2518–2521, 2564

Appointment to Committee: Vice President appointed Senators Keating, Fong, and Mechem as members of the Special Committee on Aging. Page 2495

Authority To Report: By unanimous consent, Committee on the Judiciary was authorized until April 30, 1963, to file reports pursuant to the following resolutions of the 87th Congress: S. Res. 256–260, 262, 263, 265–268, and 293. Page 2521

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Bill D. Moyers, of Texas, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps; Christian A. Herter, of Massachusetts, and William T. Gossett, of Michigan, to be Special Representative, and Deputy Representative, respectively, for Trade Negotiations, each with the rank of ambassador; David Elliott Bell, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator of the Agency for International Development; John C. Bullitt, of New Jersey, to be Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development; William B. Dale, of Maryland, to be U.S. Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund; J. Wesley Jones, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to Peru; and numerous nominations in the Diplomatic and Foreign Service. Page 2583

Nominations: Numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations were received. Pages 2578–2583

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, heard Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara begin annual briefings in reference to programs of the Department of Defense and authorizations for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and vessels.

Mr. McNamara will continue testifying tomorrow.

COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITES

Committee on Commerce: The Communications Subcommittee continued its hearings in connection with the operations of Telstar and Relay, the first communications satellites, having as its witnesses Sidney Sternberg, chief engineer, Astro Electronics Division, RCA; and Dr. Hugh L. Dryden, Deputy Administrator, and Col. Robert E. Warren, Chief, Communications Satellite Project, both of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

WATER RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee began hearings on S. 2, proposed Water Resources Research Act of 1963, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Stewart L. Udall, Secretary, who was accompanied by E. D. Eaton, Resources Program Staff, both of the Department of the Interior; Sam Thompson, Interstate Conference on Water Problems of the Council of State Governments; Thomas Kimball, National Wildlife Federation; Spencer M. Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; Joseph Penfold, Izaak Walton League of the U.S.A.; William E. Welch, National Reclamation Association; and W. E. Morgan, president of Colorado State University, representing the National Association of State Universities & Land Grant Colleges, who was accompanied by Chancellor Daniel G. Aldrich, University of California; Dr. Wilson H. Elkins, president, University of Maryland; Dr. D. F. Peterson, Utah State University; Dr. W. S. Bailey, Auburn University, Alabama; and Dr. J. Wayne Reitz, president, University of Florida.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 21, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session regarding U.S. military posture. Heard testimony from

Fred Korth, Secretary of Navy; Gen. David M. Shoup, Commandant, U.S. Marine Corps; Adm. G. W. Anderson, Jr., Chief of Naval Operations; and Vice Adm. William A. Schoech, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air). Hearings continue Wednesday, February 20.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard a briefing by representatives of U.S. Savings & Loan League; National League of Insured Savings Associations; American Bankers Association; Independent Bankers Association; National Association of State Banks; American Municipal Association; and National Association of Mutual Savings Banks. Briefings continue Wednesday, February 20.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General and Special Subcommittees on Education continued joint hearings on H.R. 3000, to strengthen educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, February 20.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from Robert F. Kennedy, Attorney General of the U.S. and public witnesses, on H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps. Hearings continue Wednesday, February 20.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for a briefing with John A. McCone, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

FEDERAL REGISTER ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1048, to provide for the design of the flag of the U.S., and H.R. 2837, to amend further section 11 of the Federal Register Act.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from various public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, February 20.

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Wednesday, February 20, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate agreed to limit debate on resolution respecting membership of standing committees.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2584–2626

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 861–875; and S. Con. Res. 21.

Pages 2593–2594

Committee Membership: S. Res. 90, amending rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate relating to membership of standing committees, was laid down as coming over from a previous day. The resolution was modified and debated.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that on Monday, February 25, at 12 o'clock noon, further debate on the Clark amendments to be offered to S. Res. 90 (S. Res. 91–93) be limited to 2 hours, equally divided, following which Senate will vote on such amendments not later than 2 p.m. and immediately following such vote Senate will vote on disposition of S. Res. 90.

Pages 2626–2630, 2640, 2657–2658

Senate Meetings: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when Senate adjourns today it be to meet at noon Thursday, February 21, when Senate adjourns on Thursday it be to meet at noon Friday, February 22, and when it adjourns Friday, February 22, it be to meet at 11 a.m. Monday, February 25. **Page 2658**

Nominations: Three Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general were received. **Page 2671**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, heard further testimony from Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara in reference to programs of the Department of Defense and authorizations for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and vessels.

Secretary McNamara will continue with his testimony tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of John C. Bullitt, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; James W. Culliton, of Indiana, to be a member of the U.S. Tariff Commission; Jack Beaty, of New Mexico, to be a member of the Renegotiation Board; Gaspard d'Andelot Belin, of Massachusetts, to be General Counsel, Department of the Treasury; John M. Lynch, to be collector of customs, with headquarters at Boston; John G. Green, to be collector of customs, with headquarters at Duluth, Minn.-Superior, Wis.; and Frank A. Sedita, to be collector of customs, with headquarters at Buffalo.

WATER RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 2, proposed Water Resources Research Act of 1963, after receiving testimony from Dr. Jerome Weisner, Special Assistant to the President; Irving Fox, Resources for the Future; Dr. Arthur A. Maass, Chairman of the Faculty Committee, Harvard Water Program; Dr. Omer Kelley, Stanford Research Institute; Dr. Milton E. Muelder and Dr. L. L. Quill, both of Michigan State University; Mrs. Haskell Rosenblum, League of Women Voters of the U.S.; and J. W. Cornwall, National Association of Soil Conservation District Officials.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 21, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session regarding U.S. military posture. Heard testimony from Ralph K. James, Chief, Bureau of Ships, Department of Navy; Vice Adm. W. F. Raborn, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Development); and Vice Adm. Charles D. Griffin, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Fleet Operation and Readiness). Hearings continue Thursday, February 21.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard a briefing by representatives of Committee on Economic Development; National Association of Real Estate Boards; Credit Union National Association; National Retail Lumber Dealers Association; American Farm Bureau; National Federation of Independent Business, Inc.; National Small Business Men's Association; and Associated General Contractors of America.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General and Special Subcommittees on Education continued joint hearings on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, February 21.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education heard Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; and public witnesses on H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps. Hearings continue Thursday, February 21.

COMMUNISM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs heard testimony in open and executive session from Dr. Manuel de Varona, former President of the Senate of Cuba and Chairman of Foreign Relations of the Cuban Revolutionary Council, on the subject of Castro-Communist subversion in the Western Hemisphere. Hearings continue Thursday, February 21.

FAR EAST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing by Leonard Unger, U.S. Ambassador to Laos. Briefings continue Thursday, February 21.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds approved a prospectus for a program of small public building projects.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, February 21.

Joint Committee Meetings

STATE OF ATOMIC ENERGY INDUSTRY

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee began phase I of its hearings on the development, growth, and state of the atomic energy industry, an annual series of hearings held pursuant to section 202 of the Atomic Energy Act. Witnesses heard were Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, and Robert E. Wilson, Leland J. Haworth, John G. Palfrey, and James T. Ramey, all Commissioners, who were accompanied by staff officials, all of the Atomic Energy Commission; Dr. Jerome B. Wiesner, Special Assistant to the President for Science and Technology; and Joseph C. Swidler, Chairman, Federal Power Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NUCLEAR FORCE AGREEMENTS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met informally to receive a briefing with regard to planned negotiations for multilateral nuclear force agreements. Participants in this session were Livingston T. Merchant, Ambassador to Canada; John T. McNaughton, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Arms Control); and John G. Palfrey, an Atomic Energy Commissioner.

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Thursday, February 21, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on aid to senior citizens.
Senate debated resolution to establish size of committees.
House heard reading of Washington's Farewell Address.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2766–2797

Bills Introduced: 22 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 876–897; and S. Con. Res. 22.
Pages 2769–2770

President's Message—Elderly: President's message making legislative recommendations in various fields for the assistance of senior citizens was received and referred to Committee on Finance. **Pages 2766–2767**

St. Augustine, Fla.: It was announced that Vice President has appointed Senators Holland and Smathers as members of the St. Augustine Quadricentennial Celebration Commission. **Page 2839**

Committee Membership: Senate continued consideration of modified S. Res. 90, amending rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate relating to membership of standing committees. **Page 2797**

Confirmations: Seven civilian nominations were confirmed, including those of James W. Culliton, of Indiana, to be member of U.S. Tariff Commission; Gaspard d'Andelot Belin, of Massachusetts, and John C. Bullitt, of New Jersey, to be General Counsel and an Assistant Secretary, respectively, of the Treasury Department; and Jack Beaty, of New Mexico, to be a member of the Renegotiation Board. **Page 2855**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, heard further testimony from Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara in reference to programs of the Department of Defense and authorizations for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and vessels.

Secretary McNamara will continue with his testimony tomorrow.

"CITY OF NEW ORLEANS"

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries held hearings on S. 534, to admit the vessel *City of New Orleans* to American registry, receiving testimony from Donald W. Alexander, Federal Maritime Administrator; Leslie M. Rudy, of Seattle; Thomas H. Maguire, Western Railroad Traffic Association, Chicago; Thomas B. Crowley, Puget Sound-Alaska Van Lines, San Francisco; and Philip Spaulding, Philip F. Spaulding & Associates, Seattle.

Hearings continue Monday.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 162 public bills, H.R. 3913–4074; 72 private bills, H.R. 4075–4146; and 26 resolutions, H.J. Res. 256–276, H. Con. Res. 99 and 100, and H. Res. 260–262, were introduced. **Pages 2760–2766**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 79, to amend U.S. Code to require authorization for certain Coast Guard appropriations, amended (H. Rept. 34).

Washington's Farewell Address: Pursuant to a special order agreed to on February 18, George Washington's Farewell Address was read to the House by Representative Burton. **Pages 2671–2675**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of February 27. **Page 2676**

President's Message—Senior Citizens: Received and read a message from the President transmitting his proposals for legislation designed to aid our senior citizens. The message was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 72). **Pages 2693–2699**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session regarding U.S. military posture. Heard testimony from Eugene M. Zuckert, Secretary of the Air Force; and Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Chief of Staff, Air Force. Hearings continue Friday, February 22.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General and Special Subcommittees on Education continued joint hearings on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, on H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps. Hearings continue Friday, February 22.

FAR EAST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session and heard testimony from Phillips Talbot, Assistant Secretary of State for the Far East; and William P. Bundy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (International Security Affairs), on the present situation in the Far East.

COMMUNISM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs heard testimony from Donald M. Wilson, Deputy Director, U.S. Information Agency; and Arthur Hummel, Deputy Director, Voice of America, regarding Castro-Communist subversion in Latin America.

COMMITTEE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and approved funds for studies and investigations authorized to be conducted by the following committees of the House of Representatives for the 1st session of the 88th Congress:

Committee	Resolution	Amount requested	Period	Amount approved	Period
			Years		*Years*
Agriculture	H. Res. 239	$50,000	2	$25,000	1
Armed Services	H. Res. 146	150,000	2	75,000	1
Banking and Currency (Housing)	H. Res. 204	150,000	1	100,000	1
District of Columbia	H. Res. 202	50,000	2	25,000	1
Foreign Affairs	H. Res. 243	225,000	2	112,500	1
Government Operations	H. Res. 80	750,000	1	600,000	1
House Administration	H. Res. 165	10,000	2	5,000	1
Interior and Insular Affairs	H. Res. 135	60,000	2	30,000	1
Interstate and Foreign Commerce	H. Res. 226	491,900	2	245,950	1
Judiciary	H. Res. 35	113,000	1	113,000	1
	H. Res. 100	200,000	1	200,000	1
Merchant Marine and Fisheries	H. Res. 30	75,000	2	37,500	1
Post Office and Civil Service	H. Res. 152	125,000	2	62,500	1
Public Works	H. Res. 236	975,000	2	450,000	1
	H. Res. 237	150,000	2	125,000	1
Science and Astronautics	H. Res. 177	300,000	2	150,000	1
Small Business	H. Res. 222	614,000	2	275,000	1
Un-American Activities	H. Res. 249	360,000	1	360,000	1
Veterans' Affairs	H. Res. 74	150,000	2	60,000	1
Ways and Means	H. Res. 227	25,000	2	12,500	1

The committee approved the following amendment to be added to each resolution providing funds for studies and investigations: "No part of the funds authorized by this resolution shall be available for expenditure in connection with the investigation or study of any subject which is being investigated for the same purpose by any other committee of the House, and the chairman of the .... Committee shall furnish the Committee on House Administration information with respect to any investigation or study intended to be financed from such funds."

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

STATE OF ATOMIC ENERGY INDUSTRY

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings on the development, growth, and state of the atomic energy industry, having as its witnesses James K. Carr, Under Secretary of the Interior; Leland J. Haworth, an Atomic Energy Commissioner; and Dr. M. King Hubbert, National Academy of Sciences.

These hearings are scheduled to continue on March 26, when representatives of industry and other nongovernment witnesses will testify.

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Friday, February 22, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate heard reading of Washington's Farewell Address.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2873–2880

Bills Introduced: 4 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 898–901; S.J. Res. 48; and S. Res. 94.

Page 2873

Farewell Address: George Washington's Farewell Address was read to the Senate by Senator Prouty.

Pages 2869–2873

Committee Membership: S. Res. 90 (as modified), amending rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate relating to membership of standing committees, remains the Senate's unfinished business. Debate on this matter will be limited on Monday, February 25, pursuant to unanimous-consent agreement entered into on February 20 and Senate will vote on disposition of the resolution and amendments thereto at 2 p.m. on Monday.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, heard concluding testimony from Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara in reference to programs of the Department of Defense and authorizations for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and vessels.

Committee will continue Monday with a briefing from Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, on comparative forces structure.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, February 25, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session regarding U.S. military posture. Heard testimony from Eugene M. Zuckert, Secretary of the Air Force; Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Chief of Staff, Air Force; Lt. Gen. Thomas P. Gerrity, Deputy Chief of Staff (Systems and Logistics), and Lt. Gen. James Ferguson, Deputy Chief of Staff (Research and Development), both of the Department of Air Force.

MILITARY REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate held a hearing on pending military acquisition and disposal of real estate projects. Heard testimony from Representative Goodling; departmental witnesses; and a public witness.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General and Special Subcommittees on Education continued joint hearings on H.R. 3000, to improve and strengthen educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from Conrad L. Wirth, Director, National Park Service, and public witnesses, on H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps.

COMMERCE SUBCOMMITTEES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: The committee announced Tuesday, February 19, the appointment of the following subcommittees:

TRANSPORTATION AND AERONAUTICS

John Bell Williams, chairman, Samuel N. Friedel, Torbert H. Macdonald, John Jarman, Robert W. Hemphill, William L. Springer, Samuel L. Devine, Abner W. Sibal.

Jurisdiction: (*a*) Interstate and foreign transportation, (*b*) civil aeronautics (including Federal Aviation Agency and Civil Aeronautics Board), (*c*) inland waterways, (*d*) railroad labor and railroad retirement and unemployment.

PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY

Kenneth A. Roberts, chairman, George M. Rhodes, Leo W. O'Brien, Paul G. Rogers, Paul F. Schenck, Ancher Nelsen, Donald G. Brotzman.

Jurisdiction: (*a*) Public health and quarantine, (*b*) food and drugs, (*c*) hospital construction, (*d*) safety (including highway traffic and air safety, and air pollution).

COMMERCE AND FINANCE

Harley O. Staggers, chairman, John D. Dingell, James C. Healey, Gillis William Long, Lionel Van Deerlin, Milton W. Glenn, Hastings Keith, Willard S. Curtin.

Jurisdiction: (*a*) Interstate and foreign commerce generally (including Federal Trade Commission and labeling), (*b*) securities and exchanges, (*c*) newsprint, pulp and paper, and brand names, (*d*) Trading With the Enemy and War Claims Acts.

COMMUNICATIONS AND POWER

Walter Rogers, chairman, John E. Moss, Dan Rostenkowski, Horace R. Kornegay, W. R. Hull, Jr., J. Arthur Younger, Glenn Cunningham, James T. Broyhill.

Jurisdiction: (*a*) Interstate and foreign communications, (*b*) Weather Bureau, (*c*) petroleum and natural gas (including interstate oil compact), (*d*) interstate power.

SPECIAL SUBCOMMITTEE ON INVESTIGATIONS

Oren Harris, chairman, John E. Moss, Paul G. Rogers, W. R. Hull, Jr., Gillis William Long, John B. Bennett, William L. Springer, J. Arthur Younger, Donald G. Brotzman.

Chairman Harris and Mr. Bennett are members of each subcommittee.

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Monday, February 25, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate named its committee membership after adopting resolution on committee size.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2882–2896

Bills Introduced: 17 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 902–918; S.J. Res. 49; S. Con. Res. 23; and S. Res. 95–97. **Page 2886**

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 75, authorizing $175,000 for Committee on Armed Services to investigate matters relating to national defense, with amendments (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 79, authorizing $6,500 for Committee on Armed Services to make a study of strategic and critical stockpiling, with an amendment (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 2885**

Committee Membership: Senate adopted, as modified, S. Res. 90, amending rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate relating to membership of standing committees (motion to reconsider tabled). Prior to the adoption of S. Res. 90, it was further modified by eliminating certain words respecting jurisdiction of Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

Prior to adoption of S. Res. 90, two proposed Clark amendments were rejected as follows: (1) by 17 yeas to 68 nays, to increase from 17 to 21 the membership of Committee on Finance (S. Res. 93), and (2) by 12 yeas to 70 nays, to increase from 27 to 29 the membership of Committee on Appropriations (S. Res. 91).

Senate then adopted S. Res. 96, naming the chairmen and majority and minority members of the standing committees of the Senate; and S. Res. 97, naming the chairman and majority and minority members of the Select Committee on Small Business.

S. Res. 91–93, to amend rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate relating to membership of Committees on Appropriations, Foreign Relations, and Finance, respectively, which had been submitted by Senator Clark, were indefinitely postponed.

Pages 2896, 2913–2925

Memorial Services: Majority leader announced that Senate will meet on Friday, March 1, to hear speeches in tribute to the life, character, and achievements of the late Senators Dworshak, Kerr, and Chavez.

Pages 2913, 2925

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized to meet during the remainder of the week while Senate is in session. **Page 2883**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY BRIEFING, AND COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its annual executive briefings on Defense Establishment matters, having as its witness Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to hear Dr. Harold Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

The committee ordered favorably reported S. Res. 75, requesting $175,000 to investigate matters pertaining to the national defense; S. Res. 79, authorizing an additional $6,500 for its Subcommittee on the National Stockpile; and 22,184 nominations in the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

"CITY OF NEW ORLEANS"

Committee on Commerce: The Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 534, to admit the vessel *City of New Orleans* to American registry, receiving testimony from Edwin Murray Hood, Shipbuilders Council of America; John N. Thurman, Pacific American Steamship Association; Harvey J. Donahue, American Waterways Operators, Inc.; Andrew A. Pettis, Industrial Union of Marine & Shipbuilding Workers of America; Jeff Kibre, International Longshore Workers Union; Stanley O. Sher, Committee of American Tanker Owners; Richard W. Kurrus, American Tramp Ship Owners Association; Alvin Shapiro, American Merchant Marine Institute; and Hoyt Haddock, AFL–CIO Maritime Committee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OUTDOOR RECREATION, AND NOMINATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 20, to provide for the development of Federal and State outdoor recreation plans; and the nomination of Manuel Guerrero, to be Governor of Guam.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower began hearings on S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, receiving testimony from Senators Humphrey, Moss, Burdick, Pell, Neuberger, and Nelson; Edward Gallogly, Lieutenant Governor of Rhode Island; and John J. Skeffington, State representative, Rhode Island.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from Attorney General Kennedy, and Secretaries Wirtz, Udall, Freeman, and Celebrezze, who will sit as a panel.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 61 public bills, H.R. 4147–4207; 9 private bills, H.R. 4208–4216; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 277–283 and H. Res. 263, were introduced.

Pages 2982–2984

Supplemental Appropriations: Agreed to make in order on Wednesday the consideration of a resolution making supplemental appropriations to provide funds for the Commodity Credit Corporation. **Pages 2953–2954**

Committee To Sit: The Committee on Banking and Currency was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House sessions on February 25, 26, 27, 28, March 1, 4, and 5. **Pages 2963–2964**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AIRCRAFT, MISSILES, AND NAVAL VESSELS

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R.

2440 (amended), to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1964 for procurement, research, development, test, and evaluation of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for the Armed Forces.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard testimony from Harold F. Linder, President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of Washington; and a public witness, on legislation regarding the Export-Import Bank of Washington. Hearings continue Tuesday, February 26.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps, and heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; and public witnesses.

IRRIGATION—RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 2821, to authorize modification of the repayment contract with the Grand Valley Water Users' Association; and H.R. 131, to provide for the renewal of certain municipal, domestic, and industrial water supply contracts entered into under the Reclamation Project Act of 1939. Heard testimony from Representatives Aspinall (H.R. 2821) and Sisk (H.R. 131); also Department of Interior witnesses (both bills).

SPACE POSTURE

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Heard testimony from James E. Webb, Administrator, and Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, both of National Aeronautics and Space Administration, on U.S. space posture. Hearings continue Tuesday, February 26.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, February 26.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR TEST BAN NEGOTIATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to discuss the current status of the U.S.-U.K.-U.S.S.R. nuclear test ban negotiations, receiving testimony from Adrian S. Fisher, Deputy Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

D.C. CRIME

Committees on the District of Columbia: Senate and House Committees on the D.C. continued, in joint executive session, to discuss the matter of crime and law enforcement in the D.C. Witnesses heard were Brig. Gen. Frederick J. Clarke, Engineer Commissioner for the D.C.; Oliver Gasch, former U.S. District Attorney for the D.C.; and David Acheson, U.S. District Attorney for the D.C.

Committees will meet again on Monday, March 4, when officials of the D.C. school system will be heard.

Tuesday, February 26, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Thursday, February 28, at noon.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, having as its witness Secretary Stewart L. Udall, who made an overall statement on funds for his Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from officials of the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its annual executive briefings on Defense Establishment matters, having as its witness Dr. Harold Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to receive a briefing from Secretary of the Army Vance and Army Chief of Staff General Wheeler.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Philip N. Brownstein, to be Commissioner of the Federal Housing Administration; and with amendments S. Res. 14, authorizing the committee to make certain investigations and requesting $83,700 therefor, and S. Res. 15, authorizing study of public and private housing matters and requesting $106,000 therefor.

Committee will meet again on Thursday, February 28, to consider subcommittee assignments and other committee business, following which meeting the Housing Subcommittee will begin hearings on S. 6 and S. 917, urban mass transportation bills.

"CITY OF NEW ORLEANS"

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 534, to admit the vessel *City of New Orleans* to American registry, after receiving testimony from Thomas B. Crowley, Puget Sound-Alaska Van Lines, San Francisco; Leslie M. Rudy, of Seattle; E. N. Altman, American Maritime Association; and John Peters, Transportation and Communications Service, GSA.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations began executive hearings in connection with procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding to General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth of the contract on the TFX type aircraft. Today's witness was John Stack, vice president, Republic Aviation Corp., who was formerly an official of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Chairman McClellan stated that it was necessary to hold most of these hearings in executive session because of the highly classified nature of certain aspects of the subject under consideration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, receiving testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy; Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; Orville Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; Anthony Celebrezze, Secretary of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Dr. Spencer Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; Robert T. Dennis, Izaak Walton League; Dr. Howard Zahniser, Wilderness Society; Conrad L. Wirth, Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and Paul M. Tilden, National Parks Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Public Works: Committee met in executive session and approved membership to its subcommittees as follows:

Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors (all members)—Senators McNamara, chairman, Randolph, Young (Ohio), Muskie, Moss, Metcalf, Gruening, Jordan, Brewster, Inouye, Bayh, Nelson, Cooper, Fong, Boggs, Miller, and Pearson;

Subcommittee on Public Roads—Senators Randolph, chairman, McNamara, Muskie, Gruening, Moss, Metcalf, Jordan, Brewster, Nelson, Cooper, Fong, Miller, and Pearson;

Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds—Senators Young (Ohio), chairman, Jordan, Inouye, Bayh, Nelson, Fong, Boggs, and Miller; and

Ex officio members of Committee on Appropriations—Senators McNamara, Randolph, and Cooper.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 61 public bills, H.R. 4217-4277; 20 private bills, H.R. 4278-4297; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 284-291, and H. Con. Res. 101, were introduced.

Pages 3038-3040

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.J. Res. 284, making supplemental appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for fiscal year 1963 (H. Rept. 35).

Page 3038

Taxes and Tariffs: Pursuant to unanimous-consent requests the following bills from the Committee on Ways and Means were called up, considered, and passed by voice votes:

Estate tax credit: H.R. 780, regarding credit against estate tax for tax on certain prior transfers;

Ground rent tax: H.R. 1597, to provide a deduction for payment of redeemable ground rents, amended;

Child-care expenses: H.R. 2085, to provide income tax deduction for child-care expenses in case of woman deserted by husband, amended;

Container-marking requirements: H.R. 2513, to require certain new packages of imported articles to be marked to indicate the country of origin, amended;

Duty-free animal-bird imports: H.R. 1839, to provide for free importation for wild birds and wild animals for exhibition in the U.S.; and

Corkboard and cork stoppers: H.R. 2053, regarding temporary suspension of the duties on corkboard insulation, and cork stoppers, amended. Pages 2997–3002

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Poultry held an informal executive meeting.

MILITARY PAY BILL

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on H.R. 3006, to increase the rates of basic pay for members of the uniformed services. Heard testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower). Hearings continue Wednesday, February 27.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard testimony from public witnesses on legislation regarding the Export-Import Bank of Washington.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General and Special Subcommittees on Education continued joint hearings on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, February 27.

COMMUNISM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session on Castro-Communist subversion in Latin America. Heard testimony from Lt. Gen. Joseph F. Carroll, Director, Defense Intelligence Agency. Hearings continue Wednesday, February 27.

FAR EAST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Far East and the Pacific met in executive session and heard testimony from Phillips Talbot, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; and William S. Gaud, Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Near East and South Asia, Agency for International Development.

MILITARY OPERATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations met in executive session for organizational purposes.

CONTESTED ELECTION

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Elections held a hearing regarding the contested election in the Sixth District of Minnesota. Testimony was given by Robert J. Odegard, contestant, and Alec G. Olson, contestee.

Following the hearing the subcommittee met in executive session but made no decision. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TERRITORIAL-INSULAR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1988, to provide for the settlement of claims of certain residents of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; and H.R. 1989, to authorize the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds.

The subcommittee considered, but took no final action on, H.R. 2072, to assure payment of just compensation for the use and occupancy of certain lands in Kwajalein and Dalap Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

Heard testimony from departmental witnesses on all three measures.

HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on H.R. 12, to increase the opportunities for training of physicians, dentists, and professional public health personnel. No announcements were made. Adjourned until Thursday, February 28.

UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

Committee on Rules: Tabled H. Res. 69, 42, and 140, to transfer the responsibilities of the Committee on Un-American Activities to the Committee on the Judiciary. Witnesses heard on the resolutions were Representatives Roosevelt, Lindsay, Farbstein, Willis, Doyle, Tuck, Johansen, Dingell, and Pool.

SPACE POSTURE

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Heard testimony from Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Administrator, and Dr. Raymond L. Bisplinghoff, Director, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, both of National Aeronautics and Space Administration, on U.S. space posture. Hearings continue Wednesday, February 27.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned until Monday, March 4.

Wednesday, February 27, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed supplemental appropriation bill and approved annual expense funds for committees.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Thursday, February 28, at noon.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment S. 24, authorizing the exchange of lands at the Southern Regional Research Laboratory with the city of New Orleans; and the nomination of Ronald R. Renne, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, and a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Committee announced that it had scheduled hearings to begin on March 18 on pending dairy legislation.

Committee announced appointment of subcommittees as follows:

Soil Conservation and Forestry (Subcommittee No. 1)—Senators Eastland, chairman, Johnston, Proxmire, McCarthy, Neuberger, Aiken, Hickenlooper, and Boggs;

Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification (Subcommittee No. 2)—Senators Holland, chairman, Talmadge, McGovern, Edmondson, Cooper, Boggs, and Mechem;

Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices (Subcommittee No. 3)—Senators Johnston, chairman, Holland, Proxmire, Jordan, Talmadge, McCarthy, Aiken, Young (North Dakota), and Mechem;

Agricultural Research and General Legislation (Subcommittee No. 4)—Senators Jordan, chairman, Eastland, Neuberger, Edmondson, McGovern, Hickenlooper, Young (North Dakota), and Cooper; and

Special Watershed Subcommittee—Senators Talmadge, McCarthy, and Cooper.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for his department from Philleo Nash, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its annual executive military briefings, having as its witnesses Secretary of the Army Cyrus R. Vance, and Army Chief of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, who did not complete their briefing and will resume testifying tomorrow.

CUBAN MILITARY BUILDUP

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session with Maj. Gen. Robert A. Breitweiser, Air Force Intelligence, to discuss Cuban military buildup.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow to hear other witnesses in connection with this matter.

COMMUNICATIONS

Committee on Commerce: The Communications Subcommittee held hearings to receive a report from Newton N. Minow, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, on the current status of educational television, production of all channel television sets, and the matter of telephone rates. Mr. Minow was accompanied by other officials of the FCC.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings in connection with procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding to the General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth of the contract on the TFX-type aircraft. Testimony was received from Col. Charles Gayle, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, and Col. Roy Jaynes, headquarters, the Pentagon, both of whom are attached to the TFX program; and Robert E. Dunne, assistant counsel on the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, having as its witnesses Senator Morse; Mayor Robert Wagner, of New York City; Arthur J. Rodgers, New York City Youth Board; Milton J. Shapp, Philadelphia; Winslow Carlton, president, Mobilization for Youth, New York City, who was accompanied by Irene Sherlock, Ronald Brown, Lindsey Whitcomb, and Walter Torres; Randolph Wise, commissioner of welfare of Philadelphia; William Truitt, National Farmers Union; Eli E. Cohen, National Committee on Employment & Youth; Mildred Jeffries, director of community relations, UAW; John S. Mears, American Legion; Mrs. Helen Harris, United Neighborhood Houses of New York, Inc.; Fern M. Colburn, National Federation of Settlement & Neighborhood Centers; and Robert Burnette, National Congress of American Indians.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee held its executive organizational meeting and established procedures and adopted rules to govern its operations for this session of Congress. The second and fourth Wednesdays of each month were established as regular meeting days of the committee.

Committee ordered favorably reported an original resolution to provide for the preparation and printing of a new edition of the Senate Manual; and two original resolutions authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of deceased Senate employees.

Also, committee adopted senatorial long-distance telephone call and telegram regulations.

Committee announced that its next meeting will be on Wednesday, March 6, at which time it will discuss subcommittee assignments as well as resolutions requesting funds for various Senate committees and subcommittees for investigative purposes.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 51 public bills, H.R. 4298–4348; 29 private bills, H.R. 4349–4377; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 292, H. Con. Res. 102–103, and H. Res. 264–270, were introduced.
Pages 3051, 3098–3100

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce entitled "Investigation and Study of Aircraft Noise Problems" (H. Rept. 36);

H. Res. 146, to provide for the expenses of the investigation and study authorized by H. Res. 84, amended (H. Rept. 37);

H. Res. 100, to provide funds for the Committee on the Judiciary, amended (H. Rept. 38);

H. Res. 35, to provide funds for the Committee on the Judiciary under Public Law 86-272, amended (H. Rept. 39);

H. Res. 226, providing funds for the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, amended (H. Rept. 40);

H. Res. 239, to provide funds for the expense of studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 38, amended (H. Rept. 41);

H. Res. 204, to provide funds for the expenses of the studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 153, amended (H. Rept. 42);

H. Res. 202, to provide funds for the expenses of the studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 142, amended (H. Rept. 43);

H. Res. 243, providing for expenses of conducting studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 55, amended (H. Rept. 44);

H. Res. 80, providing for the expenses of conducting studies and investigations authorized by rule XI(8) incurred by the Committee on Government Operations, amended (H. Rept. 45);

H. Res. 165, providing funds for the Committee on House Administration, amended (H. Rept. 46);

H. Res. 135, to provide funds for the expenses of the investigations authorized by H. Res. 79, amended (H. Rept. 47);

H. Res. 30, to provide funds for the expenses of studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 29, amended (H. Rept. 48);

H. Res. 152, to provide funds for the investigations and studies authorized by H. Res. 151, amended (H. Rept. 49);

H. Res. 236, to provide funds for the expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 56, amended (H. Rept. 50);

H. Res. 237, to provide for the further expenses of the investigation and study authorized by H. Res. 56, amended (H. Rept. 51);

H. Res. 177, to provide funds for the expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 143, amended (H. Rept. 52);

H. Res. 222, to provide funds for the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 13, amended (H. Rept. 53);

H. Res. 249, to authorize the expenditure of certain funds for the expenses of the Committee on Un-American Activities, amended (H. Rept. 54);

H. Res. 74, to provide for the expenses of the investigation and study authorized by H. Res. 73, amended (H. Rept. 55); and

H. Res. 227, to provide funds for the necessary expenses of the Committee on Ways and Means, amended (H. Rept. 56). **Pages 3097–3098**

Supplemental Appropriations: By a record vote of 254 yeas to 154 nays the House passed without amendment H.J. Res. 284, making supplemental appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for fiscal year 1963. The resolution provides for an appropriation of $508,172,000 to restore the capital impairment of the Commodity Credit Corporation. **Pages 3045–3051**

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 264, electing Representative Bromwell to membership on the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. **Page 3051**

Coast Guard Appropriations: Pursuant to a unanimous-consent request the House considered and passed with amendments H.R. 79, to require authorization for certain appropriations for the Coast Guard. **Page 3051**

Committee Expenses: The following resolutions providing annual funds for expenses of House committees were considered and adopted after being amended to prevent overlapping of and duplication of studies or investigations:

Armed Services: H. Res. 146, to provide $75,000 for the expenses of the investigations and studies authorized by H. Res. 84, amended. **Pages 3051–3057**

Judiciary: H. Res. 100, to provide $200,000 for the expenses of the Committee on the Judiciary, amended. **Page 3057**

Judiciary: H. Res. 35, to provide $113,000 for the Committee on the Judiciary under Public Law 86–272, amended. **Page 3057**

Interstate and Foreign Commerce: H. Res. 226, to provide $245,950 for the expenses of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, amended. **Pages 3057–3058**

Agriculture: H. Res. 239, to provide $25,000 for expenses of studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 38, amended. **Page 3058**

Banking and Currency: H. Res. 204, to provide $100,000 for expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 153, amended. **Page 3058**

District of Columbia: H. Res. 202, to provide $25,000 for the expenses of the studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 142, amended. **Page 3058**

Foreign Affairs: H. Res. 243, to provide $112,500 for expenses of conducting studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 55, amended. **Pages 3058–3059**

Government Operations: H. Res. 80, providing $600,000 for the expenses of conducting studies and investigations authorized by rule XI(8) incurred by the Committee on Government Operations, amended. **Page 3059**

House Administration: H. Res. 165, providing $5,000 for expenses of the Committee on House Administration, amended. **Pages 3059–3060**

Interior and Insular Affairs: H. Res. 135, providing $30,000 for expenses of the investigations authorized by H. Res. 79, amended. **Page 3060**

Merchant Marine and Fisheries: H. Res. 30, providing $37,500 for expenses of the studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 29, amended. **Page 3060**

Post Office and Civil Service: H. Res. 152, providing $62,500 for expenses of the investigations and studies authorized by H. Res. 151, amended. **Page 3060**

Public Works: H. Res. 236 and 237, providing $450,000 and $125,000, respectively, for expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 56, amended. **Pages 3060–3062**

Science and Astronautics: H. Res. 177, to provide $150,000 for expenses of the studies, inquiries, and investigations authorized by H. Res. 143, amended. **Page 3062**

Small Business: H. Res. 222, to provide $275,000 for expenses of studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 13, amended. **Pages 3062–3063**

Un-American Activities: H. Res. 249, providing $360,000 for the expenses of the Committee on Un-American Activities, amended (passed by a record vote of 386 yeas to 20 nays). **Pages 3063–3078**

Veterans' Affairs: H. Res. 74, to provide $60,000 for the expenses of the investigation and study authorized by H. Res. 73, amended. **Page 3078**

Ways and Means: H. Res. 227, to provide $12,500 for necessary expenses of the Committee on Ways and Means, amended. **Page 3078**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAIN PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains heard testimony from Department of Agriculture witnesses on H.R. 3874, to extend the feed grain program. Hearings continue Thursday, February 28.

MILITARY PAY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on H.R. 3006, to increase the rates of basic pay for members of the uniformed services, and heard testimony from departmental witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, February 28.

CADMIUM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony from various departmental witnesses and a public witness on H.R. 307, to permit the immediate sale of cadmium now held in the national stockpile. Hearings continue Thursday, February 28.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 3881, to authorize the Housing and Home Finance Administrator to provide additional assistance for the development of comprehensive and coordinated mass transportation systems in metropolitan and other urban areas. Heard testimony from Robert C. Weaver, Administrator, Housing and Home Finance Agency; and Rex M. Whitton, Federal Highway Administrator, Bureau of Public Roads. Hearings continue Thursday, February 28.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General and Special Subcommittees on Education concluded joint hearings on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

COMMUNISM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs heard testimony on Castro-Communist subversion in Latin America from a former Guatemalan Ambassador to the United States. Hearings continue Thursday, February 28.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session, and heard testimony from G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs.

FOREIGN BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session to consider proposed foreign buildings legislation.

INTERIOR–INSULAR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 2821 (amended), to authorize modification of the repayment contract with the Grand Valley Water Users' Association;

H.R. 131 (amended), to provide for the renewal of certain municipal, domestic, and industrial water supply contracts entered into under the Reclamation Project Act of 1939;

H.R. 1989 (amended), to authorize the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds; and

H.R. 1988, to provide for the settlement of claims of certain residents of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1762 (amended), to promote the coordination and development of effective Federal and State programs relating to outdoor recreation.

AIRCRAFT NOISE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and approved, for filing in the House, a report on aircraft noise problems.

FPC

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations heard testimony from a Commissioner, Federal Power Commission, regarding workings of administrative process within the regulatory agencies. Hearings continue Thursday, February 28.

SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 authorized the introduction by the chairman of the subcommittee, Representative Walter, of a resolution authorizing the President to declare Sir Winston Churchill an honorary citizen of the United States and ordered the resolution favorably reported to the full committee.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and took action on several private claim bills.

DEVILS JUMP DAM AND RESERVOIR

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control heard testimony from Senators Cooper, Kefauver, and Gore; Representatives Baker, Siler, Natcher, and Evins; Brig. Gen. Jackson Graham, Director of Civil Works; and Col. Leonard J. Goodsell, Assistant Director of Civil Works, both of the Office of the Chief of Engineers, Corps of Engineers, on Devils Jump Dam and Reservoir, Big South Fork, Cumberland River project, Kentucky and Tennessee. Hearings continue Thursday, February 28.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules: Met in executive session. No announcements were made.

SPACE POSTURE

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Heard testimony from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, Office of Space Sciences; and Leonard Jaffe, Director, Communications Systems, Office of Applications, both of National Aeronautics and Space Administration, on U.S. space posture. Hearings continue Thursday, February 28.

DEBT CEILING

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the President's recommendations regarding the continuation of the public debt ceiling at $308 billion until June 30, 1963. Heard testimony from C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury; and Kermit Gordon, Director of the Budget. The committee will continue, on this subject, in executive session, Thursday, February 28.

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HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on civil rights.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3105–3179

Bills Introduced: 44 bills and 15 resolutions were introduced, as follows: *S. 919–962; S.J. Res. 50–56; S. Con. Res. 24–25;* and S. Res. 98–103. **Pages 3110–3113**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.J. Res. 284, making supplemental appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for fiscal year 1963 (S. Rept. 9);

S. Res. 14, authorizing the Committee on Banking and Currency to make certain investigations and requesting $83,700 therefor, with amendments (to make effective date begin March 1, 1963, to reduce amount requested from $86,000 to $83,700) (S. Rept. 10)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. 20, to provide for the development of Federal and State outdoor recreation plans, with amendments (S. Rept. 11);

S. Res. 15, authorizing Committee on Banking and Currency to make a study of public and private housing matters and requesting $106,000 therefor, with amendments (S. Rept. 12)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 99, to print as a Senate document a compilation of materials relating to the history of the Committee on Banking and Currency (no written report);

S. Res. 101, to provide for preparation and printing of the new edition of the Senate Rules and Manual (no written report); and

S. Res. 102–103, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of deceased Senate employees (no written report). **Pages 3109–3110**

Bills Referred: Eight House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 3106**

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was discharged from further consideration of S. 622, respecting collective bargaining and personnel practices on the Alaska Railroad, and the bill was then rereferred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **Page 3141**

President's Message—Civil Rights: President's message transmitting his recommendations in the field of civil rights was received—referred to Committee on the Judiciary. **Page 3105**

Committee Authorizations: S. Res. 98, to continue through March 31, 1963, the authority of the Committee on Government Operations to make certain investigations, was submitted and adopted. **Page 3140**

Committee Membership: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that Senator Stennis for the remainder of the 88th Congress will be placed next in order to the chairman on the majority side of the Committee on Armed Services. **Page 3107**

Authority To Report: Joint Economic Committee was granted additional time from March 1 to March 15 for filing report on the President's Economic Report. **Page 3141**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Manuel F. L. Guerrero, of Guam, to be Governor of Guam, and numerous nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps.

Pages 3228–3230

Nominations: The nominations of Leo D. Welch, of New York, and Joseph V. Charyk, of California, to be Incorporators of the Communications Satellite Corporation, were received. **Page 3228**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee ordered favorably reported with amendment S. Res. 74, authorizing committee to make studies of matters pertaining to aeronautical and space activities, and requesting $82,500 therefor.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported without amendment H.J. Res. 284, making supplemental appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for fiscal year 1963. Prior to this action, testimony on proposed funds contained in the bill was received from Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for his department from Conrad L. Wirth, Director of the National Park Service.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from officials of the Bureau of Land Management.

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, heard Secretary of the Army Cyrus R. Vance and Army Chief of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler continue their briefing on Army programs for fiscal year 1964.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to hear other Army witnesses.

CUBAN MILITARY BUILDUP

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, to receive testimony on the Cuban military buildup, having as its witness today Adm. V. L. Lowrance, Director of Naval Intelligence.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee met in executive session, following which it announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Subcommittee on Housing—Senators Sparkman, chairman, Douglas, Clark, Williams (New Jersey), Muskie, Long (Missouri), Tower, Bennett, and Javits;

Subcommittee on Financial Institutions—Senators Robertson, chairman, Sparkman, Douglas, Proxmire, Muskie, Long (Missouri), Bennett, Javits, and Simpson;

Subcommittee on International Finance—Senators Clark, chairman, Sparkman, Proxmire, Williams (New Jersey), Neuberger, McIntyre, Dominick, Tower, and Javits;

Subcommittee on Production and Stabilization—Senators Douglas, chairman, Robertson, Clark, Proxmire, Williams (New Jersey), Muskie, Bennett, Simpson, and Dominick;

Subcommittee on Securities—Senators Williams (New Jersey), chairman, Robertson, Muskie, Long (Missouri), Neuberger, McIntyre, Javits, Bennett, and Tower; and

Subcommittee on Small Business—Senators Proxmire, chairman, Robertson, Sparkman, Douglas, Neuberger, McIntyre, Simpson, Tower, and Dominick.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: The Housing Subcommittee began hearings on pending legislation to establish long-range Federal programs to assist State and local bodies to establish mass transportation facilities. Testimony was received from Robert C. Weaver, Administrator, HHFA; Rex M. Whitton, Federal Highway Administrator, Bureau of Public Roads; Adrien J. Falk, president, and B. R. Stokes, both of the San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District; Mayor John F. Collins, of Boston, vice president, American Municipal Association, who was accompanied by Joseph Maloney and John J. Coffey, both of the Mass Transportation Commission; Richard Sullivan, Commuter Transportation Committee, Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce; and George Anderson, South Shore Chamber of Commerce, Quincy, Mass.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee met in executive session to hear Internal Revenue Commissioner Mortimer Caplin testify and answer questions with regard to recently issued regulations on travel and entertainment expense deductions.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings in connection with procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding to the General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth of the contract on the TFX-type aircraft. Further testimony was received from Col. Charles Gayle, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, and Col. Roy Jaynes, headquarters, the Pentagon, both of whom are attached to the TFX program; and Robert E. Dunne, assistant counsel on the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 5.

WILDERNESS PRESERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee began hearings on S. 4, to establish the National Wilderness Preservation System, having as its witnesses Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall; Edward P. Cliff, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Howard Zahniser, the Wilderness Society; W. D. Hagenstein, Industrial Forestry Association, Portland, Oreg.; Ed Munro, National Association of Counties, Seattle; Ernie Day, past president, Idaho Wildlife Federation; Spencer M. Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; William B. Wright, American National Cattlemen's Association; W. C. Hammerle, American Pulpwood Association; H. R. Glascock, Jr., Western Forestry & Conservation Association; John R. Meyering, Society of American Foresters; Arthur M. Roberts, State Chamber of Commerce, McCall, Idaho; V. P. Cline, who was accompanied by Robert Laughlin, Oscar Swan, and Scott Pfohl, all of the Rocky Mountain Oil & Gas Association; and Joseph Penfold, Citizens Committee for the ORRRC Report, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, having as its witnesses Clinton Fair, legislative representative, AFL–CIO; Ralph Wible, State forester, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; Rabbi Morris Lieberman, Baltimore; Msgr. Raymond Gallagher, National Conference of Catholic Charities; Rev. Arthur E. Walmsley, National Council of the Episcopal Church; Dr. Paurie Doctor, Dr. Peter Wisher, Mrs. Mildred Loubert, and Harold Domick, all of Gallaudet College; Austin Murphy, National Association of Manufacturers; Representative Hechler; Richard Farrow, Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare; Charles Foster, Department of Natural Resources of Massachusetts; and William L. Batt, Administrator, Area Redevelopment Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 39 public bills, H.R. 4378–4416; 6 private bills, H.R. 4417–4422; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 293–295, H. Con. Res. 104, and H. Res. 271–273, were introduced. Pages 3273–3274

Joint Economic Committee: The time for filing of a report on the President's Economic Message by the Joint Economic Committee was extended from March 1 to March 15. Page 3231

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of March 6. Page 3233

President's Message—Civil Rights: Received and read a message from the President reviewing civil rights progress and transmitting his proposals for further progress. The message was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 75). Pages 3245–3249

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAIN PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains continued hearings on H.R. 3874, to extend the feed grain program. Heard testimony from various public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY PAY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on H.R. 3006, to increase the rates of basic pay for members of the uniformed services, and heard testimony from Representative Baldwin, and various public witnesses.

CADMIUM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses on H.R. 307, to permit the immediate sale of cadmium now held in the national stockpile.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 3881, to provide additional assistance for the development of comprehensive and coordinated mass transportation systems in metropolitan and other urban areas. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, March 1.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, to extend the period within which the Export-Import Bank of Washington may exercise its functions.

COMMUNISM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs heard testimony from Ambassador deLesseps S. Morrison, U.S. Representative to the Organization of American States, on Castro-Communist subversion in Latin America.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1892 (amended), to repeal the Pittman Act; H.R. 277, regarding the transfer of certain public lands to the Colorado River Commission of Nevada; H.R. 2291, a private bill; H.R. 2294, a private bill; H.R. 1087, to release the right, title, or interest, if any, of the U.S. in certain streets in the village of Heyburn, Idaho, and to repeal the reverter in patent for public reserve; and H.R. 1544 (amended), a private bill.

Passed over without prejudice H.R. 2293, a private bill.

HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on H.R. 12, to increase the opportunities for training of physicians, dentists, and professional public health personnel. No announcements were made. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

REGULATORY AGENCIES—FPC

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on workings of administrative process within the regulatory agencies. Heard testimony from a Commissioner, Federal Power Commission.

PANAMA CANAL

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal met in executive session and heard testimony from Stephen Ailes, Under Secretary of the Army, regarding the Panama Canal. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

DEVILS JUMP DAM AND RESERVOIR

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control heard testimony from Col. Leonard J. Goodsell, Assistant Director of Civil Works, Office of Chief of Engineers, Corps of Engineers, and public witnesses, on Devils Jump Dam and Reservoir, Big South Fork, Cumberland River project, Kentucky and Tennessee. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SPACE POSTURE

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Heard testimony on U.S. space posture from Morris Tepper, Director, Meteorological Systems, Office of Applications; and Edmond C. Buckley, Director, Office of Tracking and Data Acquisition, both of National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and Dr. Lawrence Kavanau, Special Assistant for Space to Assistant Secretary of Defense Research and Engineering. Hearings continue Friday, March 1.

DEBT CEILING

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's recommendations regarding continuation of the public debt ceiling at $308 billion until June 30, 1963. No announcements were made. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

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Friday, March 1, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate heard addresses in memory of the late Senators Dworshak, Chavez, and Kerr.

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3289–3307

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 963–981 and S. Res. 104. **Page 3292**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 345, providing for approval of a payment in lieu of taxes for fiscal year 1959 by the Hawaii Housing Authority to the city of Honolulu (S. Rept. 13);

S. 812, to release restrictions and reservations on certain real property heretofore conveyed to the State of Arkansas by the U.S., with an amendment (S. Rept. 14);

S. 13, authorizing the GSA to convey certain U.S. lands in Arkansas to the city of Fayetteville, with amendments (S. Rept. 15);

S. Res. 22, to authorize the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to investigate matters pertaining to migratory labor, with amendments (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 74, authorizing Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences to make studies of matters pertaining to aeronautical and space activities, and requesting $82,500 therefor, with amendments (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 95, to provide funds for additional staff personnel for the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 3292**

Senate Manual: S. Res. 101, to provide for preparation and printing of the new edition of the Senate Rules and Manual, was adopted. **Page 3308**

Gratuities: Senate adopted S. Res. 102–103, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of deceased Senate employees. **Page 3308**

Memorial Addresses: S. Res. 104, providing for memorial addresses in the Senate today on the lives, characters, and public services of the late Senators Dworshak, Chavez, and Kerr, was adopted, and pursuant to the terms of the resolution addresses were given in tribute to their memory. **Pages 3308–3358**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Roland R. Renne, of Montana, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, and to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation; and Philip N. Brownstein, of Maryland, to be Federal Housing Commissioner. **Page 3367**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for his department from Karl S. Landstrom, Director, Bureau of Land Management, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 4.

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, heard testimony on Army programs for fiscal 1964 from Lt. Gen. R. W. Colglazier, Jr., Chief of Staff for Logistics, and Lt. Gen. D. E. Beach, Chief of Staff for Research and Development, both of the Army.

Committee will meet again on Monday, March 4, to receive a briefing from officials of the Navy Department.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: The Housing Subcommittee continued hearings on pending legislation to establish long-range Federal programs to assist State and local bodies to establish mass transportation facilities. Testimony was heard from Grant Arnold, U.S. Chamber of Commerce; Walter J. McCarter, Institute for Rapid Transit; Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation; W. P. Coliton, Chicago, South Shore & South Bend Railroad; James Paul, Americans for Democratic Action; and Nat Keith, National Housing Conference.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 4.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Committee held its executive organizational meeting, at which were adopted rules of procedure for the full committee, as well as rules for its Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations. The chairman was authorized to appoint six majority and three minority members to each of the following four subcommittees:

1. Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations.
2. Reorganization and International Organizations.
3. National Security Staffing and Operations.
4. Intergovernmental Relations.

Committee ordered favorably reported without amendment S. 816, providing for the establishment of a Commission on Science and Technology, and S. 345, providing for approval of a payment in lieu of taxes for fiscal year 1959 by the Hawaii Housing Authority to the city of Honolulu; and with amendments S. 812, to release restrictions and reservations on certain real property heretofore conveyed to the State of Arkansas by the U.S., and S. 13, authorizing the GSA to convey certain U.S. lands in Arkansas to the city of Fayetteville.

Also, the committee approved the filing of a report on its activities during the 87th Congress.

WILDERNESS PRESERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 4, to establish the National Wilderness Preservation System, after hearing testimony from Samuel S. Johnson, chairman, National Association of Manufacturers; John Taylor, American Farm Bureau Federation; Daniel W. Cannon, NAM Conservation & Management of Natural Resources Committee; William T. Jobe, Jr., National Lumber Manufacturers Association; John Barnard, State of Colorado; Carl W. Buchheister, president, National Audubon Society; Robert T. Dennis, Izaak Walton League; John A. Wolf, Colorado Mining Association, Denver; James Boyd, representing the American Mining Congress; O. F. Barnett, representing the Defenders of Wildlife; John L. Berry, American White Water Affiliation; and

George Hammond, president, American Camping Association.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of John Harold Fanning, of Rhode Island, to be a member of the National Labor Relations Board; Francis Keppel, of Massachusetts, to be Commissioner of Education; Daniel Patrick Moynihan, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor; Howard G. Gamser, of New York, to be a member of the National Mediation Board; George G. Trevorrow, of Maryland, to be a member of the Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review; and routine Public Health Service nominations. Committee also approved S. Res. 22, to authorize the committee to investigate matters pertaining to migratory labor (with amendments); and S. Res. 95, to provide funds for additional committee staff personnel.

Prior to this action, in open session, Messrs. Keppel, Moynihan, Gamser, and Trevorrow testified and answered questions in behalf of their own nominations.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, having as its witnesses Paul Carlin, National Association of County Officials; Orville Snow, Idaho Association of Commissioners & Clerks, Latah County, Moscow, Idaho; Gil Barrett, Dougherty County commissioner, Albany, Ga.; W. W. Dumas, police juror, East Baton Rouge Parish, Baker, La.; Leonard Lesser, AFL–CIO, IUD; Mrs. Cernoria Johnson, National Urban League; A. L. Ratliff, land acquisition engineer, Arlington County, Va.; and Robert E. Bondy, National Social Welfare Assembly.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 5.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, March 4, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAINS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains held an executive informal meeting to discuss the feed grain program.

DRAFT EXTENSION

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on H.R. 2438, to extend the induction provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act. Heard testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower), accompanied by Dr. Frank B. Berry, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Health and Medical); and Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System; and a public witness.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 3881, to provide additional assistance for the development of comprehensive and coordinated mass transportation systems in metropolitan and other urban areas. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 404, to amend the prevailing wage section of the Davis-Bacon Act, relating to fringe benefits, and heard testimony from John F. Henning, Under Secretary of Labor; Charles Donahue, Solicitor of Labor; and public witnesses.

FLINT RIVER, GA.

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control held a hearing on the Flint River, Ga., project. Heard testimony from Representatives Sikes, Pilcher, and Flynt; Col. Robert C. Marshall, Assistant Director of Civil Works (Eastern Division), Office of Chief of Engineers; and public witnesses.

A statement was presented for the record by Senators Russell and Talmadge; and Representatives Vinson, Forrester, Landrum, Pilcher, Flynt, Hagan, Stephens, Davis, Tuten, and Weltner.

SPACE POSTURE

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Heard testimony on U.S. space posture from Lt. Gen. James Ferguson, Deputy Chief of Staff (Research and Technology), U.S. Air Force.

Following the hearing the committee went into executive session on this subject. No announcements were made.

EMPLOYMENT SECURITY PROGRAM

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to consider changes in the existing ceiling on the administrative expenses for the employment security program. No announcements were made.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through February 28, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	29	21	..
Time in session	137 hrs., 16′	40 hrs., 48′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	2,072	1,038	3,110
Appendix	..	..	1,082
Public bills enacted into law	..	..	..
Private bills enacted into law	..	..	..
Bills in conference	..	..	..
Bills through conference	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	19	74	..
Senate bills	..	..	..
House bills	..	9	..
Senate joint resolutions	..	..	..
House joint resolutions	..	1	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	..	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	1	..
Simple resolutions	18	63	81
Measures reported, total	*50	*56	..
Senate bills	1	..	..
House bills	..	15	..
Senate joint resolutions	..	..	..
House joint resolutions	1	1	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	..	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	1	..
Simple resolutions	47	37	84
Special reports	1	2	..
Conference reports	..	..	..
Reported measures not acted on	..	7	..
Measures introduced, total	1,146	5,094	6,240
Bills	962	4,422	5,384
Joint resolutions	56	295	351
Concurrent resolutions	25	104	129
Simple resolutions	103	273	376
Quorum calls	19	1	..
Yea-and-nay votes	6	5	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 12 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 56 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through February 28, 1963

Postmaster nominations—None received.

Army nominations, totaling 2,118, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	2,057
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	61

Air Force nominations, totaling 8,119, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	8,119
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	None

Navy nominations, totaling 8,765, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	8,763
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	2

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,254, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	3,251
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	3

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 1,129, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	760
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	366

Summary

Total nominations received	23,385
Total withdrawn	3
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	432
Total confirmed	22,950

Monday, March 4, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate cleared for President supplemental appropriations for Agriculture Department.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3431–3493

Bills Introduced: 29 bills and 4 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 982–1010; S. Con. Res. 26–27; and S. Res. 105–106.
Pages 3438–3439

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 816, providing for the establishment of a Commission on Science and Technology (S. Rept. 16).
Page 3434

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee.

Taxation—Hawaii: Senate passed without amendment S. 345, providing for approval of a payment in lieu of taxes for fiscal year 1959 by the Hawaii Housing Authority to the city of Honolulu.
Page 3489

Public Lands—Arkansas: S. 13, authorizing the GSA to convey certain U.S. lands in Arkansas to the city of Fayetteville, was passed with committee amendments.
Pages 3489–3490

Supplemental Appropriations—Agriculture: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 284, making supplemental appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for fiscal year 1963. Motion to reconsider this passage was tabled.
Pages 3493–3504

Appointment to Commission: Vice President appointed Senator Aiken to fill a vacancy on the National Forest Reservations Commission.
Page 3513

Committee Assignments: Vice President appointed the following Senators to membership on the Special Committee on the Aging: Smathers, Moss, and Kennedy.

Senator Robertson announced that as chairman of the Committee on Banking and Currency he has appointed Senator Tower as a member of the Joint Committee on Defense Production.
Pages 3446, 3513

Mexico Interparliamentary Group: Vice President appointed to the Mexico Interparliamentary Group Senators Sparkman, chairman; Morse, Long (Louisiana), Dodd, Smathers, Williams (New Jersey), Muskie, Brewster, Bennett, Allott, Mechem, and Kuchel.
Pages 3513–3514

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: John Harold Fanning, of Rhode Island, to be member of NLRB; Dr. Francis Keppel, of Massachusetts, to be Commissioner of Education; Daniel Patrick Moynihan, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor; Howard G. Gamser, of New York, to be member of the National Mediation Board; George C. Trevorrow, of Maryland, to be a member of the Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review; and numerous nominations in the Public Health Service.
Pages 3515–3516

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Charles F. Baldwin, of D.C., to be U.S. representative to the 19th session of the Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East of the UN Economic and Social Council; one civilian; one judicial; and numerous postmasters, in addition to numerous Public Health Service nominations and postmasters received on Friday, March 1.
Pages 3514–3515

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Richard F. Taitano, Director, Office of Territories, who also testified on funds for the Virgin Islands Corporation; H. Rex Lee, Governor of American Samoa; Edward C. Crafts, Director, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, Department of the Interior; and E. M. Fitch, Assistant to the General Manager, the Alaska Railroad.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on fiscal 1964 programs for the Naval Establishment from Secretary of the Navy Fred Korth; Chief of Naval Operations Adm. George W. Anderson, Jr.; and Marine Corps Commandant Gen. David M. Shoup.

Committee will meet again tomorrow, to hear other officials of the Navy.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing resumed its hearings on pending legislation to establish Federal programs to assist State and local bodies in establishing mass transportation facilities, with testimony from Representative Burkhalter; Mayor Gordon S. Clinton, of Seattle, representing the American Municipal Association, who was introduced by Senator Magnuson; Mayor James H. J. Tate, of Philadelphia, representing the U.S. Conference of Mayors; Virgil Gunlock, chairman, Chicago Transit Authority; William Moss, National Association of County Officials; and Edward Kowal, president, Brevard Transit Co., Inc., Cocoa, Fla.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UNESCO ACTIVITIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Consultative Subcommittee on International Organization Affairs met in executive session for the purpose of inquiring into the case of the Soviet pamphlet issued under UNESCO auspices, along with a general discussion of UNESCO activities and procedures. The principal witness was Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs Lucius D. Battle.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee announced assignments to its subcommittees as follows:

Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations—Senators McClellan, chairman, Jackson, Ervin, Muskie, McIntyre, Brewster, Mundt, Curtis, and Javits;

Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations—Senators Humphrey, chairman, McClellan, Gruening, Muskie, Pell, Ribicoff, Mundt, Javits, and Pearson;

Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations—Senators Jackson, chairman, Humphrey, Muskie, Pell, Ribicoff, Brewster, Mundt, Javits, and Miller;

Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations—Senators Muskie, chairman, Ervin, Humphrey, McIntyre, Brewster, Ribicoff, Mundt, Miller, and Pearson.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 71 public bills, H.R. 4423–4493; 17 private bills, H.R. 4494–4510; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 296–304, H. Con. Res. 105–107, and H. Res. 274–278, were introduced. **Pages 3372–3373, 3428–3430**

Consent Calender: The Consent Calendar was called and the following two bills were passed over without prejudice:

H.R. 199, to provide additional compensation for veterans having service-connected disabilities of deafness of both ears; and

H.R. 214, to provide a statutory award for veterans suffering from aphonia. **Page 3372**

House Parliamentarian: Adopted H. Res. 274, expressing the thanks of the House of Representatives to Lewis Deschler, Parliamentarian of the House of Representatives, in observance of his service of 35 years as Parliamentarian. **Pages 3372–3378**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DRAFT EXTENSION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued hearings on H.R. 2438, to extend the induction provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act, and heard testimony from Representative Curtis; and public witnesses.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 3881, to provide additional assistance for the development of comprehensive and coordinated mass transportation systems in metropolitan and other urban areas. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 5.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session to mark up H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps. The subcommittee will continue, in executive session, on this subject, Tuesday, March 5.

COMMUNISM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session on Castro-Communist subversion in the Western Hemisphere, and heard testimony from Joseph J. Wolf, Special Assistant for Internal Defense, Agency for International Development; and Byron Engle, Director, Office of Public Safety, AID. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 5.

FOREIGN BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operation heard testimony on proposed legislation on foreign buildings from James R. Johnstone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Foreign Buildings; and William J. Crockett, Assistant Secretary of State for Administration.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 844 and 845 (amended), bills regarding land of the U.S. held by the U.S. in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indians of the Pine Ridge Reservation.

Considered but took no final action on H.R. 2635, to include Fort Mojave Indian Reservation among reservations excepted from the 25-year lease limitations.

Heard testimony from Representative Berry, of South Dakota (H.R. 844 and 845); departmental witnesses (H.R. 844 and 845); and public witnesses (all three measures).

POLITICAL BROADCASTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing regarding political broadcasts, and heard testimony from Newton N. Minow, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; and public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Aeronautics: Began hearings on NASA authorization and heard testimony from James E. Webb, Administrator, and Hugh L. Dryden, Deputy Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 5.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Resumed hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 5.

Joint Committee Meetings

D.C. CRIME

Committees on the District of Columbia: Senate and House Committees on the D.C. continued, in joint executive session, to discuss the crime situation in the D.C., including school discipline problems. Witnesses heard were Dr. Carl F. Hanson, Superintendent of D.C. Schools; Wesley Williams, President, D.C. School Board; and John E. Winters, Deputy Chief of the Youth Aid Division, and John B. Layton, Chief of Detectives, both of the Metropolitan Police Department.

Today's session concluded the joint conferences on this subject.

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Wednesday, March 6, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate committees approved numerous resolutions authorizing funds for committee operations and studies.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Thursday, March 7, at noon.

Committee Meetings

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Appropriations: On Tuesday, March 5, committee, in executive session, made subcommittee appointments as follows:

(*Ex officio* committeemen's names appear in italics)

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES

(Except Forest Service)

Senators Holland, Russell, Hayden, Hill, Robertson, Stennis, McGee, Humphrey, Mansfield, Young of North Dakota, Mundt, Hruska, and Case.

Ellender, Johnston, and *Aiken.*

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

(Except Civil Functions and Military Construction)

Senators Russell, Hayden, Hill, McClellan, Ellender, Robertson, Stennis, Pastore, Kefauver, Magnuson, Monroney, Saltonstall, Young of North Dakota, Smith, Mundt, Allott, and Kuchel.

Byrd of Virginia, Symington, and *Goldwater.*

DEFICIENCIES AND SUPPLEMENTALS

Senators Pastore, Holland, Hayden, Russell, Ellender, Hill, McClellan, Robertson, Magnuson, Stennis, Byrd of West Virginia, Monroney, Young of North Dakota, Saltonstall, Mundt, Smith, Kuchel, and Hruska.

FOREIGN OPERATIONS

(To be considered by entire committee)

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Senators Byrd of West Virginia, Hayden, Kefauver, Humphrey, Mansfield, Bartlett, Case, Cotton, and *Saltonstall.*

Bible, McIntyre, and *Beall.*

Independent Offices

Senators Magnuson, Hill, Ellender, Robertson, Russell, Holland, Pastore, Monroney, Stennis, *Chairman Hayden,* Allott, Young of North Dakota, Smith, Hruska, Cotton, and Saltonstall.

Also on Aeronautical and Space Activities: *Anderson, Symington,* and *Hickenlooper.*

Department of the Interior and Related Agencies

(Except Bureau of Reclamation and Power Marketing Agencies)

Senators Hayden, Russell, McClellan, Kefauver, Bible, Byrd of West Virginia, McGee, Humphrey, Mansfield, Bartlett, Mundt, Young of North Dakota, and Kuchel.

Departments of Labor, and Health, Education, and Welfare, and Related Agencies

Senators Hill, Russell, Magnuson, Stennis, Pastore, Bible, Byrd of West Virginia, Humphrey, Holland, Bartlett, *Chairman Hayden,* Cotton, Smith, Allott, Case, and *Saltonstall.*

Legislative

Senators Monroney, Humphrey, Mansfield, Bartlett, *Chairman Hayden,* Saltonstall, Young of North Dakota, and Kuchel.

Military Construction

Senators Stennis, Russell, Bible, Ellender, McGee, Mansfield, *Chairman Hayden,* Kuchel, Saltonstall, and Hruska.

Byrd of Virginia, Symington, and *Goldwater.*

Public Works

Senators Ellender, Hayden, Russell, McClellan, Robertson, Hill, Magnuson, Holland, Stennis, Kefauver, Monroney, Bible, Byrd of West Virginia, Hruska, Young of North Dakota, Mundt, Smith, Allott, and Kuchel.

Army Civil Functions: Entire subcommittee.

Also on Rivers and Harbors items: *McNamara, Randolph,* and *Cooper.*

Atomic Energy Commission—Tennessee Valley Authority: Senators Hill, Ellender, Hayden, Russell, Stennis, Kefauver, Bible, Hruska, Mundt, Smith, and Kuchel.

Also on Atomic Energy items: *Pastore, Gore,* and *Hickenlooper.*

Bureau of Reclamation and Interior Power Marketing Agencies: Senators Hayden, Ellender, Magnuson, Russell, McClellan, Holland, Bible, Mundt, Young of North Dakota, Allott, and Hruska.

Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies

Senators McClellan, Ellender, Magnuson, Holland, Pastore, Kefauver, Bible, McGee, Byrd of West Virginia, *Chairman Hayden,* Smith, Saltonstall, Mundt, Hruska, Cotton, and Case.

Also on Diplomatic and Consular items: *Fulbright, Sparkman,* and *Hickenlooper.*

Departments of Treasury and Post Office and Executive Office

Senators Robertson, McClellan, Monroney, McGee, Pastore, Bartlett, *Chairman Hayden,* Case, Allott, and Cotton.

Also on Post Office items: *Johnston, Yarborough,* and *Carlson.*

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from the following witnesses: Jerome J. O'Brien, Director, Office of Oil and Gas; George Fumick, Jr., Director, Office of Minerals Exploration; William E. S. Flory, Director, Office of Minerals and Solid Fuels; Clarence F. Pautske, Commissioner, Fish and Wildlife Service; and Donald L. McKernan, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, all of the Department of the Interior.

On Tuesday, March 5, subcommittee received testimony on this subject from Marling Ankeny, Director, Bureau of Mines; and George A. Lamb, Director, Office of Coal Research, both of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued, in executive session, to receive briefings on fiscal 1964 programs of the Naval Establishment, having as its witness today Vice Adm. William F. Raborn, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Development.

On Tuesday, March 5, committee had as its witnesses Vice Adm. William A. Schoech, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Air, and Vice Adm. C. D. Griffin, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations, Fleet Operations and Readiness.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to hear officials of the Air Force.

CUBAN MILITARY BUILDUP

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed, in executive session, its discussions of the Cuban military buildup, having as its witness Maj. Gen. Alva R. Fitch, Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Army.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Tuesday, March 5, Subcommittee on Housing continued its hearing on pending legislation to establish Federal programs to assist State and local bodies in establishing mass transportation facilities, receiving testimony from Senator Ribicoff; Manual J. Davis, an attorney for the Washington, Virginia & Maryland Coach Co.; Richard L. Lich, Railway Progress Institute; James M. Symes, chairman of the board, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.; and George W. Anderson and A. J. DeMayo, both of the American Transit Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION, AND SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Commerce: On Tuesday, March 5, committee held its executive organizational meeting, adopting its rules of procedure, establishing the first and third Tuesdays of each month as its regular meeting days, and appointing membership to its standing subcommittees as follows:

Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries—Senators Magnuson, chairman, Pastore, Bartlett, Engle, Hart, Prouty, and Beall;

Subcommittee on Communications—Senators Pastore, chairman, Monroney, Thurmond, McGee, Hartke, Yarborough, Scott, Prouty, and Morton;

Subcommittee on Aviation—Senators Monroney, chairman, Engle, Bartlett, Lausche, Hart, Cannon, Cotton, Morton, and Scott; and

Subcommittee on Surface Transportation—Senators Thurmond, chairman, Lausche, Yarborough, Hartke, McGee, Cannon, Morton, Cotton, and Beall.

Also, committee agreed that it will maintain its special subcommittees on (1) Auto Marketing Practices, (2) Freight Car Shortage, and (3) Textile Industry, full membership of which subcommittees is as yet unannounced.

Committee ordered favorably reported with amendment S. Res. 29, to provide funds for committee operating expenses for the current session of Congress, and requesting $330,000 therefor.

Committee announced that it would invite members of the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences to attend hearings on the nominations of the incorporators of the Communications Satellite Corporation, which hearings are scheduled for Monday, March 11.

Committee authorized the chairman to request referral to the Committee on Commerce of the bill S. 942, relating to a moratorium on railroad mergers, which bill is presently lying on the Vice President's desk awaiting reference.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Tuesday, March 5, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Sidney R. Yates, of Illinois, to be U.S. Representative on the Trusteeship Council of the U.N.; Jonathan B. Bingham, of New York, to be U.S. Representative on the Economic and Social Council of the U.N.; Archibald S. Alexander, of New Jersey, to be Assistant Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Carl T. Rowan, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to Finland; Edward M. Korry, of New York, to be Ambassador to Ethiopia; Charles D. Withers, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Rwanda; William J. Porter, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Algeria; Dr. James Watt, of the D.C., to be U.S. Representative on the Executive Board of the World Health Organization; and sundry appointments in the Foreign Service.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony in behalf of the nomination of Mr. Yates was received from Senator Dirksen. Messrs. Yates and Bingham were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings in connection with procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding to the General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth of the contract on the TFX-type aircraft, receiving further testimony from Col. Charles Gayle, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, and Col. Roy Jaynes, headquarters, the Pentagon, both of whom are attached to the TFX program; and Robert E. Dunne, assistant counsel on the subcommittee's staff. Testimony was also received from Thomas A. Nunnally, member of the subcommittee's staff, and Ben Gilleas, investigator, Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee of the Committee on Armed Services.

On Tuesday, March 5, subcommittee received testimony in connection with this subject from Messrs. Gayle, Jaynes, and Nunnally.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 12.

NATIONAL RECLAMATION ASSOCIATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held its 9th annual meeting with the board of directors of the National Reclamation Association to discuss various matters pertinent to the country's reclamation program.

"TRUTH-IN-PACKAGING"

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee began a series of hearings on S. 387, to prohibit restraints of trade carried into effect through the use of unfair and deceptive methods of packaging or labeling. Witnesses heard today were Senator Ribicoff; Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Commerce; and Lawrence H. Zahn, Ciba Pharmaceutical Co., Summit, N.J., and former president of Packaging Institute.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: On Tuesday, March 5, subcommittee held hearings on the nominations of William J. Nealon, Jr., to be U.S. district judge for the middle district of Pennsylvania, with favoring testimony from Senators Clark and Scott; and H. Vearle Payne, to be U.S. district judge for the district of New Mexico, with favoring testimony from Senators Anderson and Mechem, and Representatives Morris and Montoya. Testimony in opposition to the nomination of Mr. Payne was received from Dennis Chavez, Jr., an attorney from New Mexico. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Tuesday, March 5, Employment and Manpower Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1, to establish a Youth

Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, receiving further testimony from Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz. Testimony was also received from Dr. Carl F. Hanson, Superintendent of Schools, District of Columbia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health continued its hearings on S. 755, proposed Community Mental Health Centers Act, and S. 756, proposed Mental Retardation Facilities Construction Act, with testimony from Dr. Francis Braceland, American Psychiatric Association; Elbert N. Carvel, Governor of Delaware, who was accompanied by Dr. Charles Bush, director of the Delaware mental health program; Dr. Charles L. Hudson, board of trustees, Dr. Leo Bartemeier, chairman, and Dr. Walter Wolman, secretary, both of the Council on Mental Health, all of the American Medical Association; Frank Proctor, National Association for Mental Health; Dr. Nicholas Hobbs, American Psychological Association; Dr. Henry N. Pratt, American Hospital Association; and Dr. Daniel Blain and Dr. V. Terrell Davis, both directors of the National Association of State Mental Health Programs.

On Tuesday, March 5, subcommittee began hearings on these bills, having as its witnesses Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, who was accompanied by his associates; Dr. Jack R. Ewalt, staff director, Joint Commission on Mental Illness & Health; and Mike Gorman, executive director, National Committee Against Mental Illness.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Tuesday, March 5, committee held an executive organizational meeting when it adopted its rules of procedure for the current Congress, and announced appointment of the following subcommittees:

Ex officio members of the Committee on Appropriations: Senators Johnston, chairman, Yarborough, and Carlson;

Contested Nominations: Senators Johnston, chairman, Monroney, and Carlson;

Postal Affairs: Senators Monroney, chairman, Yarborough, Carlson, McGee, and Fong;

Civil Service: Senators Yarborough, chairman, Randolph, Fong, Brewster, and Boggs;

Health Benefits and Life Insurance: Senators Randolph, chairman, Yarborough, Fong, McGee, and Boggs;

Retirement: Senators McGee, chairman, Randolph, Fong, Brewster, and Boggs.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS, AND SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following resolutions providing funds for committee operations and investigations for the current session of the Congress:

S. Res. 74, authorizing Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences to make various studies ($82,500);

S. Res. 75, authorizing Committee on Armed Services to investigate matters relating to the national defense ($175,000);

S. Res. 79, authorizing Committee on Armed Services to study strategic and critical stockpiling ($10,000);

S. Res. 14, authorizing Committee on Banking and Currency to make certain studies ($83,700);

S. Res. 15, authorizing Committee on Banking and Currency to study housing matters ($106,000);

S. Res. 26, authorizing Committee on Foreign Relations to continue its study of activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals ($48,600);

S. Res. 25, authorizing Committee on Foreign Relations to continue its studies of U.S. foreign policies and their administration ($143,000);

S. Res. 17, authorizing Committee on Government Operations to make certain studies—Permanent Investigating Subcommittee ($458,300);

S. Res. 27, authorizing funds for Committee on Government Operations—Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations ($88,000);

S. Res. 45, authorizing funds for Committee on Government Operations—Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations ($97,290);

S. Res. 13, authorizing funds for Committee on Government Operations—Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations ($92,250);

S. Res. 16, authorizing Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs to study certain matters ($100,000);

S. Res. 22, authorizing Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to study matters pertaining to migratory labor ($68,750);

S. Res. 95, to provide funds for additional staff for Committee on Labor and Public Welfare;

S. Res. 18, authorizing Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to make certain studies ($69,500);

S. Res. 20, authorizing Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to employ additional clerical assistants;

S. Res. 12, authorizing Committee on Public Works to investigate certain matters ($118,100);

S. Res. 73, authorizing Committee on Rules and Administration to make certain expenditures and to employ temporary personnel ($59,800);

S. Res. 49, authorizing Select Committee on Small Business to make certain studies ($116,090);

S. Res. 23, extending Special Committee on Aging through January 31, 1964, and providing $200,400 therefor; and

The following resolutions authorizing funds for subcommittees of the Committee on the Judiciary:

S. Res. 55, Administrative Practice and Procedure ($110,600);

S. Res. 56, Antitrust and Monopoly ($443,250);

S. Res. 57, Constitutional Amendments ($54,423);

S. Res. 58, Constitutional Rights ($152,300);

S. Res. 59, Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations ($7,000);

S. Res. 60, Immigration and Naturalization ($124,200);

S. Res. 61, Judicial Machinery ($92,200);

S. Res. 62, Internal Security Act ($310,880);

S. Res. 63, Juvenile Delinquency ($173,300);

S. Res. 64, National Penitentiaries ($5,000);

S. Res. 65, Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights ($115,800);

S. Res. 66, Refugees and Escapees ($81,000);

S. Res. 67, Revision and Codification of the Statutes ($27,700); and

S. Res. 68, Trading With the Enemy Act ($55,400).

The committee announced that it had appointed the following subcommittees:

Standing Rules of the Senate: Senators Hayden, chairman, Cannon, and Cooper;

Privileges and Elections: Senators Cannon, chairman, Pell, and Curtis;

Printing: Senators Hayden, chairman, Jordan, and Scott;

Library: Senators Jordan, chairman, Clark, and Cooper;

Smithsonian Institution: Senators Pell, chairman, Byrd, and Scott;

Restaurant: Senators Byrd of West Virginia, chairman, Clark, and Scott.

Committee approved original resolutions providing for appointment of Senate Members to the following two joint committees:

Joint Committee on Printing: Senators Hayden, Jordan, and Scott.

Joint Committee on the Library: Senators Jordan, Pell, Clark, Cooper, and Scott.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 93 public bills, H.R. 4511–4603; 15 private bills, H.R. 4604–4618; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 305–310, H. Con. Res. 108 and 109, and H. Res. 279–284, were introduced. **Pages 3585–3587**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4374, a private bill (H. Rept. 57);

H. Res. 228, to provide funds for expenses of the Committee on Banking and Currency authorized by H. Res. 179, amended (H. Rept. 58);

H.R. 2438, providing a 4-year extension of the draft law (H. Rept. 59);

H. Res. 225, authorizing the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce to employ two additional employees (H. Rept. 60);

H. Res. 254, providing for expenses of the Committee on Education and Labor incurred pursuant to H. Res. 103, amended (H. Rept. 61);

H.R. 2440, authorizing appropriations for aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels, amended (H. Rept. 62);

H.R. 200, repealing "Mustering-out payments" section of title 38, U.S. Code (H. Rept 63);

H.R. 211, to increase payments for parents and children of veterans dying from service-connected disabilities (H. Rept. 64);

H.R. 220, regarding new modified life plan for national service life insurance policyholders (H. Rept. 65);

H.R. 228, regarding additional pay for directors and chiefs of staff at Veterans' Administration medical installations (H. Rept. 66);

H.R. 242, providing for waiver of indebtedness to the United States in certain cases arising out of default on loans guaranteed or made by the Veterans' Administration (H. Rept. 67);

H.R. 243, relating to increased compensation for certain veterans suffering service-connected disabilities (H. Rept. 68);

H.R. 248, regarding paraplegic housing program for veterans (H. Rept. 69);

H.R. 249, relating to hospitalization of certain veterans in the Philippines, amended (H. Rept. 70);

H.R. 1048, providing for the design of the flag of the United States (H. Rept. 71); and

H.R. 2837, to amend the Federal Register Act regarding improved publication techniques (H. Rept. 72). **Pages 3584–3585**

Committee Expenses: Adopted by voice votes resolutions providing annual funds for committee expenses after amending them to prevent duplication and overlapping of investigations and studies:

Banking and Currency: H. Res. 228, to provide $180,000 for expenses of investigations and studies authorized by H. Res. 179 (amended to provide $180,000 for 1 year in lieu of $580,000 for 2 years). Pages 3523–3525

Education and Labor: H. Res. 254, to provide $200,000 for expenses incurred pursuant to H. Res. 103 (amended to provide $200,000 for 1 year, assigned as follows: $25,000 to each of six subcommittees and $50,000 to the full committee, in lieu of $697,000 for 2 years). Pages 3525–3531

Committee Employees: Adopted H. Res. 225, providing for employment by the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce of two additional employees. Page 3525

Late Reports: The Committee on Rules was granted permission to file sundry reports by midnight Friday. Page 3583

Bills Referred: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 3583

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATIONS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Research and Extension met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 40, to assist the States to provide additional facilities for research at the State agricultural experiment stations.

FEED GRAINS

Committee on Agriculture: On March 5 Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains met in executive session regarding the feed grain program for 1963. No announcements were made.

MILITARY PAY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session on H.R. 3006, to increase the rates of basic pay for members of the uniformed services. Heard testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower); and departmental witnesses.

On Tuesday, March 5, heard testimony on H.R. 3006 from various departmental witnesses.

JUNIOR ROTC PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing regarding the Junior ROTC program. Heard testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower); other departmental witnesses; and a public witness.

DRAFT EXTENSION

Committee on Armed Services: On Tuesday, March 5, met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 2438, to extend the induction provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act.

CADMIUM

Committee on Armed Services: On March 5, Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session on H.R. 307, to permit the immediate sale of cadmium now held in the national stockpile. No announcements were made.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 3881, to provide additional assistance for the development of comprehensive and coordinated mass transportation systems in metropolitan and other urban areas. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, March 8.

On Tuesday, March 5, the committee heard public witnesses on H.R. 3881.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps.

On March 5, in executive session, continued markup of H.R. 1890 (title above).

COMMUNISM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs concluded hearings regarding Castro-Communist subversion in the Western Hemisphere. Heard testimony from Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs. On March 5 the subcommittee met in executive session with Lincoln Gordon, U.S. Ambassador to Brazil, on this subject.

FOREIGN BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session to consider proposed legislation on foreign buildings program. Heard testimony from James R. Johnstone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Foreign Buildings. Hearings continue Thursday, March 7.

NEAR EAST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Near East met in executive session with Phillips Talbot, Assistant Secretary of State for the Near East; and officials of the Agency for International Development.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: On Tuesday, March 5, Subcommittee on Africa heard testimony from Edward R. Murrow, the Director of the U.S. Information Agency on U.S. Information Service activities in Africa.

AID BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: On Tuesday, March 5, Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing by officials of the Agency for International Development.

COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following resolutions:

H. Res. 225, providing for employment by the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce of two additional employees;

H. Res. 228 (amended), to provide $180,000 for the expenses of the Committee on Banking and Currency authorized by H. Res. 179;

H. Res. 254 (amended), to provide $200,000 for expenses of the Committee on Education and Labor incurred pursuant to H. Res. 103.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 1892 (amended), to repeal the Pittman Act;

H.R. 277 (amended), regarding the transfer of certain public lands to the Colorado River Commission of Nevada;

H.R. 1087 (amended), to release the right, title, and interest, if any, of the U.S. in certain streets in the village of Heyburn, Idaho, and to repeal the reverter in patent for public reserve;

H.R. 1544 (amended), a private bill;

H.R. 844 (amended), regarding land held by the U.S. in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation;

H.R. 2635 (amended), to include Fort Mojave Indian Reservation among those excepted from the 25-year lease;

H.R. 2291, a private bill;

H.R. 2294, a private bill; and

H.R. 845, regarding land held by the U.S. in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks considered H.J. Res. 180, to authorize the continued use of certain lands within the Sequoia National Park by portions of an existing hydroelectric project. Heard testimony from Representative Hagen of California.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Tuesday, March 5, Subcommittee on Indian Affairs ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2635 (amended), to include the Fort Mojave Indian Reservation among reservations excepted from the 25-year lease limitation.

Prior to taking action on the measure heard testimony from Department of Interior and public witnesses.

Heard testimony from a public witness on H.R. 2977, to authorize the sale of certain lands of the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe.

BROADCAST RATING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations heard testimony from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; and public witnesses regarding broadcast rating services.

On Tuesday, March 5, the subcommittee heard public witnesses on this subject.

POLITICAL BROADCASTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing on equal times requirements of the Communications Act of 1935 as they affect presidential and vice presidential candidates. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claim bills.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2835, to clarify the status of circuit and district judges retired from regular active service; H.R. 2842, to amend section 3238 of title 18, U.S. Code; H.R. 2844, to provide the same life tenure and retirement rights for judges hereafter appointed to the U.S. District Court for the District of Puerto Rico as the judges of all other U.S. district courts now have; and H.R. 2845, to provide that the district courts shall be always open for certain purposes, to abolish terms of court, and to regulate the sessions of the courts for transacting judicial business.

SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL—FLAG

Committee on the Judiciary: On Tuesday, March 5, met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4374, to proclaim Sir Winston Churchill an honorary citizen of the U.S. of America;

H.R. 1048, providing for the design of the flag of the U.S.; and

H.R. 2837, to amend further section 11 of the Federal Register Act.

Also took action on several private immigration and private claim bills.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Held a hearing on H.R. 1897, to provide an orderly procedure for the disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, March 7.

On Tuesday, March 5, heard testimony from various public witnesses on the bill.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and took action on a prospectus for a program of small building projects.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session. No announcements were made.

HOUSE RULES AMENDMENTS

Committee on Rules: On Tuesday, March 5, held a hearing on H. Res. 263, and similar resolutions, to amend the rules to permit radio and TV broadcasting of committee meetings; and H. Res. 57, and similar resolutions, to further restrict action on bills providing for the withdrawal of money from the Treasury.

Testimony was given by Representatives Harris and Meader (H. Res. 263); and Representatives Pelly, Rhodes of Arizona, Battin, Cleveland, Dowdy, Poff, Jensen, McClory, Harvey of Indiana, and Minshall (H. Res. 57).

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight held a hearing on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; and other NASA officials. Hearings continue Thursday, March 7.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science held a hearing on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, Office of Space Sciences, NASA. Hearings continue Thursday, March 7.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: On Tuesday, March 5, the committee continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, NASA.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 200, repealing "Mustering-out payments" section of title 38, U.S. Code;

H.R. 211, to increase payments for parents and children of veterans dying from service-connected disabilities;

H.R. 220, regarding new modified life plan for national service life insurance policyholders;

H.R. 228 (amended), regarding additional pay for directors and chiefs of staff at Veterans' Administration medical installations;

H.R. 242, providing for waiver of indebtedness to the U.S. in certain cases arising out of default on loans guaranteed or made by the Veterans' Administration;

H.R. 243, relating to increased compensation for certain service-connected disabled veterans;

H.R. 248, regarding paraplegic housing program; and

H.R. 249 (amended), relating to hospitalization of certain veterans in the Philippines.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, March 7. On Tuesday, March 5, heard public witnesses on this subject.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR EXPLOSION DETECTION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings in connection with technical capabilities of detecting and inspecting a nuclear weapon test ban, receiving testimony from J. Oliver, Dr. E. Herrin, Dr. J. H. Hamilton, Dr. C. Bates, and Dr. John DeNoyer, all of Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense.

On Tuesday, March 5, committee began this series of hearings, having as its witnesses Dr. J. P. Ruina and Dr. Carl Romney, also of Advanced Research Projects Agency.

Testimony during both days of hearings dealt generally with the detection of nuclear explosions underground and underwater.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee met in executive session to consider a draft of its report on the President's Economic Report, but made no announcements, and adjourned subject to call.

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HIGHLIGHTS

Senate reached agreement to vote March 11 on outdoor recreation bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3595–3677

Bills Introduced: 37 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1011–1047; S.J. Res. 57; and S. Con. Res. 28. **Pages 3598–3599**

Resolution Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 29, to provide $330,000 for operating expenses for Committee on Commerce (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 3597**

President's Communication—Transportation: Communication from President transmitting draft of proposed legislation to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, and passengers, and to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system, was received—referred to Committee on Commerce. **Page 3596**

Appointments to Boards: Senator Magnuson, as chairman of the Committee on Commerce, announced the appointment of Senators Bartlett and Beall to be members of Board of Visitors to U.S. Coast Guard Academy, and of Senators Engle and Scott to be members of Board of Visitors to U.S. Merchant Marine Academy. **Page 3622**

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 15, authorizing Architect of the Capitol to construct memorial to James Madison, and the bill was then rereferred to Committee on Public Works. **Page 3622**

Nominations: Senate received nomination of Fred Gates, of Minnesota, to be a member of the Advisory Board for the Post Office Department. **Page 3736**

Outdoor Recreation: Senate took up S. 20, to provide for the development of Federal and State outdoor recreation plans, and reached unanimous-consent agreement to limit debate thereon as follows: On Monday, March 11, at conclusion of routine morning business, further debate on the bill or any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), shall be equally divided; no nongermane amendment shall be received; and Senate will vote on final passage of bill at 4 p.m. **Pages 3677, 3710–3711**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Daniel H. Janzen, Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, received a briefing on programs and activities of their Department from Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert and Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. Curtis E. LeMay.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to receive testimony from other Air Force officials.

TAXATION—GROUND RENT

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on H.R. 1597, to provide a deduction from income taxes for payment of redeemable ground rent, with testimony from Senators Brewster and Beall; Representative Friedel; Donald C. Lubick, Tax Legislative Counsel, Treasury Department; Charles Atwater, Home Builders Association of Maryland; William B. Guy, Jr., Real Estate Board of Greater Baltimore; and Walter C. Mylander, Jr., Home Builders of Howard County, Md.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CONSERVATION FUND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee began hearings on S. 859, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting demands for outdoor recreation facilities. Testimony was received from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior, who was accompanied by Max N. Edwards, Assistant for Legislation; Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; Edward C. Crafts, Director, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation; Perry H. Merrill, Association of State Foresters; Arnold Bolle, president, Montana Conservation Council; Frank Gregg, Citizens Committee for Outdoor Recreation Resources Commission Report; M. O. Steen, director, Nebraska Forests & Game Commission; William E. Towell, International Association of Game & Fish Commissioners; John Taylor, American Farm Bureau Federation; Maurice K.

Goddard, director of forests and waters, State of Pennsylvania; and Charles H. Callison, National Audubon Society.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MAIL-ORDER GUNS

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee resumed its hearings in connection with interstate shipment of firearms to juveniles, with testimony from James V. Bennett, Director, Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice; John W. Coggins, Counsel, Internal Revenue Service; and Capt. James E. Stargel, commander of the second precinct, and John B. Layton, Chief of Detectives, both of the Metropolitan Police Department.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

"TRUTH IN PACKAGING"

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 387, to prohibit restraints of trade carried into effect through use of unfair and deceptive methods of packaging or labeling, having as its witnesses Milan D. Smith, National Canners Association; Mildred Brady, representing Consumers Union of the U.S.A., and Consumer Reports; and L. R. Hopkins, vice president, U.S. National Confectioners Association.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 12.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Rights Subcommittee resumed its hearings on constitutional rights of the American Indian, which study was initiated in 1961. Testimony was received from Paul Jones, chairman, Navajo Tribal Council, Window Rock, Ariz.; R. Max Whittier, general counsel, Shoshone-Bannock Tribes, Fort Hall, Idaho; Owen J. Panner, general counsel, Confederated Tribes, Warm Springs Reservation, Oreg.; Edison Real Bird, vice chairman, and William Wall, tribal council member, both of the Crow Tribe, Crow Agency, Mont.; Mrs. Dolly Akers, member, Fort Peck Sioux and Assiniboine Tribes, Fort Peck, Mont.; and O. B. Saunooke, chief, Eastern Band of Cherokees, Cherokee, N.C.

The chairman announced that the record would remain open for the inclusion of additional written statements.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health concluded its hearings on S. 755, proposed Community Mental Health Centers Act, and S. 756, proposed Mental Retardation Facilities Construction Act, after receiving testimony from Dr. Elizabeth Boggs, member, President's Panel on Mental Retardation; Dr. Robert E. Cooke, Joint Committee on Pediatric Research, Education, and Practice; Vincent J. Fitzpatrick, National Association for Retarded Children; Miss Grace Gurisick, National Association of Counties; Dr. Glenn E. Milligan, American Association on Mental Deficiency; Dr. Edward Davens, American Academy of Pediatrics; Mrs. Margaret K. Taylor, American Parents Committee, Inc.; E. B. Whitten, National Rehabilitation Association; Dr. Morton Davis, American Optometric Association; and Dr. Robert H. Felix, Director, National Institute of Mental Health, PHS.

PATENT POLICIES

Select Committee on Small Business: The Monopoly Subcommittee began a series of hearings in connection with its study of Government patent policies, having as its witnesses Nicholas DeB. Katzenbach, Deputy Attorney General of the U.S.; Horace Gray, professor, University of Illinois; Henry Blackstone, president, Servo Corp.; Richard Barber, professor, school of law, Southern Methodist University; and Chauncey Brooks, National Small Business Men's Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Committee Meetings

Bills Introduced: 61 public bills, H.R. 4619–4679; 16 private bills, H.R. 4680–4695; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 311–313, and H. Res. 285 and 286, were introduced. **Pages 3773–3775**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 2821, to authorize modification of the repayment contract with the Grand Valley Water Users' Association (H. Rept. 73). **Page 3773**

Late Reports: The Committee on Banking and Currency was granted permission to file by midnight Saturday a report on H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the Export-Import Bank of Washington may exercise its functions. Similar permission was granted the Committee on the District of Columbia to file sundry reports. **Page 3737**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of March 13. **Page 3743**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PAY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session on H.R. 3006, to increase the rates of basic pay for members of the uniformed services. Heard testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower); departmental witnesses; and a public witness.

JUNIOR ROTC PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Continued hearings on H.R. 4427 and 4444, to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps program. Heard testimony from Representatives Lennon, Keith, McIntire, Avery, and Matsunaga; a departmental witness; and public witnesses.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 39 (amended), relating to appointment of members of D.C. Armory Board;

H.R. 682, to permit appointment of new trustees in deeds of trust in D.C. by agreement of the parties;

H.R. 1933, regarding the minimum age limitation for registration of nurses in D.C.;

H.R. 1935, to authorize the acquisition, training, and maintenance of dogs to be used in D.C. law enforcement;

H.R. 1937, to amend D.C. Life Insurance Act and D.C. Fire and Casualty List regarding false statements and penalties;

H.R. 1982, to amend the D.C. Traffic Act regarding reporting of collisions of motor vehicles;

H.R. 2485, regarding treatment of D.C. minors with venereal disease;

H.R. 2696, regarding length of time for hearing in D.C. municipal court cases; and

H.R. 3537, regarding increased jurisdiction and change of name of D.C. municipal court.

Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 404, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act to include fringe benefits. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

FOREIGN BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session to consider proposed legislation on the foreign buildings program. Heard testimony from James R. Johnstone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Foreign Buildings; and William J. Crockett, Assistant Secretary of State for Administration.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session for organizational purposes. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a meeting with the board of directors of National Reclamation Association to discuss reclamation matters.

BROADCAST RATING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations heard testimony in executive session from public witnesses regarding broadcast rating services. Hearings continue Friday, March 8.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2 (amended), to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Foundation; H.R. 824 (amended), to incorporate Science Service, Inc., for the purposes indicated by Public Law 85-875; H.R. 2849, to amend section 47 of the Bankruptcy Act; H.R. 2833, to give the court authority on its own motion to reexamine attorney fees paid or to be paid in a bankruptcy proceeding; and H.R. 3438, to amend the Bankruptcy Act with respect to limiting the priority and nondischargeability of taxes in bankruptcy.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Held a hearing on H.R. 1897, to provide an orderly procedure for the disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for organizational purposes. The following investigative subcommittees were appointed under authority of H. Res. 151, 88th Congress:

Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization: Mr. Henderson, chairman, Mr. Beckworth, Mr. Udall, Mr. Edwards, Mr. Pool, Mr. Watson, Mr. Gross, Mr. Johansen, Mr. Derwinski, Mr. Ellsworth, Mrs. St. George. Ex officio members: Mr. Murray, Mr. Corbett.

Subcommittee on Civil Service: Mr. Morrison, chairman, Mr. Beckworth, Mr. Daniels, Mr. Staggers, Mr. Nix, Mr. Broyhill, Mr. Barry, Mr. Wallhauser, Mr. Derwinski. Ex officio members: Mr. Murray, Mr. Corbett.

Subcommittee on Postal Operations: Mr. Dulski, chairman, Mr. Udall, Mr. Daniels, Mr. Nix, Mr. Burkhalter, Mr. Cunningham, Mr. Wallhauser, Mr. Broyhill, Mr. Barry. Ex officio members: Mr. Murray, Mr. Corbett.

Subcommittee on Census and Government Statistics: Mr. Olsen, chairman, Mr. Staggers, Mr. Burkhalter, Mr. Edwards, Mr. Pool, Mr. Watson, Mr. Johansen, Mr. Cunningham, Mrs. St. George, Mr. Ellsworth, Mr. Abele. Ex officio members: Mr. Murray, Mr. Corbett.

PUBLIC GROUNDS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds heard testimony from Representative Johnson of California; and J. George Stewart, Architect of the Capitol, accompanied by his administrative officer, on H.R. 2022 and 2141, to provide for the acquisition of certain property in square 758 in D.C. as an addition to the grounds of the U.S. Supreme Court Building.

Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; and other NASA officials.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, Office of Space Sciences, accompanied by Edgar M. Cortwright, Deputy Director, Office of Space Sciences, both of NASA. Hearings continue Friday, March 8.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, March 8.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR EXPLOSION DETECTION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings in connection with technical capabilities of detecting and inspecting a nuclear weapons test ban, having as its witnesses T. A. George, Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; and Maj. Gen. A. W. Betts, Director, Division of Military Application; Dr. George Bing and Dr. Glenn L. Werth, both of the Livermore Laboratory, California; Dr. Philip Randolph, Technical Director, Project Dribble; and Dr. Frank Press, California Institute of Technology, all of the Atomic Energy Commission.

The testimony dealt generally with various aspects of detection of nuclear explosions underground and underwater.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Joint Committee on Defense Production: Committee held its executive organizational meeting where it elected Representative Patman and Senator Robertson as its chairman and vice chairman, respectively.

Friday, March 8, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate agreed to vote March 12 on outdoor recreation bill.

House committee granted a rule on aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels procurement bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3788–3802

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1048–1052. **Page 3789**

President's Communication—Public Defenders: Communication from President recommending proposed legislation to assure legal representation for every person accused of a crime, was received and referred to Committee on the Judiciary. **Page 3788**

Appointments to Boards and Commissions: Vice President appointed the following Senators to various boards and commissions:

Board of Visitors to U.S. Military Academy—Pastore, Kefauver, and Keating;

Board of Visitors to U.S. Naval Academy—Robertson, Bartlett, and Beall;

Board of Visitors to U.S. Air Force Academy—Holland, Humphrey, and Goldwater;

Board of Visitors to U.S. Merchant Marine Academy—Bayh;

Board of Visitors to U.S. Coast Guard Academy—Dodd;

National Fisheries Center Advisory Board—Magnuson (for 4 years), and Prouty (for 2 years);

Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission—Neuberger;

Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations—Ervin, Muskie, and Mundt;

Battle of New Orleans Sesquicentennial Commission—Ellender, Long (Louisiana), Cooper, Morton, Eastland, Stennis, Kefauver, and Gore;

Senate Office Building Commission—Jordan (North Carolina), Cannon, and Dirksen;

National Memorial Stadium Commission—Hartke and Dominick;

Joint Committee on Reduction of Nonessential Federal Expenditures—Long (Louisiana) and Saltonstall; and

U.S. Territorial Expansion Memorial Commission—Hruska. **Page 3788**

Science and Technology: Senate passed without amendment S. 816, providing for the establishment of a Commission on Science and Technology. **Pages 3808–3811**

Outdoor Recreation: Senate continued debate of S. 20, to provide for the development of Federal and State outdoor recreation programs, modifying its unanimous-consent agreement of yesterday to the extent that vote on final passage of the bill would be taken at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, March 12, instead of on March 11, time for debate to be equally divided from the conclusion of morning business on Tuesday. **Pages 3802, 3808, 3816–3818**

Treaty Received: Consular Convention between U.S. and Korea (Ex. B, 88th Cong., 1st sess.) was received—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Page 3802**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: William J. Porter, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Algeria; Charles D. Withers, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Rwanda; Carl T. Rowan, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to Finland; Edward M. Korry, of New York, to be Ambassador to Ethiopia; numerous other nominations in the Diplomatic and Foreign Service; Dr. James Watt, of D.C., to be U.S. Representative on the Executive Board of the World Health Organization; Jonathan B. Bingham, of New York, to be U.S. Representative on UNESCO, U.N.; Sidney R. Yates, of Illinois, to be U.S. Representative on the Trusteeship Council of the U.N.; Charles F. Baldwin, of D.C. (presently Ambassador to Malaya), to serve concurrently as U.S. Representative to the 19th session of Economic and Social Council of U.N., and Archibald S. Alexander, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency. **Page 3851**

Nomination: Senate received one Army nomination in the rank of general. **Page 3851**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from the following departmental witnesses: Frank J. Barry, Solicitor, on funds for the Office of the Solicitor; Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary for Water and Power, on funds for the saline water conversion program; C. Darwin Stolzenbach, Administrator, National Capital Transportation Agency; and D. Otis Beasley, Administrative Assistant Secretary, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 11.

MILITARY BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued, in executive session, to receive briefings on programs for the Air Force for fiscal 1964, having as its witnesses Lt. Gen. T. P. Gerrity, Deputy Chief of Staff for Systems and Logistics, and Lt. Gen. James Ferguson, Deputy Chief of Staff for Research and Technology, both of the Air Force.

Today's session concluded the annual series of military briefings.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued its hearings on S. 6 and S. 917, bills to establish Federal programs to assist State and local bodies in establishing mass transportation facilities, receiving testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; Andrew J. Biemiller, director, department of legislation, AFL–CIO; Bernard Cushman, Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway & Motor Coach Employees of America; and G. E. Leighty, representing the Brotherhood of Railway & Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express & Station Employees.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 11, when Senator Lausche will testify, following which the subcommittee will consider this proposed legislation in executive session.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

CONSERVATION FUND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 859, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting demands for outdoor recreation facilities, after receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Joseph Kaylor, Association of State Park Directors; Milo F. Christiansen, president, Federation of National Professional Organizations for Recreation; Charles Schwan, Council of State Governments, Washington, D.C.; Harold Wilm, New York Department of Conservation; Ralph D. Hodges, Jr., National Lumber Manufacturers Association; Richard H. Stroud, Sport Fishing Institute; Joseph Prendergast, National Recreation Association, New York; Fred B. Lifton, Outboard Boating Club of America, Chicago; Louis S. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; Dr. Jackson M. Anderson, American Association for Health, Physical Education & Recreation (NEA); William C. Hammerle, American Pulpwood Association, New York; Paul M. Tilden, editor, National Parks Association, Washington, D.C.; Mrs. Anne Wilkins, National Association of Counties, Falls Church, Va.; and L. C. Binford, president, Izaak Walton League of America.

EUROPEAN COMMON MARKET

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee began hearings in connection with its study of the European Common Market and national antitrust laws, with testimony from G. Griffith Johnson, Assistant Secretary of State for International Affairs, and Henry Cabot Lodge, former Ambassador to the United Nations, and presently head of the Atlantic Institute.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 14.

PATENT POLICIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its hearings in connection with its study of Government patent policies, receiving testimony from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Robert Lanzillotti, chairman, department of economics, Michigan State University; Hayward Brown, Chief, Patent Section of the Civil Division, Department of Justice; John E. Horne, Administrator, Small Business Administration; Dr. Leon A. Sweet, vice president, Parke-Davis & Co.; and Mrs. Mildred Brady, Consumers Union.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, March 13.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, March 11, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Concluded hearings on H.R. 3881, to provide additional assistance for the development of comprehensive and coordinated mass transportation systems in metropolitan and other urban areas. Heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session to continue consideration of proposed legislation on the foreign buildings program. Heard testimony from James R. Johnstone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Foreign Buildings, and other State Department officials.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.J. Res. 180 (amended), to authorize the continued use of certain lands within the Sequoia National Park by portions of an existing hydroelectric project.

The subcommittee also considered H.R. 1096 and H.R. 1115, bills regarding the Ice Age National Scientific Reserve in the State of Wisconsin. No final action was taken.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations heard testimony in executive session from various public witnesses regarding broadcast rating services.

DRAFT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 2438, to extend the Draft Act.

Heard testimony from Representative Vinson on granting of the rule.

AIRCRAFT—MISSILES—NAVAL VESSELS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 4 hours of debate, on H.R. 2440, to authorize appropriations for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels.

Representative Vinson testified on granting of the rule.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, Office of Space Sciences, accompanied by Edgar M. Cortwright, Deputy Director, Office of Space Sciences, both of NASA.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR EXPLOSION DETECTION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee concluded its hearings in connection with technical capabilities of detecting and inspecting a nuclear weapons test ban after receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Dr. J. P. Ruina, Director, and Dr. A. Schardt, both of Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; Maj. Gen. A. W. Betts, Director, Division of Military Application, AEC; Comdr. Donald Chandler, Chief of VELA—Sierra Branch, ARPA; Dr. Edward Pierce, Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, New Mexico; Maj. John Poulson, Chief of VELA—Hotel Branch, ARPA. These witnesses testified generally with regard to detection of high altitude nuclear tests.

Testimony was also received from Dr. Franklin Long, Assistant Director, and other officials of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, who discussed technical aspects of nuclear weapons test ban proposals.

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Monday, March 11, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed outdoor recreation program bill.
House passed bill providing a 4-year extension of the draft law.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3851–3886

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1053–1060; S.J. Res. 58; S. Con. Res. 29–30; and S. Res. 107. **Pages 3861–3862**

Bills Reported: The following resolutions providing funds for committee operations and studies for the current session were reported as follows:

S. Res. 74, authorizing Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences to make various studies, with an additional amendment ($82,500) (S. Rept. 17);

S. Res. 75, authorizing Committee on Armed Services to investigate matters relating to the national defense ($175,000) (S. Rept. 18);

S. Res. 79, authorizing Committee on Armed Services to study strategic and critical stockpiling, with an additional amendment ($10,000) (S. Rept. 19);

S. Res. 14, authorizing Committee on Banking and Currency to make certain studies ($83,700) (S. Rept. 20);

S. Res. 15, authorizing Committee on Banking and Currency to study housing matters ($106,000) (S. Rept. 21);

S. Res. 26, authorizing Committee on Foreign Relations to continue its study of activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, with amendments ($48,600) (S. Rept. 22);

S. Res. 25, authorizing Committee on Foreign Relations to continue its studies of U.S. foreign policies and their administration, with amendments ($143,000) (S. Rept. 23);

S. Res. 17, authorizing Committee on Government Operations to make certain studies—Permanent Investigating Subcommittee, with amendments ($458,300) (S. Rept. 24);

S. Res. 27, authorizing funds for Committee on Government Operations—Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations, with amendments ($88,000) (S. Rept. 25);

S. Res. 45, authorizing funds for Committee on Government Operations—Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, with amendments ($97,290) (S. Rept. 26);

S. Res. 13, authorizing funds for Committee on Government Operations—Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations, with amendments ($92,250) (S. Rept. 27);

S. Res. 16, authorizing Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs to study certain matters, with an amendment ($100,000) (S. Rept. 28);

S. Res. 95, to provide funds for additional staff for Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (S. Rept. 42);

S. Res. 22, authorizing Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to study matters pertaining to migratory labor ($68,750) (S. Rept. 43);

S. Res. 20, authorizing Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to employ additional clerical assistants, with an amendment (S. Rept. 44);

S. Res. 18, authorizing Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to make certain studies ($69,500) (S. Rept. 45);

S. Res. 12, authorizing Committee on Public Works to investigate certain matters, with amendments ($118,100) (S. Rept. 46);

S. Res. 73, authorizing Committee on Rules and Administration to make certain expenditures and to employ temporary personnel, with amendments ($59,800) (S. Rept. 47);

S. Res. 49, authorizing Select Committee on Small Business to make certain studies, with amendments ($116,090) (S. Rept. 48); and

S. Res. 23, extending Special Committee on Aging through January 31, 1964, and providing $200,400 therefor, with amendments (S. Rept. 49).

The following resolutions authorizing funds for various subcommittees of the Committee on the Judiciary were also reported:

S. Res. 55, Administrative Practice and Procedure, with amendments ($110,600) (S. Rept. 29);

S. Res. 57, Constitutional Amendments, with amendments ($54,423) (S. Rept. 30);

S. Res. 58, Constitutional Rights, with an amendment ($152,300) (S. Rept. 31);

S. Res. 59, Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations, with amendments ($7,000) (S. Rept. 32);

S. Res. 61, Judicial Machinery, with amendments ($92,200) (S. Rept. 33);

S. Res. 60, Immigration and Naturalization, with amendments ($124,200) (S. Rept. 34);

S. Res. 62, Internal Security Act, with amendments ($310,880) (S. Rept. 35);

S. Res. 63, Juvenile Delinquency, with amendments ($173,390) (S. Rept. 36);

S. Res. 64, National Penitentiaries, with amendments ($5,000) (S. Rept. 37);

S. Res. 65, Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights, with amendments ($115,800) (S. Rept. 38);

S. Res. 66, Refugees and Escapees, with amendments ($81,000) (S. Rept. 39);

S. Res. 67, Revision and Codification of the Statutes, with amendments ($27,700) (S. Rept. 40); and

S. Res. 68, Trading With the Enemy Act, with amendments ($55,400) (S. Rept. 41).

Other bills and resolutions were reported as follows:

S.J. Res. 4, to provide for the actual participation of the U.S. in the West Virginia centennial celebration (S. Rept. 50);

S. 92, 97, 208, 234, 436, 506, 574, 596, 688, 193, 195, 421, and 635, private bills (S. Repts. 51–63);

S. Res. 107, providing for appointment of Senators Hayden, Jordan, and Scott to Joint Committee on Printing, and of Senators Jordan, Pell, Clark, Cooper, and Scott to Joint Committee on the Library (no written report); and

S. Con. Res. 30, authorizing printing of additional copies of part 1 of committee print of 87th Congress of "Concentration Ratios in Manufacturing Industries, 1958," prepared for Committee on the Judiciary by Bureau of the Census (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Pages 3858–3859**

Outdoor Recreation: On a division vote (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed S. 20, to provide for the development of Federal and State outdoor recreation programs, after adopting committee amendments and an Anderson amendment respecting advance payments for initial costs of certain research to educational or other nonprofit organizations.

Prior to these actions, Senate rescinded its previous unanimous-consent agreement providing for debate limitation and time for vote on the bill on Tuesday, March 12. **Pages 3886, 3892–3899**

Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group: It was announced that Vice President has appointed Senators McIntyre and Miller as members of Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group. **Page 3863**

Lake Erie Celebration: It was announced that Vice President has appointed as members of the Lake Erie Sesquicentennial Senators Lausche, Young (Ohio), Keating, and Scott. **Page 3863**

Confirmations: Senate received six nominations to be ambassadors as follows: William C. Doherty, of Maryland, to Jamaica; C. Vaughan Ferguson, Jr., of D.C., to Malagasy Republic; Outerbridge Horsey, of D.C., to Czechoslovak Socialist Republic; William R. Rivkin, of Illinois, to Luxembourg; Horace G. Torbert, Jr., of Massachusetts, to Somali Republic; and Olcott H. Deming, of Connecticut, to Uganda. Also confirmed were the nominations of Donald A. Dumont, of New York, to be Minister to the Kingdom of Burundi; and Sigurd S. Larmon, of New York, to be member of the U.S. Advisory Commission on Information. **Page 3906**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for his department from Edward P. Cliff, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CUBAN MILITARY BUILDUP

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed, in executive session, its consideration of the Cuban military buildup, having as its witness Lt. Gen. Joseph Carroll, Director, Defense Intelligence Agency.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 6, establishing a long-range Federal program to assist States in establishing mass transportation facilities.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony on this proposed legislation was received from Senator Lausche.

The full committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider this bill.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the following 14 nominations to be incorporators of the Communications Satellite Corporation: Edward F. Kaiser, of California; David M. Kennedy, of Illinois; Sidney J. Weinberg, of New York; Bruce G. Sundlun, of Rhode Island; A. Byrne Litschgi, of Florida; Beardsley Graham, of Kentucky; Leonard Woodcock, of Michigan; Sam Harris, of New York; George Feldman, of New York; Leonard Marks, of the District of Columbia; John T. Connor, of New Jersey; George L. Killion, of California; Leo D. Welch, of New York; and Joseph V. Charyk, of California.

Mr. Harris, vice chairman of the corporation, was present to testify and answer various questions submitted to him by members of the committee and other Senators present. Also, he submitted written biographical material on all of the nominees.

Testimony in behalf of nominees from their respective States was received from Senators Keating, Javits, Case, Pell, Pastore, Engle, and Hart. Testimony on Messrs. Killian and Kaiser was received from Senator Magnuson, and testimony on Mr. Connor was received from Senator Scott. Senator Anderson, chairman of the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences, also submitted testimony in connection with these nominations.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from Dean Rusk, Secretary of State, and Adrian Fisher, Deputy Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, both of whom discussed foreign policy implications of the current nuclear test ban negotiations.

NATIONAL SECURITY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations began a series of hearings on the administration of national security in the U.S. and abroad, having as its witness Gen. Lauris Norstad, former Supreme Commander of NATO forces, and presently member of the board of directors of Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corp., and president, International Division.

Hearings will continue on Friday, March 22, when subcommittee will have as its witness Assistant Secretary of State W. Averell Harriman.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S.J. Res. 4, to provide for the actual participation of the U.S. in the West Virginia centennial celebration; and 13 private immigration bills (S. 92, 97, 193, 195, 208, 234, 421, 436, 506, 574, 596, 635, and 688). The committee also approved reports of its Subcommittees on Constitutional Amendments, Administrative Practice and Procedure, and Immigration and Naturalization.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on nine private immigration bills (S. 174, 204, 209, 311, 362, 363, 426, 544, and 578).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 55 public bills, H.R. 4696–4750; 23 private bills, H.R. 4751–4773; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 314–321, H. Con. Res. 110 and 111, and H. Res. 287–290, were introduced. Pages 3980–3983

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 682, to permit appointment of new trustees in deeds of trust in D.C. by agreement of the parties (filed on March 8) (H. Rept. 74);

H.R. 1933, regarding the minimum age limitation for the registration of nurses in D.C. (filed on March 8) (H. Rept. 75);

H.R. 1935, to authorize the acquisition, training, and maintenance of dogs to be used in D.C. law enforcement (filed on March 8) (H. Rept. 76);

H.R. 1937, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act and D.C. Fire and Casualty List regarding false statements and penalties (filed on March 8) (H. Rept. 77);

H.R. 1982, to amend the D.C. Traffic Act regarding reporting of collisions of motor vehicles (filed on March 8) (H. Rept. 78);

H.R. 2485, regarding treatment of D.C. minors with venereal disease (filed on March 8) (H. Rept. 79);

H. Res. 287, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 2438, providing a 4-year extension of the draft (filed on March 8) (H. Rept. 80);

H. Res. 288, providing for the consideration of and 4 hours of debate on H.R. 2440, to authorize appropriations for aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels (filed on March 8) (H. Rept. 81);

H.R. 39, relating to appointment of members of D.C. Armory Board (filed on March 8) (H. Rept. 82);

H.R. 3537, regarding increased jurisdiction, and change of name of D.C. municipal court (filed on March 8) (H. Rept. 83);

H.R. 131, to provide for the renewal of certain municipal domestic and industrial water supply contracts entered into under the Reclamation Project Act of 1939 (H. Rept. 84);

H.J. Res. 234, a private resolution (H. Rept. 85); and

H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the Export-Import Bank of Washington may exercise its functions (H. Rept. 86). **Page 3980**

President's Message—Manpower: Received and read a message from the President transmitting his first annual manpower report pursuant to the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962. The message was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. **Page 3909**

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up, considered, and passed:

Police canine corps: H.R. 1935, to authorize the acquisition, training, and maintenance of dogs to be used in D.C. law enforcement. **Page 3909**

Nurses' registration: H.R. 1933, regarding the minimum age limitation for the registration of nurses in D.C. **Pages 3909–3910**

Armory Board: H.R. 39, relating to the appointment of members of the D.C. Armory Board. **Pages 3910–3911**

Trustees—appointment: H.R. 682, to permit appointment of new trustees in deeds of trust in D.C. by agreement of the parties. **Page 3911**

Municipal court: H.R. 3537, regarding increased jurisdiction and change of name of D.C. municipal court. **Pages 3911–3913**

Health: H.R. 2485, regarding treatment of D.C. minors with venereal disease. **Pages 3718–3719**

Insurance—perjury penalty: H.R. 1937, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act and D.C. Fire and Casualty List regarding false statements and penalties. **Pages 3914–3915**

Traffic collision reports: H.R. 1982, to amend D.C. Traffic Act regarding reporting of collisions. **Pages 3915–3916**

U.S.-Mexico Interparliamentary Group: The Speaker announced the appointment on the part of the House of the following members to the U.S. delegation of the Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group for the meeting in Guanajuato, Mexico, on March 18, 1963, Representatives Nix, Chairman, Montoya, McDowell, Zablocki, Macdonald, Wright, Johnson of California, Whalley, Derwinski, Hoeven, Norblad, and Springer. **Page 3916**

Draft Law Extension: By a record vote of 388 yeas to 3 nays the House passed H.R. 2438, to extend the induction provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act, after rejecting by a voice vote a recommittal motion designed to limit the extension to 2 years in lieu of 4 years.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Reduce the maximum draft age to 22 years after July 1, 1963, except in national emergencies;

Limit the extension to 2 years; and

Place greater emphasis on induction of younger registrant nonfathers who have not entered regular employment or continued their formal education.

H. Res. 287, the open rule providing for 2 hours of debate on the bill, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 3916–3937**

Bill Referred: S. 816, providing for the establishment of a Commission on Science and Technology, passed by the Senate on March 8 was referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics. **Page 3959**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PACKERS AND STOCKYARDS ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains held an informal executive discussion regarding the Packers and Stockyards Act. The subcommittee will continue on this subject, in executive session, Tuesday, March 12.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations met in executive session regarding broadcast rating services. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

POPULATION—IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 resumed study on population and immigration problems. Heard testimony from Dr. Nathan Keyfitz, University of Montreal, regarding Canada. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 13.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences heard testimony from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, Office of Space Sciences; and Edgar M. Cortwright, Deputy Director, Office of Space Sciences, both of NASA, regarding National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 12.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 12.

SILVER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard testimony from C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury, on H.R. 4413, to repeal certain legislation regarding the purchase of silver. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 12.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information met in executive session for an organizational meeting.

LEAD-ZINC

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3120, to simplify administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act of October 3, 1961; and H.R. 1492 (amended), a private bill.

Considered H.R. 3845, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act of October 3, 1961.

Testimony was given by Representatives Udall (H.R. 3073 and 3120), Herlong (H.R. 1492), and departmental witnesses (all measures). Hearings continue Tuesday, March 12.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR TEST BAN

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on the current status of the nuclear test ban negotiations from William C. Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

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Tuesday, March 12, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed bill bestowing honorary citizenship on Sir Winston Churchill and debated military procurement authorization bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Thursday, March 14, at noon.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for his Department from Thomas B. Nolan, Director, Geological Survey, Department of the Interior, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Labor, with testimony from Secretary W. Willard Wirtz, who was accompanied and assisted by other officials of the Department of Labor.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRAFT EXTENSION

Committee on Armed Services: Special subcommittee held and concluded hearings on S. 846 to extend for 4 years the induction provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act, with testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower; and numerous public witnesses.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee began executive consideration of S. 6, establishing a long-range Federal program to assist States in establishing mass transportation facilities, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Thursday, March 14.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

Joseph V. Charyk, of California; John T. Connor, of New Jersey; George Feldman, of New York; Beardsley Graham, of Kentucky; Sam Harris, of New York; Edgar F. Kaiser, of California; David M. Kennedy, of Illinois; George L. Killion, of California; A. Byrne Litschgi, of Florida; Leonard Marks, of the District of Columbia; Bruce G. Sundlun, of Rhode Island; Sidney J. Weinberg, of New York; Leo D. Welch, of New York; and Leonard Woodcock, of Michigan, all to be incorporators of the Communications Satellite Corporation;

Kenneth A. Cox, of Washington, to be a member of the Federal Communications Commission;

Paul J. Tierney, of Maryland, to be a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission; and

Capts. James D. Craik and Louis M. Thayer, Jr., both of the U.S. Coast Guard, for promotion to the permanent rank of rear admiral.

Committee also approved S. 1035, extending provisions of section 3 of P.L. 87–346 relating to dual-rate contracts. Committee also approved by appropriate resolution the printing as a Senate document of a compilation of air laws and international air treaties.

Prior to this action, in open session, hearings were held on the nomination of Franklin D. Roosevelt, of New York, to be Under Secretary of Commerce, and Richard H. Holton, of California, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs. Testimony on Mr. Roosevelt's nomination was received from Senator Pell. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

Hearings on Mr. Roosevelt's nomination continue tomorrow.

COFFEE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the 1962 International Coffee Agreement (Ex. H, 87th Cong., 2d sess.), receiving testimony from George C. McGhee, Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; John F. McKiernan, president, National Coffee Association, New York; and John T. Daly, chiel consultant, Consultants on Latin American Trade.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth, having as its witnesses Arthur Sylvester, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs); and George A. Spangenberg, Bureau of Naval Weapons.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAYLOR GRAZING ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Public Lands Subcommittee held an informal executive meeting with members of the National Advisory Board to discuss the Taylor Grazing Act.

"TRUTH IN PACKAGING"

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 387, to prohibit restraints of trade carried into effect through use of unfair and deceptive methods of packaging or labeling, having as its witnesses Jerry Voorhis, executive director, Cooperative League of U.S., Chicago; Esther Peterson, Assistant Secretary of Labor; and R. Allen Hickman, of the Dow Chemical Co., and vice chairman, All-Industry Packaging Committee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Carl E. McGowan, to be U.S. circuit judge for the District of Columbia circuit, with favoring testimony from Senators Douglas and Dirksen; Thomas S. Jackson, D.C. Bar Association; and Frederick A. Ballard, a D.C. attorney. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower met in executive session to consider S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, March 19.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 4774–4804; 10 private bills, H.R. 4805–4814; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 322–325, H. Con. Res. 112–114, and H. Res. 291, were introduced. Pages 4049–4050

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 307, to authorize the disposal of cadmium from the national stockpile (H. Rept. 87);

Three private bills, H.R. 1544, 2291, and 2294 (H. Repts. 88–90, respectively);

H.R. 1087, releasing U.S. rights, title, or interest in certain streets in the village of Heyburn, Idaho, and to repeal the reverter in patent for public reserve, amended (H. Rept. 91);

H.R. 277, relating to the transfer of certain public lands to the Colorado River Commission of Nevada, amended (H. Rept. 92);

H.R. 1892, repealing the Pittman Act, amended (H. Rept. 93);

H.R. 2844, regarding tenure for judges of the U.S. District Court of Puerto Rico (H. Rept. 94);

H.R. 2835, to clarify the status of circuit and district judges retired from regular active service (H. Rept. 95);

H.R. 2845, providing that Federal courts shall be in continuous session (H. Rept. 96);

H.R. 824, to incorporate Science Service, Inc., for the purposes indicated by P.L. 85–875, amended (H. Rept. 97);

H.R. 2842, to amend U.S. Code regarding criminal offenses not committed in any district (H. Rept. 98);

H.R. 2833, amending the Bankruptcy Act as it relates to the examination of attorneys' fees (H. Rept. 99);

H.R. 2849, to amend the Bankruptcy Act regarding deposits of funds of bankrupts' estates (H. Rept. 100);

H.R. 4715, to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation, Inc., amended (H. Rept. 101); and

Six private bills, H.R. 1230, 3623, 3625, 3626, 3627, and 1535 (H. Repts. 102–107, respectively). Pages 4048–4049

U.S.-Mexico Interparliamentary Group: Heard the reading of letters from Representatives Hoeven and Whalley stating their inability to serve as delegates of the U.S.-Mexico Interparliamentary Group for the meeting in Guanajuato, Mexico, on March 18, 1963. The Speaker then announced the appointment of Representatives Reifel and Morse to serve in lieu. Pages 3992, 4047–4048

Churchill: By a record vote of 378 yeas to 21 nays the House passed H.R. 4374, to proclaim Sir Winston Churchill an honorary citizen of the United States of America. Pages 3993, 4002

Military Procurement Authorization: Adopted H. Res. 288, the open rule providing for the consideration of and 4 hours of debate on H.R. 2440, to authorize appropriations during fiscal year 1964 for procurement, research, development, test, and evaluation of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for the armed services. After consuming 1 hour and 43 minutes of the time allocated for general debate, further consideration of the bill was deferred to Wednesday. Pages 4002–4017

Bill Referred: S. 20, to provide for the development of Federal and State outdoor recreation programs, passed by the Senate on March 11, was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 4048

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PACKERS AND STOCKYARDS ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains held an informal executive discussion regarding the Packers and Stockyards Act. Heard testimony from Department of Agriculture and public witnesses.

CADMIUM—MILITARY PAY

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 307, to authorize the disposal of cadmium from the national stockpile.

Considered H.R. 4696 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 3006), to increase the rates of basic pay for members of the uniformed services, but took no final action. The committee will continue, in executive session, on this subject Friday, March 15.

SILVER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard testimony from William McChesney Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, on H.R. 4413, to repeal certain legislation regarding the purchase of silver. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 13.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 404, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act to include fringe benefits. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on pending business. Recessed until Wednesday, March 13.

FOREIGN BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations continued, in executive session, to consider proposed legislation on the foreign buildings program. Heard testimony from James R. Johnstone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Foreign Buildings. Subcommittee will continue on this subject, in executive session, Wednesday, March 13.

CIVIL DEFENSE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations met in executive session and heard testimony from officials of the Office of Civil Defense, Department of Defense, on recent developments in Civil Defense.

MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining considered H.R. 3845, and related bills, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act of October 3, 1961; and H.R. 2888, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the U.S. to the State of Maryland.

Witnesses heard were Representative Lankford (H.R. 2888); departmental witnesses (all measures); and a public witness (H.R. 2888).

FREIGHT FORWARDERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics concluded hearings on H.R. 2090, to place transactions involving unifications or acquisitions of control of freight forwarders under the provisions of section 5 of the Interstate Commerce Act, and to clarify certain provisions of part IV of the act. Heard testimony from Laurence Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; and public witnesses.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings regarding broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 13.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4715 (amended), to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation, Inc.;

H.R. 824 (amended), to incorporate Science Service, Inc., for the purposes indicated by Public Law 85–875;

H.R. 2833, to amend the Bankruptcy Act so as to give the court authority on its own motion to reexamine attorney fees paid or to be paid in a bankruptcy proceeding;

H.R. 2849, to amend section 47 of the Bankruptcy Act;

H.R. 2835, to clarify the status of circuit and district judges retired from regular active service;

H.R. 2842, to amend section 3238 of title 18, U.S. Code, regarding offenses not committed in any district;

H.R. 2844, to provide the same life tenure and retirement rights for judges hereafter appointed to the U.S. District Court for the District of Puerto Rico as the judges of all other U.S. district courts now have; and

H.R. 2845, to provide that the district courts shall be always open for certain purposes, to abolish terms of court and to regulate the sessions of the courts for transacting judicial business.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Resumed hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide an orderly procedure for the disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 13.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences heard testimony from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, and Edgar M. Cortwright, Deputy Director, both of Office of Space Sciences, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, on NASA authorization. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 13.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Edmund C. Buckley, Director, Office of Tracking and Data Acquisition, NASA. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 13.

AMERICAN LEGION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Heard testimony from the commander of the American Legion regarding the Legion's legislative objectives for 1963.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 13.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR EXPLOSION DETECTION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee concluded its hearings on technical aspects of nuclear weapons test ban proposals, after receiving further testimony from Dr. Franklin Long, Assistant Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency of the U.S.

Wednesday, March 13, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed armaments procurement authorization bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Thursday, March 14, at noon.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Dr. Carruth J. Wagner, Chief, Division of Indian Health, Interior Department, on funds for health activities and health facility construction for Indians; and Mrs. James H. Rowe, Chairman, National Capital Planning Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Labor, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from the following Government witnesses: William McCauley, Director, Bureau of Employees' Compensation; John L. Holcombe, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor-Management Reports; William R. Curtis, Bureau of Employment Security; Assistant Secretary Esther Peterson, Director, Women's Bureau; Hugh W. Bradley, Director, Bureau of Veterans' Reemployment Rights; Arthur W. Motley, Director, Bureau of Labor Standards; Charles Donahue, Solicitor; Leonard R. Linsenmayer, Bureau of International Labor Affairs, on funds for trade adjustment activities; Clarence T. Lundquist, Administrator, Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Division, all of the Department of Labor; and Gen. Melvin J. Maas, President's Committee on Employment of Physically Handicapped.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on the nomination of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., of New York, to be Under Secretary of Commerce, where the nominee continued to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

UNITED NATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Organization Affairs held hearings to discuss with Ambassador Adlai Stevenson proceedings of the last U.N. General Assembly, current U.N. accomplishments and shortcomings, and future problems and prospects of that organization, especially in terms of its peace-keeping functions.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from George A. Spangenberg, Bureau of Naval Weapons, and E. A. Niccolinni, Systems Source Selection Board, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio.

The subcommittee also received testimony from John T. McNaughton, General Counsel, Department of Defense, who read the statement of Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 21.

"TRUTH IN PACKAGING"

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 387, to prohibit restraints of trade carried into effect through use of unfair and deceptive methods of packaging or labeling, receiving testimony from Sarah Newman, general secretary, National Consumers League; Albert Halverstadt, vice president, advertising, and J. Gibson Pleasants, vice president, research and development, both of Procter & Gamble Co., Cincinnati; and Dr. Caroline Ware, consultant on consumer problems, President's Consumer Advisory Council.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 19.

VETERANS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs held and concluded hearings on the following bills: S. 274, S. 342, and S. 625, bills to provide Alaskan and Hawaiian veterans care in private hospitals under contract to the VA; S. 331, extension of grants-in-aid to the Republic of the Philippines for the hospitalization of Commonwealth Army veterans; S.

384, to prohibit the eviction of dependents of military personnel where the monthly rental does not exceed $135; S. 412, providing for a waiver of indebtedness to the U.S. in certain cases arising out of default on loans guaranteed or made by the VA; and S. 449, liberalizing provisions of the law relating to automobiles for certain disabled veterans. Testimony, as indicated, was received as follows: Senators Bartlett and Gruening, on S. 625; Senator Fong, on S. 342 and S. 625; Senator Inouye, on S. 274; R. P. Bland, Assistant General Counsel, who was accompanied by other Veterans' Administration officials, who submitted testimony on all of the bills; Lt. Col. Norman Faulknor, U.S. Air Force, representing the Department of Defense, who testified in connection with S. 384; and Francis W. Stover, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Charles Huber, Disabled American Veterans, both of whom discussed all of the bills on the agenda.

The chairman announced that the record would remain open on this proposed legislation until Wednesday, March 20, for the inclusion of additional written material.

NOMINATION, AND COMMITTEE RULES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of William J. Hartigan, to be an Assistant Postmaster General.

Also, committee adopted an amendment to its rules dealing with procedures in handling postmaster nominations, as follows:

> Rule 8. When a nomination for an appointment is referred to the committee, the name of the nominee shall be referred to both Senators from the State in which the nominee resides. If no objection is made by either Senator within 30 days of the date of referral or if no response is received during that period, the nomination shall be considered as not having been contested. If either Senator makes known his objection within 30 days of the referral, or if there is substantial objection from elsewhere, the nomination will be referred to the standing Subcommittee on Contested Nominations. This subcommittee, consisting of three members, will report as soon as possible to the committee. If the committee or the subcommittee decides that a hearing should be held, the subcommittee will fix the hearing date, make a timely insertion in the Congressional Record of the date decided upon, and notify both Senators of the State involved. All interested parties will be given an opportunity to be heard at the hearing. The subcommittee will not report to the full committee until after the hearing date.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following resolutions:

S. Res. 56, authorizing the Committee on the Judiciary to investigate antitrust and monopoly laws ($443,250) (amended);

S. Res. 29, authorizing the Committee on Commerce to make a study of certain matters under its jurisdiction ($330,000);

S. Con. Res. 14, to print as a Senate document a pamphlet entitled "Our Capitol";

S. Con. Res. 26, authorizing the printing as a Senate document a pamphlet entitled "Our American Government: What Is It? How Does It Function?" (amended);

S. Con. Res. 29, authorizing the printing of report by Senator Ellender entitled "A Report on U.S. Foreign Operations in Africa";

S. Res. 72, to print as a Senate document a report on the Colorado River storage project, and participating projects;

S. Res. 99, to authorize the printing as a Senate document of a compilation of materials relating to the history of the Committee on Banking and Currency;

S. Res. 105, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of materials entitled "Summer Employment by College Students in the Federal Government—1961"; and

S. Res. 106, to print additional copies of S. Doc. 117, 84th Congress, relating to the Communist Party of the U.S. (amended).

PATENT POLICIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its hearings into economic aspects of Government patent policies, having as its witnesses Aubrey J. Wagner, Chairman of the Board, Tennessee Valley Authority; Dr. W. D. Maclay, Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture; Frank J. Barry, Solicitor, Department of the Interior; Wassily Leontief, professor, Harvard University; Lee Preston, professor, University of California; and Dr. Richard Nelson, the Rand Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 43 public bills, H.R. 4815–4857; 16 private bills, H.R. 4858–4873; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 326 and 327, H. Con. Res. 115, and H. Res. 292, were introduced. **Pages 4112–4113**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 950, amending the Internal Security Act of 1950 to provide for maximum personnel security in the National Security Agency (H. Rept. 108). **Page 4112**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House sessions today and the balance of the week. Page 4063

Military Procurement Authorization: By a record vote of 374 yeas to 33 nays the House passed H.R. 2440, to authorize appropriations during fiscal year 1964 for procurement, research, development, test, and evaluation of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for the Armed Forces.

A motion to recommit the bill with instructions designed to reduce by 5 percent the procurement funds and by 12½ percent the research and development funds was rejected by a record vote of 149 yeas to 258 nays.

A separate vote on a committee amendment that increased the funds provided for research, development, test, and evaluation of aircraft for the Army by $363,700,000 and earmarked the amount for development of the RS-70 weapons system, resulted in its adoption by a record vote of 226 yeas to 179 nays.

Also adopted a committee amendment that increased procurement funds for naval vessels by $104 million to provide for acquisition of two additional nuclear-type submarines.

The bill authorizes appropriations of $15,856,391,000 for the procurement of armaments and research, development, test, and evaluation of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels. Pages 4064–4092

U.S.-Mexico Interparliamentary Group: Heard the reading of a letter from Representative Zablocki stating his inability to serve as a delegate of the U.S.-Mexico Interparliamentary Group for the meeting in Guanajuato, Mexico, on March 18, 1963. The Speaker then announced the appointment of Representative Cameron to serve in lieu. Page 4096

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAINS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains met in executive session with Department of Agriculture officials on the feed grains program for 1964.

RESERVE TRAINING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 4241, regarding the 6-month Reserve training program. Heard testimony from Lt. Gen. W. H. S. Wright, Chief of Reserve Components, Department of the Army. Hearings continue Thursday, March 14.

SILVER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 4413, to repeal certain legislation regarding the purchase of silver. Hearings continue Thursday, March 14.

D.C. SCHOOL DISCIPLINE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 held a hearing on H.R. 4273 and 4274, regarding disciplinary problems in D.C. schools. Heard testimony from Representative Purcell; Walter N. Tobriner, President, Board of D.C. Commissioners; and Dr. Carl F. Hanson, Superintendent of D.C. Schools. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on pending business. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FOREIGN BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations continued executive consideration of the Foreign Service Buildings Act. Heard testimony from James R. Johnstone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Foreign Buildings. Hearings continue Thursday, March 14, in executive session.

YEMEN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session to hear the Director of the U.S. Agency for International Development Mission to Yemen.

BRAZIL

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session and heard the Finance Minister of Brazil.

CIVIL DEFENSE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations met for an executive briefing on civil defense and related matters. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FROZEN ORANGE JUICE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations heard testimony from Department of Agriculture witnesses regarding frozen orange juice and frozen grapefruit sections contracts. Hearings continue Thursday, March 14.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met with members of National Advisory Board Council for Public Lands.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings regarding broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, March 14.

POPULATION—IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 resumed study of population and immigration problems, and heard Dr. Nathan L. Whetten, dean of the graduate school, University of Connecticut, testify on Mexico.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

NEWS MEDIA

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 (Antitrust) began hearings on concentration of ownership of news media. Heard testimony from Newton N. Minow, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission. Hearings continue Thursday, March 14.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, March 14.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization met in executive session for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEES

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H. Res. 263, to amend the House rules to permit televising and broadcasting of committee meetings; and H. Res. 281, to create a separate standing Committee on Labor. Heard testimony from Representative Landrum (H. Res. 281); and a public witness (H. Res. 263). Hearings on H. Res. 281 continue Thursday, March 14.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, and Edgar M. Cortwright, Deputy Director, both of Office of Space Sciences, NASA. Hearings continue Thursday, March 14.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Edmund C. Buckley, Director, Office of Tracking and Data Acquisition, NASA. Hearings continue Thursday, March 14.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, March 14.

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Thursday, March 14, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate adopted numerous resolutions providing funds for committee investigations.

House adjourned out of respect to Representative Doyle.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4138–4218

Bills Introduced: 41 bills and 9 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1061–1101; S.J. Res. 59–61; S. Con. Res. 31; and S. Res. 108–112. **Pages 4146–4147**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 2438, to extend for 4 years the induction provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act (S. Rept. 64);

S. Con. Res. 29, authorizing the printing of report by Senator Ellender entitled "A Report on U.S. Foreign Operations in Africa" (S. Rept. 65);

S. 1089, authorizing the sale of cadmium from the national stockpile (S. Rept. 66);

S. Res. 56, authorizing the Committee on the Judiciary to investigate antitrust and monopoly laws ($443,250), with amendments (S. Rept. 67);

H.R. 212, relating to the payment of veterans' burial allowances under certain conditions (S. Rept. 68);

H.R. 2085, to permit a deduction for child care by a wife who has been deserted by her husband (S. Rept. 69);

S. Con. Res. 26, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of a pamphlet entitled "Our American Government, What Is It? How Does It Function?" with amendments (S. Rept. 70);

S. Res. 29, authorizing the Committee on Commerce to make a study of certain matters under its jurisdiction ($330,000) (S. Rept. 71);

H.R. 1597, to provide a deduction from income taxes for payment of redeemable ground rent, with amendments (S. Rept. 72);

S. Con. Res. 14, to print as a Senate document a pamphlet entitled "Our Capitol" (S. Rept. 73);

S. Res. 72, to print as a Senate document a report on the Colorado River storage project, and participating projects (S. Rept. 74);

S. Res. 105, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of materials entitled "Summer Employment of College Students in the Federal Government—1961" (S. Rept. 75);

S. Res. 106, to print additional copies of S. Doc. 117, 84th Congress, relating to the Communist Party of the U.S. (S. Rept. 76);

S. Res. 99, to authorize the printing as a Senate document of the history of the Committee on Banking and Currency (S. Rept. 77);

Report of Joint Economic Committee on President's Economic Report, with minority and individual views (S. Rept. 78);

S. 6, establishing a long-range Federal program to assist States in establishing mass transportation facilities, with amendments (no written report);

S. Res. 110, to print as a Senate document for use of Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs a translation of the book "Large Dams of the U.S.S.R." (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 108, permitting certain former employees of the Senate to appear and testify in the case of *Commonwealth of Pennsylvania* v. *Berman* (no written report); and

S. Res. 109, permitting a certain employee of the Senate to appear in Fort Stockton, Tex., to testify before the Review Committee of the State of Texas (no written report). **Pages 4141–4142, 4147**

Bills Referred: 10 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 4138**

Mexico Interparliamentary Group: Vice President appointed to Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group Senator McGovern in lieu of Senator Williams (New Jersey), who was excused from service. **Page 4138**

Trade Expansion: Vice President appointed Senators Talmadge and Williams (Delaware) as the negotiating team on the part of the Senate under provisions of Trade Expansion Act (P.L. 87–794). **Page 4138**

Senate Employees' Testimony: S. Res. 108, permitting certain former employees of the Senate to appear and testify in the case of *Commonwealth of Pennsylvania* v. *Berman,* was adopted. **Pages 4141–4142**

Senate Employee's Testimony: S. Res. 109, permitting a certain employee of the Senate to appear in Fort Stockton, Tex., to testify before the Review Committee of the State of Texas was adopted. **Page 4142**

Printing: S. Con. Res. 29, authorizing the printing of report by Senator Ellender entitled "A Report on U.S. Foreign Operations in Africa," was adopted. **Page 4283**

Printing: S. Con. Res. 26, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of a pamphlet entitled "Our American Government, What Is It? How Does It Function?" was adopted. **Page 4283**

Committee Membership: Senate adopted S. Res. 107, providing for appointment of Senators Hayden, Jordan, and Scott to Joint Committee on Printing, and of Senators Jordan, Pell, Clark, Cooper, and Scott to Joint Committee on the Library. **Page 4218**

Committee Authorizations and Expenditures: Senate adopted the following miscellaneous investigative resolutions:

S. Res. 74, authorizing Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences to make various studies ($82,500);

S. Res. 75, authorizing Committee on Armed Services to investigate matters relating to the national defense (with committee amendment, and after rejecting modified Ellender amendment to reduce authorized funds from $175,000 to $162,000);

S. Res. 79, authorizing Committee on Armed Services to study strategic and critical stockpiling ($10,000) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 14, authorizing Committee on Banking and Currency to make certain studies ($83,700) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 15, authorizing Committee on Banking and Currency to study housing matters (with committee amendment, after rejecting, by 18 yeas to 61 nays, Ellender amendment to reduce authorized funds from $106,000 to $95,000);

S. Res. 29, authorizing the Committee on Commerce to make study of certain matters under its jurisdiction (with committee amendments, after rejecting, by 15 yeas to 58 nays, Ellender amendment to reduce authorized funds from $330,000 to $297,000, and after a Williams (Delaware) amendment to impose certain restrictions on use of counterpart funds was ruled out on point of order);

S. Res. 26, authorizing Committee on Foreign Relations to continue its study of activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals ($48,600) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 25, authorizing Committee on Foreign Relations to continue its studies of U.S. foreign policies and their administration ($143,000) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 17, authorizing Committee on Government Operations to make certain studies—Permanent Investigating Subcommittee ($458,300) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 27, authorizing funds for Committee on Government Operations—Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations ($88,000) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 45, authorizing funds for Committee on Government Operations—Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations ($97,290) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 13, authorizing funds for Committee on Government Operations—Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations ($92,250) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 16, authorizing Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs to study certain matters ($100,000) (with committee amendment);

S. Res. 95, to provide funds for additional staff for Committee on Labor and Public Welfare;

S. Res. 22, authorizing Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to study matters pertaining to migratory labor ($68,750);

S. Res. 20, authorizing Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to employ additional clerical assistants (with committee amendment);

S. Res. 18, authorizing Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to make certain studies ($69,500) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 12, authorizing Committee on Public Works to investigate certain matters ($118,100) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 73, authorizing Committee on Rules and Administration to make certain expenditures and to employ temporary personnel ($59,800) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 49, authorizing Select Committee on Small Business to make certain studies ($116,900) (with committee amendments); and

S. Res. 23, extending Special Committee on Aging through January 31, 1964, and providing $200,400 therefor (with committee amendments).

Pages 4218–4220, 4222–4252, 4271–4274

Committee Authorizations: The Senate adopted the following resolutions authorizing funds for various subcommittees of the Committee on the Judiciary:

S. Res. 55, Administrative Practice and Procedure ($110,600) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 57, Constitutional Amendments ($54,423) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 62, Internal Security Act ($310,880) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 58, Constitutional Rights ($152,300) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 59, Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations ($7,000) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 61, Judicial Machinery ($92,200) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 60, Immigration and Naturalization ($124,200) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 64, National Penitentiaries ($5,000) (with committee amendment);

S. Res. 65, Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights ($115,800) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 66, Refugees and Escapees ($81,000) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 67, Revision and Codification of the Statutes ($27,700) (with committee amendments);

S. Res. 68, Trading With the Enemy Act ($55,400) (with committee amendments); and

S. Res. 63, Juvenile Delinquency ($173,300) (with committee amendments).

Pages 4219–4220, 4252–4271, 4275–4278

Authority To Report: Committee on Banking and Currency was granted time until March 28 to file report, with minority and individual views, on S. 6, to establish a long-range Federal program to assist State and local bodies in the development of mass transportation facilities. **Page 4142**

Printing: The following resolutions providing for printing were adopted:

S. Res. 105, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of materials entitled "Summer Employment by College Students in the Federal Government—1961";

S. Res. 99, to authorize the printing as a Senate document of a compilation of materials relating to the history of the Committee on Banking and Currency;

S. Res. 72, to print as a Senate document a report on the Colorado River storage project, and participating projects;

S. Con. Res. 14, to print as a Senate document a pamphlet entitled "Our Capitol"; and

S. Res. 106, to print additional copies of S. Doc. 117, 84th Congress, relating to the Communist Party of the U.S. **Pages 4278–4279**

West Virginia Centennial: Senate passed without amendment S.J. Res. 4, to provide for the actual participation of the U.S. in the West Virginia Centennial Celebration. **Pages 4274–4275**

Private Bills: 13 private bills were passed, as follows: S. 92, 97, 208, 234, 436, 506, 574, 596, 688, 193, 195, 421, and 635. **Pages 4281–4283**

Condolence Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 112, expressing condolences on the death of Representative Doyle, of California. **Page 4281**

Nominations: Senate received nomination of W. Averell Harriman, of New York, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; and four Navy nominations. **Page 4284**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Troy L. Back, Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review; Representative Schwengel, Vice Chairman, Civil War Centennial Commission; David E. Finley, Chairman, Commission of Fine Arts; former Senator Arthur V. Watkins, Chief Commissioner, Indian Claims Commission; Ernest R. Feidler, Administrator, National Gallery of Art; and Leonard Carmichael, Secretary, the Smithsonian Institution.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Labor, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds from their respective agencies from Frank W. McCulloch, Chairman, National Labor Relations Board; Gen. Wade H. Haislip, Governor, U.S. Soldiers' Home; Leverett Edwards, Chairman, National Mediation Board; William E. Simkin, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; and Howard W. Habermeyer, Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

DRAFT EXTENSION, CADMIUM, AND NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 2438, to extend for 4 years the induction provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act; an original bill (S. 1089) authorizing the sale of cadmium from the national stockpile; and the nomination of Edmund T. Pratt, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee heard Mr. Pratt testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 6, to establish a long-range Federal program to assist State and local bodies in the development of mass transportation facilities. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide $500 million contract authority over a 3-year period, and would extend loan authority on the basis of existing law.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: The committee continued its hearings on the nomination of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., of New York, to be Under Secretary of Commerce, the nominee continuing to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAXATION, AND VETERANS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 1597, to provide a deduction from income taxes for payment of redeemable ground rent (amended by redefining the term "redeemable ground rent"); and without amendment H.R. 2085, to permit a deduction for child care by a wife who has been deserted by her husband; and H.R. 212, relating to the payment of veterans' burial allowances under certain conditions.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of John W. Douglas, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General; Ray W. Hemenway, to be U.S. marshal for the district of Minnesota; Jack T. Stuart, to be U.S. marshal for the southern district of Mississippi; Richard D. Fitzgibbon, Jr., to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Missouri; Robert M. Morgenthau, to be U.S. attorney for the southern district of New York; William J. Nealon, Jr., to be U.S. district judge for the middle district of Pennsylvania; and Carl E. McGowan, of Illinois, to be U.S. circuit judge for the District of Columbia circuit.

Prior to this action, committee held hearings on the nomination of Mr. Douglas, with favoring testimony from Senator Brewster.

EUROPEAN COMMON MARKET

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its hearings in connection with its study of the European Common Market and the national antitrust laws, having as its witnesses Jack N. Behrman, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for International Affairs; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; and Lee Loevinger, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATION

Committee on Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Brig. Gen. Robert E. Seedlock, to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission.

PATENT POLICIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly concluded its hearings into the economic aspects of Government patent policies, after receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Dr. Edward C. Welsh, Executive Secretary, National Aeronautics and Space Council; James Webb, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Dr. Jerome Wiesner, Science Adviser to the President; Richard Whiting, American Patent Law Association; and Capt. Robert A. Lavender, a patent attorney.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 47 public bills, H.R. 4874–4920; 5 private bills, H.R. 4921–4925; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 328 and H. Res. 293, were introduced.

Pages 4136–4137

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of March 20. **Page 4117**

Condolence Resolution: Adopted H. Res. 293, providing for expressions of condolences and sympathy on the death of Representative Clyde Doyle, of the 23d Congressional District of California. After numerous Members had spoken on his life, character, and public service the Speaker appointed the following Members to serve on the funeral committee: Representatives Sheppard, Fisher, Holifield, Miller of California, Price, Willis, Shelley, Hagen of California, Hosmer, Moss, Utt, Bob Wilson, Johansen, Roosevelt, Sisk, McFall, Cohelan, Corman, Brown of California, Burkhalter, Edwards, Hanna, Hawkins, Leggett, Martin of California, Roybal, Van Deerlin, and Charles H. Wilson.

Pages 4135–4136

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESERVE TRAINING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 2421, regarding the 6-month Reserve training program. Heard testimony from Lt. Gen. W. H. S. Wright, Chief of Reserve Components, Department of the Army; Vice Adm. William R. Smedberg III, Chief, Bureau of Personnel, Department of the Navy; and Brig. Gen. Ronald R. Van Stockum, Director, Division of Reserves, Marine Corps. Hearings continue Friday, March 15.

SILVER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Concluded hearings on H.R. 4413, to repeal certain legislation relating to the purchase of silver. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for a briefing by William R. Tyler, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs.

YEMEN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Near East met in executive session for a briefing by the Director of the U.S. Agency for International Development mission in Yemen.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa heard a briefing by Harland Cleveland, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs, on the Congo.

FROZEN ORANGE JUICE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations heard testimony from Department of Agriculture officials regarding Department of Agriculture contracts for frozen orange juice and frozen grapefruit sections.

ELECTION CONTEST

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Elections sustained a motion filed by Representative Olson to dismiss the contested election case of *Odegard* v. *Olson* on the grounds that the contested election statutes had not been followed.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3574, to provide for the withdrawal and reservation for the use of the Air Force Department of certain public lands of the U.S. at Cuddeback Lake Air Force Range, Calif., for defense purposes.

Also considered H.R. 3387, to compensate range users for authorized range improvements where land is taken to be devoted to Federal nonmilitary use. Testimony was given by departmental witnesses (H.R. 3574); and public witnesses (H.R. 3387).

PROFESSIONAL HEALTH TRAINING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to

the House H.R. 12 (amended), to increase the opportunities for training of physicians, dentists, and professional public health personnel.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

BANKRUPTCY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1049, regarding new requirements for courts, in bankruptcy proceedings, to give notice to parties in interest, establish time limitations within which creditors must be held, and within which claims must be filed; and H.R. 2859, to provide for the promulgation of rules of practice and procedure under the Bankruptcy Act.

NEWS MEDIA

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 (Antitrust), continued hearings on concentration of ownership of news media. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, March 15.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Held a hearing on H.R. 1897, to provide an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Government Statistics met in executive session for organizational purposes.

NEW HOPE DAM

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control held a hearing on Cape Fear River Basin, N.C., flood control project (New Hope Dam). Heard testimony from Senator Jordan; Representatives Cooley, Lennon, Henderson, and Kornegay; Governor Sanford, of North Carolina; departmental witnesses; and public witnesses.

A statement was presented for the record by Senator Ervin.

LABOR COMMITTEE

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Representatives Green, Powell, Roosevelt, Frelinghuysen, Thompson, Dent, Holland, Griffin, and Goodell, on H. Res. 281, to create a separate standing Committee on Labor.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on NASA authorization, and heard testimony from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, and Edgar M. Cortwright, Deputy Director, both of Office of Space Sciences, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Edmund C. Buckley, Director, Office of Tracking and Data Acquisition, NASA.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, March 15.

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Friday, March 15, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate cleared for White House bill to extend draft for 4 years.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4307–4336

Bills Introduced: 14 bills and 4 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1102–1115; S. Con. Res. 32; and S. Res. 113–115. Pages 4317–4318

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 4307

Draft Act Extension: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 2438, to extend for 4 years the induction provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act. Motion to reconsider passage was tabled. Pages 4327–4329

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: William J. Hartigan, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Postmaster General; Edmund T. Pratt, Jr., of

New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army; John W. Douglas, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General; Kenneth A. Cox, of Washington, to be member of the FCC; Paul J. Tierney, of Maryland, to be an Interstate Commerce Commissioner; 6 judicial; 3 Coast Guard; 29 Coast and Geodetic Survey; and Brig. Gen. Robert F. Seedlock, U.S. Army, to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission. **Pages 4386–4387**

Nominations: 529 Army nominations were received. **Pages 4385–4386**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of projects for their respective States from Senators Moss and Church; Senator Proxmire, who testified on funds for the extension of the forest products laboratories; and Senator Cooper, on funds for research on strip-mined land in the Appalachian coal region.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 18.

NEW HOPE DAM

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors held hearings in connection with the flood control project New Hope Dam on the Cape Fear River, N.C., receiving testimony from Senator Jordan (North Carolina), who submitted a statement in behalf of himself, Senator Ervin, and Governor Sanford; Representatives Lennon, Henderson, Kornegay, and Cooley; Brig. Gen. Jackson Graham, and Col. Robert C. Marshall, both of the Corps of Army Engineers; Carl Brown, Soil Conservation Service, Department of Agriculture; and numerous public witnesses.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, March 18, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

RESERVE TRAINING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 2421, regarding the 6-month Reserve training program. Heard testimony from Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System; other departmental, and public witnesses.

EQUAL PAY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor, Esther Peterson, Assistant Secretary of Labor; and public witnesses, on equal pay legislation.

RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4423, to permit the Secretary of the Interior to continue to deliver water to lands in the third division, Riverton reclamation project, Wyoming. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

GREAT FALLS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks heard testimony from Representative Marsh and departmental witnesses on H.R. 3694, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to cooperate with the State of Wisconsin in the designation and administration of the Ice Age National Scientific Reserve in the State of Wisconsin.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

NEWS MEDIA

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 (Antitrust) continued hearings on concentration of ownership of news media. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

Monday, March 18, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed 15 miscellaneous bills.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Tuesday, March 19, at noon.

Committee Meetings

DAIRY PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee began a series of hearings on S. 398, S. 900, and S. 953, bills relating to milk marketing orders and dairy price supports, receiving testimony from Senators Ellender and Proxmire; Donald S. Conkey, Georgia Milk Producers, Atlanta; E. W. Gaumnitz, American Butter Institute and American Cheese Institute, Chicago; Fred C. Lowenfels, of Frederick F. Lowenfels & Son, New York City; Floyd McKennon, McKennon Dairy Farms, Snohomish, Wash.; Ken Price, Port Orchard, Wash.; William H. Alexander, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge; and V. F. Ledford, Gulf Milk Association, Franklinton, La.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for various projects in their respective States from Senators Gruening, Nelson, Metcalf, and Hart; and Representatives Bolton and Burton.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held its executive organizational meeting, where it adopted rules of procedure for the current Congress, and approved subcommittee assignments as follows:

Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs—Senators Bible, chairman, McIntyre, and Beall;

Subcommittee on the Judiciary—Senators Hartke, chairman, McIntyre, and Dominick;

Subcommittee on Public Health, Education, Welfare, and Safety—Senators Morse, chairman, Hartke, and Prouty;

Subcommittee on Business and Commerce—Senators McIntyre, chairman, Morse, and Beall;

Ex officio members to Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on the District of Columbia—Senators Bible, McIntyre, and Beall; and

Conferee to Senate Appropriations Committee—Senator Bible.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 39 public bills, H.R. 4926–4964; 22 private bills, H.R. 4965–4986; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 329, H. Con. Res. 116, and H. Res. 294 and 295, were introduced. **Pages 4455–4456**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Veterans—mustering-out payments: H.R. 200, to repeal chapter 43 of title 38, U.S. Code, the mustering-out payment program under the veterans' benefits laws;

VA loan default waivers: H.R. 242, to provide for waiver of indebtedness to the U.S. in certain cases arising out of default on loans guaranteed or made by the Veterans' Administration;

U.S. flag design: H.R. 1048, providing for the design of the flag of the United States;

Bankruptcy Act: H.R. 2833, to amend the Bankruptcy Act, so as to give the court authority on its own motion to reexamine attorney fees paid or to be paid in a bankruptcy proceeding;

Retired judges: H.R. 2835, to clarify the status of circuit and district judges retired from regular active service;

Federal Register: H.R. 2837, to amend further section 11 of the Federal Register Act;

Criminal offenses: H.R. 2842, to amend section 3238 of title 18, U.S. Code, re criminal offenses not committed in any district;

Puerto Rico: H.R. 2844, to provide the same life tenure and retirement rights for judges hereafter appointed to the U.S. District Court for the District of Puerto Rico as the judges of all other U.S. district courts now have;

Federal courts: H.R. 2845, to provide that the district courts shall always be open for certain purposes, to abolish terms of court, and to regulate the sessions of the courts for transacting judicial business; and

Bankruptcy Act: H.R. 2849, to amend section 47 of the Bankruptcy Act.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Public lands transfer: H.R. 277, to amend the act of April 22, 1960, relative to the transfer of certain public lands to the Colorado River Commission of Nevada;

Science Service: H.R. 824, to incorporate the Science Service, Inc., for the purposes indicated by Public Law 85-875;

Pittman Act repeal: H.R. 1892, to repeal the act of October 22, 1919;

Water users' repayments: H.R. 2821, to authorize modification of the repayment contract with the Grand Valley Water Users' Association; and

Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial: H.R. 4715, to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation, Inc.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 131, 199, 214, 220, 228, 243, 248, 249, 307, and 1087. **Pages 4393–4406**

Antitrust Taxation: By a division vote of 35 yeas to 27 nays the House rejected a motion to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 2826, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 with respect to the taxation of dispositions of property (other than stock) pursuant to orders enforcing the antitrust laws. (A two-thirds majority vote is required to suspend the rules.) **Pages 4406–4412**

Bills Referred: 17 Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 4454**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on urban renewal and redevelopment. Heard testimony from a representative of the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency; and public witnesses.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps. Recessed until Tuesday, March 19.

MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3845, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act of October 3, 1961.

Considered H.R. 2888, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the U.S. to the State of Maryland. No final action was taken.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 19.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and Safety held a hearing on H.R. 3507, 4061, and 4415, to accelerate and strengthen the Federal air pollution control program. Heard testimony from Representative Burkhalter; Dr. Luther L. Terry, U.S. Surgeon General; and Ivan A. Nestingen, Under Secretary, both of Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 19.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Dr. Wernher von Braun, Director, Marshall Space Flight Center, NASA; and a public witness. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 19.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 19.

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HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed four sundry bills, clearing two for White House.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4467–4543

Bills Introduced: 36 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1116–1151; S.J. Res. 62–63; and S. Con. Res. 33. **Pages 4473–4474**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1035, extending provisions of section 3 of P.L. 87–346 relating to dual-rate contracts (S. Rept. 79);

Report of Committee on the Judiciary on "Constitutional Amendments," pursuant to S. Res. 259 of the 87th Congress, with individual views (S. Rept. 80); and

Report of Committee on Government Operations on activities of that committee during the 87th Congress (S. Rept. 81). **Page 4473**

Bills Referred: 14 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 4467**

Committee Authorizations: Senate adopted (motion to reconsider tabled) S. Res. 56, authorizing expenditures of $468,250 by Committee on the Judiciary for study of antitrust and monopoly laws, after adopting first committee amendment, which limits the authority to 11 months, and after adopting (motion to reconsider tabled) Dirksen amendment to provide $468,250 for this study. The second committee amendment, which would have authorized $443,250 instead of the $535,000, as reported by the Committee on the Judiciary originally, was withdrawn. **Pages 4547–4553, 4556–4557**

Cadmium: Senate passed without amendment S. 1089, authorizing the sale of cadmium from the national stockpile. **Pages 4543–4544**

Veterans: H.R. 212, relating to the payment of veterans' burial allowances under certain conditions, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. **Page 4544**

Taxation: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 2085, to permit a deduction for child care by a wife who has been deserted by her husband. **Pages 4544–4545**

Taxation: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 1597, to provide a deduction from income taxes for payment of redeemable ground rent. **Pages 4545–4547**

Confirmation: One judicial nomination was confirmed. **Page 4568**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee ordered favorably reported the following 14 nominations, to be incorporators of the Communications Satellite Corporation: Edgar F. Kaiser, of California, David M. Kennedy, of Illinois, Sidney J. Weinberg, of New York, Bruce G. Sundlun, of Rhode Island, A. Byrne Litschgi, of Florida, Beardsley Graham, of Kentucky, Leonard Woodcock, of Michigan, Sam Harris, of New York, George Feldman, of New York, Leonard Marks, of the D.C., John T. Connor, of New Jersey, George L. Killion, of California, Leo D. Welch, of New York, and Joseph V. Charyk, of California.

Prior to this action, hearings were held on these nominations, with testimony in behalf of the nominees from their respective States from Senators Engle and Pell. Mr. Sundlun, who acted as informal spokesman for the group of nominees, answered questions of the committee, as did several of the other individual nominees.

DAIRY PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: The committee continued its series of hearings on S. 398, S. 900, and S. 953, bills relating to milk marketing orders and dairy price supports, with testimony from Representative Stratton; J. Alton Denslow, the National Grange, who was accompanied by Harry L. Graham, dairy consultant, New York State Grange; Otie M. Reed, National Creameries Association; Robert C. Forsythe, Metropolitan Cooperative Milk Producers Bargaining Agency, Syracuse; John C. York, Eastern Milk Producers Cooperative Association, Syracuse; Chester D. Williams, the Wern Farms, Waukesha, Wis.; and Dr. Robert Holland, college of agriculture, Cornell University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from public witnesses on various items in the bill.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from other public witnesses.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., of New York, to be Under Secretary of Commerce; and Richard H. Holton, of California, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee held hearings on bills to establish Federal programs to assist State and local bodies in establishing mass transportation facilities (S. 6, S. 807, and S. 917), receiving testimony from Robert C. Weaver, Administrator, and other representatives of the HHFA; and Rex M. Whitton, Federal Highway Administrator, who submitted a statement.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON BUDGET

Committee on Government Operations: Committee began hearings on S. 537, to create a Joint Committee on the Budget, receiving testimony from Senator Holland and Representative Jensen.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

"TRUTH IN PACKAGING"

Committee on the Judiciary: The Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly resumed its hearings on S. 387, to prohibit restraints of trade carried into effect through use of unfair and deceptive methods of packaging or labeling, with testimony from L. Y. Ballentine, National Association of State Departments of Agriculture, and commissioner of agriculture, State of North Carolina; Carl Stender, chairman, National Conference of Weights and Measures; and Paul Willis, Grocery Manufacturers Association of America, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee with amendments S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 4987–5002; 6 private bills, H.R. 5003–5008; and 1 resolution, H.J. Res. 330, were introduced. **Pages 4576–4577**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 12, to increase the opportunities for training of physicians, dentists, and professional public health personnel (H. Rept. 109). **Page 4576**

Committee To Sit: The Committee on Education and Labor was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House sessions on March 20, 21, and 22. **Page 4569**

Private Calendar: Agreed to dispense with further call of the Private Calendar after passage of the first bill as follows: H.J. Res. 234, to provide for the reappointment of John Nicholas Brown as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. **Page 4569**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DAIRY SURPLUS

Committee on Agriculture: Dairy Subcommittee held a hearing on bills reducing the dairy surplus and stabilizing the income of dairy farmers. Heard testimony from Representatives Reuss, Poage, Thomson of Wisconsin, and Westland; also public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 20.

MILITARY PAY BILL

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 4696, to increase the rates of basic pay for members of the uniformed services. No final action was taken.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps. Recessed until Wednesday, March 20.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements met in executive session for organizational purposes.

GOVERNMENT NEWS MANAGEMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information held a hearing on Government news management. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

TERRITORIAL-INSULAR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2072, to assure payment of just compensation for the use and occupancy of certain lands in Kwajalein and Dalap Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; and H.R. 2073 (amended), to place certain submerged lands within the jurisdiction of the governments of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa.

Testimony was given by departmental witnesses.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 20.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and Safety concluded hearings on H.R. 3507, 4061, and 4415, to accelerate and strengthen the Federal air pollution control program. Heard testimony from Representatives Flood and Halpern; a representative of the Public Health Service; and public witnesses.

D.C. AIRPORTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics concluded hearings on D.C. airports. Heard testimony from Najeeb E. Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency; Representatives Broyhill of Virginia, Long of Maryland; and public witnesses.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Resumed hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 20.

CENSUS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3545, to provide for the taking of the economic census 1 year earlier starting in 1968.

Prior to the executive action, the subcommittee, in open session, considered H.R. 3544 and 4818, regarding the duties of enumerators of the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce. No final action was taken.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from a public witness. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 20.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Ernest W. Brackett, Director, Procurement and Supply, NASA. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 20.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, NASA. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 20.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, March 20.

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Thursday, March 21, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4642–4691

Bills Introduced: 20 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1152–1171; S. Con. Res. 34; and S. Res. 116. **Pages 4644–4645**

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 4642**

Senate Speeches: The Senate heard speeches on various subjects. **Pages 4691–4765**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DAIRY PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued its hearings on S. 398, S. 900, and S. 953, bills relating to milk marketing orders and dairy price supports, with testimony from Gilbert Rohde, Wisconsin Farmers Union, and Reuben L. Johnson, both representing the National Farmers Union; Dr. R. W. Bartlett, department of agricultural economics, University of Illinois; William W. Beckett, Missouri Farmers Association, Columbia; James Reeves, Producers Creamery Co., Springfield, Mo.; William C. Eckles, Pure Milk Products Cooperative, Fond du Lac, Wis.; E. E. Romines, Independent Bankers Association, Houston, Mo.; David L. Middleton, United Milk Producers Cooperative Association of New Jersey, Trenton; Roland Waters, National Farmers Organization, Wisconsin; and Elvis R. Eaton, Cow Milkers' Association, State of Washington.

On Wednesday, March 20, committee received testimony on this proposed legislation from Keith Wallace, Vermont State Farm Bureau, and Percy Hardiman, Wisconsin Farm Bureau Federation, both of whom represented the American Farm Bureau Federation; Patrick B. Healy and Gordon Laughlin, both representing the National Milk Producers Federation; John E. Noakes, Dairymen's League Cooperative Association, New York City; J. M. Benson, of Jefferson, Ohio; and Thomas A. Mackey, of Dorset, Ohio.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, having as its witness Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman, who presented an overall statement on funds for his department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: On Wednesday, March 20, subcommittee concluded its series of hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, after receiving testimony from public witnesses on various items in the bill.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on bills to establish Federal programs to assist State and local bodies in establishing mass transportation facilities (S. 6, S. 807, and S. 917), with testimony from Rex M. Whitton, Federal Highway Administrator; Samuel Mardian, Jr., mayor of Phoenix; John F. Collins, mayor of Boston, who represented the American Municipal Association and the U.S. Conference of Mayors, who was accompanied by Dr. Joseph Maloney, Mass Transportation Commission, Commonwealth of Massachusetts; and George M. Sage, Providence, R.I., representing the Short Line, Inc., the Interstate Busses Corp., and the Englander Coach Lines, Inc.

On Wednesday, March 20, subcommittee received testimony from Robert C. Weaver, Administrator, HHFA; Robert V. Roosa, Under Secretary for Monetary Affairs, Treasury Department, who was accompanied by his associates; and Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TARIFF—MARKING OF PACKAGES

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on H.R. 2513, requiring new packages of imported articles to be marked so as to indicate the country of origin, and amendment thereto, with testimony from Senators Jordan (Idaho) and Magnuson; James A. Reed, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Clarence I. Blau, Assistant Director, Bureau of International Programs, Department of Commerce; O. R. Strackbein, Nationwide Committee on Import-Export Policy; Donald Baldwin, National Lumber Manufacturers Association; Eugene Stewart, Glass Container Manufacturers' Association; B. A. Hungerford, United States Wood Screw Service Bureau; Charles P. Taft, Committee for a National Trade Policy; Richard Riley, Furman Lumber Co., Boston; Sidney S. Postol, City Lumber Co. of Bridgeport, Conn.; Albert A. Block, Albert A. Block & Co., Annapolis, Md.; George Bronz, National Council of American Importers, Inc.; William J. Barnhard, American Chamber of Commerce for Trade With Italy, Inc., and Imported Nut Section of the Association of Food Distributors, Inc.; and Joseph R. MacLaren, Potlatch Forests, Inc., Lewiston, Idaho.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON BUDGET

Committee on Government Operations: On Wednesday, March 20, committee concluded its hearings on S. 537, to create a Joint Committee on the Budget, after receiving testimony from Representative McClory; Joseph Campbell, the Comptroller General of the U.S.; John S. Saloma, assistant professor of political science, MIT; and Lucius Wilmerding, Jr., an author of Princeton, N.J.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth, having as its witnesses Robert S. McNamara, Secretary, and Roswell L. Gilpatric, Deputy Secretary, both of the Department of Defense.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DRUG POLICY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations continued its hearings to examine interagency coordination in drug research and regulation, with testimony from Dr. Norman Kretchmer, department of pediatrics, school of medicine, Stanford University, who discussed pediatric drug problems; Dr. Walter Modell, Cornell University, Medical College, who discussed pharmacological issues; Dr. Hobart Reiman, professor of medicine and preventive medicine, Hahnemann Medical College, Philadelphia, who spoke on antibiotics issues; Dr. Fritz A. Freyhan, director, clinical studies, St. Elizabeths Hospital, who discussed psychopharmacological issues; and Dr. Cortez Enloe (head of the former service, Mediphone), who discussed problems of medical communication.

On Wednesday, March 20, subcommittee resumed these hearings (which were initiated during the 87th Congress), having as its witnesses Dr. John Nestor, New Drug Division, Bureau of Medicine, Food and Drug Administration; and Dr. Charles May, professor of pediatrics, school of medicine, New York University.

These hearings will continue next month, when officials of Federal agencies will testify.

"TRUTH IN PACKAGING"

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly continued its hearings on S. 387, to prohibit restraints of trade carried into effect through use of unfair and deceptive methods of packaging or labeling, receiving testimony from Wilbur J. Cohen, Assistant Secretary for Legislation, and George P. Larrick, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, both of the Department of HEW; Irston Barnes, graduate school of business, Columbia University; and Robert E. Graham, Owens-Illinois Glass Co., Toledo.

On Wednesday, March 20, subcommittee received testimony on this bill from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Harrison F. Dunning, Scott Paper Co., Philadelphia; Lawrence S. Martin, National Association of Frozen Food Packers; and Dr. Ethel Percy Andrus, American Association of Retired Persons.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: On Wednesday, March 20, Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held hearings on all pending public buildings prospectuses, receiving testimony from Representative Lankford; Charles R. Fenwick, Virginia State senator; Lawson B. Knott, Deputy Administrator, who was accompanied by William A. Schmidt, Public Building Services, and Robert T. Davis, Director of Legislation, all of the General Services Administration; Sidney W. Bishop, Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Facilities); Paul Southwick, Area Redevelopment Administration, and David L. Ladd, Commissioner of Patents, who was accompanied by Dr. William W. Eaton, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Science and Technology, all of the Department of Commerce; Randolph W. Thrower, American Bar Association; David S. Kane, American Patent Law Association; and Ralph Blakeslee, Patent Office Society.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 61 public bills, H.R. 5009–5069; 26 private bills, H.R. 5070–5095; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 331–342, H. Con. Res. 117 and 118, and H. Res. 296, were introduced. Pages 4639–4641

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1988, providing for the settlement of claims of certain residents of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (H. Rept. 110);

H.R. 844, declaring that 5,422.69 acres of U.S. land is held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation, amended (H. Rept. 111);

H.R. 845, declaring that 40 acres of U.S. land is held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation (H. Rept. 112);

H.R. 2635, including the Fort Mojave Indian Reservation among reservations excepted from the 25-year lease limitations, amended (H. Rept. 113); and

S. Con. Res. 29, to print with illustrations "A Report on U.S. Foreign Operations in Africa" by Senator Allen J. Ellender (H. Rept. 114). Page 4639

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of March 27. Page 4601

Printing: Agreed to S. Con. Res. 29, to print with illustrations "A Report on United States Foreign Operations in Africa" by Senator Allen J. Ellender. Page 4589

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:13 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DAIRY FARMERS

Committee on Agriculture: Dairy Subcommittee held a hearing on the dairy surplus and stabilizing the income of dairy farmers. Heard testimony from Representative Stratton; and public witnesses.

On March 20, heard testimony from public witnesses.

CIA

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on the Central Intelligence Agency met in executive session and heard a briefing by John A. McCone, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: On March 20, the Subcommittee on Real Estate and Construction met in executive session and approved various pending Air Force, Army, and Navy real estate projects.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 1890, to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 404, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act, to include fringe benefits.

EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: On March 20, Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for an informal meeting with the former Foreign Minister of West Germany; followed by a briefing with William R. Tyler, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs.

MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT

Committee on Government Operations: On March 20, Subcommittee on Military Operations met in executive session for a briefing on military air transportation.

HOUSE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: On March 20, met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 3207, to provide additional office space in the home districts of Members of Congress; and S. Con. Res. 29, to print a report on U.S. foreign operations in Africa.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1096 (amended), to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to cooperate with the State of Wisconsin in the designation and administration of the Ice Age National Scientific Reserve in the State of Wisconsin.

The subcommittee heard testimony on H.R. 3200, to redesignate the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument, and to revise the boundaries thereof, from Representative Olson, and departmental witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, March 22.

INTERIOR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On March 20, ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 1762 (amended), to promote the coordination and development of effective Federal and State programs relating to outdoor recreation;

H.R. 4423, regarding the Riverton reclamation project (third division); and

H.J. Res. 180 (amended), to authorize the continued use of certain lands within the Sequoia National Park by portions of an existing hydroelectric project.

Considered H.R. 3120, to simplify administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act. No final action was taken.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

On March 20, the subcommittee also heard public witnesses on this subject.

HARMONY WEEK

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee a bill designating April 15–21 as National Harmony Week.

Prior to taking action the subcommittee heard testimony, in open hearing, on various National Harmony Week measures from Representatives Horton, Ostertag, Schadeberg, McIntire, and Cleveland.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: On March 20, Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: On March 20, Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 786 (amended), to provide for the settlement of claims of certain inhabitants of the U.S. living in the area inundated by the sudden flood of the Rio Grande as a result of the construction of the Falcon Dam.

Prior to taking action on the measure, heard testimony from Representative Kilgore in open session.

Action was also taken on several private claim bills.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

On March 20, also heard public witnesses, on this subject.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session with J. Edward Day, Postmaster General, and members of his staff.

HAZARDOUS DUTY PAY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On March 20, subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 1159, to authorize the establishment of hazardous duty pay in certain cases, and heard testimony from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission; and public witnesses.

HEALTH TRAINING—HOUSE RULES

Committee on Rules: On March 20 held a hearing on H. Res. 272, to amend rule 21 of the House making it in order to consider on appropriation bills transfers or reductions in appropriations previously made; and H.R. 12, the health professions educational assistance bill.

Testimony was given by Representatives Cannon and Mahon (H. Res. 272), Harris, Devine, and Quie (H.R. 12).

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Brockway McMillan, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, Research and Development; and Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, NASA.

On March 20, the subcommittee heard public witnesses on this subject. Hearings continue Friday, March 22.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, Office of Space Sciences; and another NASA official.

On March 20, the subcommittee heard Dr. Abe Silverstein, Director, Lewis Research Center, NASA, on this subject.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: On March 20, Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, NASA.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

On March 20, heard public witnesses on this subject. Hearings continue Friday, March 22.

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Monday, March 25, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4775–4813

Bills Introduced: 16 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1172–1187; and S.J. Res. 64. **Page 4784**

Treaty Received: Amendments of the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea by Oil, 1954, adopted by a conference of contracting governments at London on April 11, 1962 (Ex. C, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), were received and referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Page 4796**

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., of New York, and of Richard H. Holton, of California, to be Under Secretary, and an Assistant Secretary, respectively, of the Department of Commerce. **Page 4853**

Nomination: One Coast Guard nomination was received. **Page 4853**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Donald A. Williams, Administrator, Soil Conservation Service, who was accompanied by his associates; and Assistant Secretary John P. Duncan, Jr., and S. R. Smith, Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, who were accompanied by their associates.

Testimony was also received from Senator Burdick, on funds for soil conservation items; Senator Carlson, on funds for Agricultural Marketing Service; Senator

Moss, on funds for the Soil Conservation Service; and Senator Monroney, on funds for the watershed protection program.

On Friday, March 22, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for the Farmers Home Administration from Howard Bertsch, Administrator, who was accompanied by other FHA officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee met in executive session to consider proposed amendments to S. 6, Urban Mass Transportation Act, which bill is now pending on the Senate Calendar. Subcommittee adopted several amendments for consideration by the full committee when it meets to consider this proposed legislation on Wednesday, March 27.

On Friday, March 22, the subcommittee concluded its hearings on bills to establish Federal programs to assist State and local bodies in establishing mass transportation facilities (S. 6, S. 807, and S. 917), after receiving testimony from Senator Williams of New Jersey, who was accompanied by his legislative assistant, R. D. Ames, and James E. Palmer, Jr., counsel, Committee on Banking and Currency; Grant Arnold, of Philadelphia, accompanied by Gerald W. Collins and Roland A. Ouellette, who testified in behalf of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and the National Industrial Traffic League; Frank Barton, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Transportation; and Bernard E. Calkins, Rapid Transportation Lines, Inc., Wichita.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

MITCHEL FIELD

Committee on Government Operations: Committee held hearings in connection with the negotiated sale of Mitchel Field, Nassau County, N.Y., receiving testimony from Senator Keating, whose statement was presented by Abbott LeBan; Representative Wydler; Ralph Case, vice chairman, Nassau County Board of Supervisors; G. Frank Dougherty, Nassau County Committee for the Development of Mitchel Field; Chester Lund, Director of Field Administration, Department of HEW; Richard K. Pelz, Special Assistant to the Legislative Counsel, Department of the Interior; and Bernard L. Boutin, Administrator, who was accompanied by other officials of the General Services Administration.

Committee adjourned subject to call.

NATIONAL SECURITY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations concluded its current series of hearings on the administration of national security in the U.S. and abroad, after receiving testimony from Dr. Richard E. Neustadt, professor of government, Columbia University, and former staff member of the Bureau of the Budget and the White House, and author of "Presidential Power."

On Friday, March 22, subcommittee had as its witness Assistant Secretary of State W. Averell Harriman, nominated to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, March 22, subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Bernard M. Decker, to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of Illinois, with testimony from Senators Douglas and Dirksen; and Representative McClory. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

"TRUTH IN PACKAGING"

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, March 22, the Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 387, to prohibit restraints of trade carried into effect through use of unfair and deceptive methods of packaging or labeling, with testimony from R. L. Cheney, Glass Container Manufacturers Institute, New York City; Charles E. Jackson, National Fisheries Institute; Roy Clarkson, Bush Bros., Dandridge, Tenn.; Clinton Fair, AFL–CIO; and E. Robert Kenney, Gloucester, Mass.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 45 public bills, H.R. 5096–5140; 15 private bills, H.R. 5141–5155; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 343–351, H. Con. Res. 119, and H. Res. 297–299, were introduced. Pages 4899–4900

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1989, authorizing the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds, amended (H. Rept. 115); and

Disposition of executive papers (H. Repts. 116–118). Page 4899

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Albert to act as Speaker for Monday, March 25. Page 4853

Committees To Sit: The Select Committee on Small Business was granted permission to sit on March 26, 27, and 28 during general debate of the House sessions. Similar permission was granted the Special Subcommittee on Education of the Committee on Education and Labor for today and the balance of the week. Page 4857

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PEANUTS—RICE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Oilseeds and Rice, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3742, relating to the transfer of producer rice acreage allotments; and H.R. 101, to extend for 2 years the definition of "peanuts" which is now in effect under the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938.

Passed over without prejudice H.J. Res. 192, relating to the validity of certain rice acreage allotments for 1962 and prior crop years.

Prior to the executive session, held an open hearing on H.J. Res. 192 (title above); H.R. 3742 and 1917, identical bills (title above); and H.R. 101 (title above).

Testimony was given by Representatives Clark (H.R. 3742), and Matthews (H.R. 101); Department of Agriculture officials; and public witnesses.

A statement was presented for the record by Representative Fuqua on H.R. 1917.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 resumed hearings on the urban renewal program. Heard testimony from Philip A. Doyle, Director, Redevelopment Land Agency; and Walter N. Tobriner, Chairman, D.C. Board of Commissioners; and public witnesses.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session regarding higher education. No announcements were made.

On March 22 the subcommittee also met in executive session on pending business.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 3000, and similar bills, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation. Heard testimony from Francis Keppel, Commissioner of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

EQUAL PAY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 3861, to prohibit discrimination on account of sex in the payment of wages by employers engaged in commerce or in the production of goods for commerce. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: On March 22 General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 404, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act to include fringe benefits, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT NEWS MANAGEMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations heard testimony from Arthur Sylvester, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs, and Robert Manning, Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs, regarding Government news management.

MINES—MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining heard testimony from George A. Lamb, Director of Coal Research, and John M. Kelly, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, both of the Department of the Interior, regarding a review of programs underway and planned by the Office of Coal Research.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On March 22 Subcommittee on National Parks heard testimony from Department of the Interior witnesses on H.R. 3200, to designate the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument and to revise the boundaries thereof; H.R. 4893, relating to age limits in connection with appointments to the U.S. Park Police; and H.R. 1162, to consolidate Vicksburg National Military Park and to provide for certain adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: On March 22 Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services and heard testimony from public witnesses.

POLITICAL BROADCASTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: On March 22 Subcommittee on Communications and Power heard testimony from Representatives Hemphill and Miller of New York, chairman, Republican National Committee, and John Bailey, chairman, Democratic National Committee, regarding political broadcasts.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Albert F. Siepert, Director, Office of Administration, and Ernest W. Brackett, Procurement and Supply, both of NASA.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

On March 22 also heard public witnesses on this subject. Hearings continue Tuesday, March 26.

Thursday, March 28, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House committee approved bill to establish a Youth Conservation Corps.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5015–5090

Bills Introduced: 42 bills and 6 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1188–1229; S.J. Res. 65–67; S. Con. Res. 35; and S. Res. 117–118. **Pages 5021–5022**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 6, establishing a long-range Federal program to assist in development of mass transportation facilities, with individual views (S. Rept. 82); and

Amendment (in nature of a substitute) to S. 6, establishing a long-range Federal program to assist in development of mass transportation facilities, with minority and individual views (S. Rept. 83). **Pages 5018–5019**

Cloture: By unanimous consent, S. Res. 9, 10, and 80, all respecting Senate rules on cloture, were taken from calendar and ordered to lie on the table. **Page 5033**

Committee Staffs: S. Res. 81, respecting distribution of staff members of Senate committees, was, by unanimous consent, taken from calendar and ordered to lie on the table. **Page 5033**

Confirmation: One judicial nomination was confirmed. **Page 5153**

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Brewster H. Morris, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Chad; and one civilian nomination. **Pages 5139–5153**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Senators Morse and Pearson; and the following departmental witnesses in behalf of funds for their respective offices: Harry C. Trelogan, Administrator, Statistical Reporting Service; Joseph G. Knapp, Administrator, Farmer Cooperative Service; Alex C. Caldwell, Administrator, Commodity Exchange Authority; Willard W. Cochrane, Director of Agricultural Economics, and Nathan M. Koffsky, Administrator, Economic Research Service; Dr. Foster E. Mohrhardt, Director, National Agricultural Library; and Harold R. Lewis, Acting Director, Office of Information.

On Wednesday, March 27, subcommittee received testimony from Joseph M. Robertson, Administrative Assistant Secretary, on funds for general administration; John C. Bagwell, General Counsel; and A. T. Mace, Administrator, Office of Rural Areas Development.

On Tuesday, March 26, subcommittee received testimony from Raymond A. Ioanes, Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service; John P. Duncan, Jr., Assistant Secretary, and Horace D. Godfrey, Administrator, Commodity Stabilization Service; and John N. Luft, Administrator, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: On Wednesday, March 27, subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, with testimony from Secretary Anthony Celebrezze and Commissioner of Education Francis Keppel, who were accompanied by their associates.

On Tuesday, March 26, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from George P. Larrick, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration; and Mary E. Switzer, Director, Office of Vocational Rehabilitation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OFFICER GRADE LIMITATION

Committee on Armed Services: The Officer Grade Limitation Subcommittee met in executive session with Secretary of the Army Cyrus R. Vance to discuss Army general officer promotion policies.

CIA BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: On Wednesday, March 27, the Central Intelligence Agency Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing from CIA Director John A. McCone.

BUREAU OF THE MINT

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Tuesday, March 26, Subcommittee on Financial Institutions held hearings on S. 874, authorizing construction of buildings required in connection with the operations of the Bureau of the Mint, with testimony from Representative Rogers of Colorado; Robert A. Wallace, assistant to the Secretary of the Treasury; and Eva Adams, Director of the Mint.

Subcommittee announced that the record on this hearing would remain open until Tuesday, April 2, for the inclusion of additional written material, at which time it will act on this proposed legislation.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: On Wednesday, March 27, committee, in executive session, agreed to report an amendment in the nature of a substitute bill to S. 6, proposed Mass Transportation Act, which bill is pending on the Senate Calendar. This substitute amendment would embody five recommendations submitted to the committee by its Surface Transportation Subcommittee.

Also, committee announced that it had appointed a subcommittee to consider S. 774, proposed Quality Stabilization Act, membership of which subcommittee is Senators Hartke (chairman), Cannon, Morton, and Scott.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Tuesday, March 26, Subcommittee on Public Health, Education, Welfare, and Safety held hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 1933, to lower the age requirement for the registration of nurses from 21 to 19 years of age, with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; Katharine M. Knauff, director of nursing, Washington Hospital Center; Marian B. Watkins, Capital City School of Nursing; Ellen Gloyd, Graduate Nurses Association; Joyce Minor, a student nurse, Freedmen's Hospital; and Mrs. Nell Stephens, a D.C. citizen;

S. 933, to relax the geographic practicing requirement for the licensing of practical nurses in the D.C., with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer; Samuel Fusco, Department of Occupations and Professions, D.C.; Lucille Kinlein, Practical Nurses Examining Board; Jo V. Morgan, Jr., and Mary C. Clapp, both representing the Association of Undergraduate and Practical Nurses of the D.C.; and Ella Moran, Martha Washington Vocational School;

S. 994, relating to the method of collecting assessments on condemned buildings, with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer; and Laurence J. Eagan, D.C. Finance Office;

S. 999, to eliminate the requirement for an annual school census in the D.C., with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer; and Mrs. Alice C. Sheldon, School Attendance and Work Permits Section, D.C. Schools;

S. 1078, authorizing funds for operating the Office of Central Management of the Food Services Department in the D.C. public schools, with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer; and George E. S. Reynolds, Assistant Superintendent in Charge of Business Administration, and Mrs. Aleta L. Swingle, Food Services Department, both of the D.C. schools; and

H.R. 2485, authorizing, without parental or guardian consent, treatment of minors who have a venereal disease, with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer; and Dr. Murray Grant, Director, Department of Public Health, D.C.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: The committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and will meet again tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth, having as its witnesses the following members of the Source Selection Board: Rear Adm. F. L. Ashworth, U.S. Navy; and Maj. Gen. R. G. Ruegg, Brig. Gen. A. T. Culbertson, Maj. Gen. J. H. Moore, Maj. Gen. T. Allen Bennett, and Col. John L. Gregory, all of the Air Force.

Members of this Board also served as witnesses for the subcommittee on Wednesday, March 27.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 2, also in executive session.

SLEEPING BEAR DUNES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Public Lands Subcommittee began hearings on S. 792, to establish in Michigan the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, with testimony from Senators Hart and McNamara; Representatives Griffin and Staebler; Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; Jerome P. Cavanaugh, mayor of Detroit; Charles H. Callison, National Audubon Society, New York City; Clan Crawford, Ann Arbor; and Joseph F. Wright, Birmingham, Mich.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WILDERNESS PRESERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Wednesday, March 27, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 4, to establish a National Wilderness Preservation System.

WATER DELIVERY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Tuesday, March 26, the Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee held hearings on S. 982, authorizing continued delivery of water to lands of the third division, Riverton Federal reclamation project, Wyoming, with testimony from Senators Simpson and McGee; Gov. Clifford Hansen, of Wyoming; and Gilbert G. Stamm, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Tuesday, March 26, the Public Lands Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration S. 22, releasing the interest of the U.S. in certain streets in the village of Heyburn, Idaho; S. 247, authorizing survey and establishment of a townsite for the Juneau Indian Village in Alaska; S. 394, a private bill; S. 873, to convey certain public lands in Nevada to the county of Lincoln; and H.R. 277, relating to the transfer of certain public lands to the Colorado River Commission of Nevada.

Prior to this action, subcommittee held hearings on the following measures:

S. 22, with testimony from Senator Church; and William A. Reed, Bureau of Reclamation;

S. 247, with testimony from John O. Crow, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Lewis A. Sigler, Office of the Solicitor;

S. 394, 873, H.R. 277, S. 535, extending the principles of equitable adjudication to sales under the Alaska Public Sale Act, and H.R. 2291 and H.R. 2294, private bills, with testimony from Karl S. Landstrom and Irving Senzel, both of the Bureau of Land Management; and

H.R. 1544, a private bill, with testimony from William A. Reed.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, but did not conclude action thereon, and will continue its consideration on Monday, April 1.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Tuesday, March 26, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 233 postmaster nominations and the nomination of Fred Gates, to be a member of the Advisory Board of the Post Office Department.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 124 public bills, H.R. 5156–5279; 32 private bills, H.R. 5280–5311; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 352–360, H. Con. Res. 120–122, and H. Res. 300 and 301, were introduced. Pages 4919, 5010–5014

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4423, permitting the Secretary of the Interior to continue to deliver water to lands in the third division, Riverton reclamation project, Wyoming (H. Rept. 119);

Thirty-nine private bills, H.R. 1213, 1292, 1267, 1286, 1428, 1447, 1459, 1561, 1853, 1876, 2179, 2245, 2257, 2292, 2300, 2302, 2326, 2327, 2699, 2700, 6709, 2708, 2728, 2736, 2743, 2772, 2798, 3022, 3029, 3240, 3356, 3369, 3450, 3624, 3662, 3755, 4214, 4349, and 4965 (H. Repts. 120–158, respectively);

H.R. 1049, amending the Bankruptcy Act with respect to the filing of claims in chapter XI proceedings (H. Rept. 159);

H.R. 1762, promoting the coordination and development of effective programs relating to outdoor recreation (H. Rept. 160);

H.R. 2364, for the relief of the Clay County Hospital, Brazil, Ind. (H. Rept. 161);

H.R. 2859, to provide for the promulgation of rules of practice and procedure under the Bankruptcy Act (H. Rept. 162);

H.J. Res. 180, authorizing the continued use of certain lands within the Sequoia National Park by portions of an existing hydroelectric project, amended (H. Rept. 163);

H.R. 4555, extending provisions of section 3 of Public Law 87–346 relating to dual rate contracts (H. Rept. 164);

H.R. 4347, to limit the authority of the Veterans' Administration and the Bureau of the Budget with respect to new construction or alteration of veterans' hospitals, amended (H. Rept. 165);

H.J. Res. 282, designating the week of April 15, 1963, as National Harmony Week (H. Rept. 166);

For details of House Reports 167–173, inclusive, see under heading of "Printing Resolutions" elsewhere in this DIGEST.

H.R. 3120, simplifying administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act of October 3, 1961 (76 Stat. 766) amended (H. Rept. 174);

H.R. 3845, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act of 1961, with respect to confinement of benefits to small producers, amended (H. Rept. 175);

Committee on Un-American Activities annual report for 1962 (H. Rept. 176); and

H.R. 5379, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 177). **Pages 5009–5010**

Ground Rent Tax: H.R. 1597, to provide a deduction for payment of redeemable ground rents, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to a Senate amendment thereto. **Page 4919**

Pan American Day: Adopted H. Res. 300, designating April 11 as Pan American Day and providing for its observance by the House of Representatives. **Page 4919**

National Harmony Week: Adopted H.J. Res. 282, providing for designating the week of April 15 as National Harmony Week. **Pages 4919–4922**

Printing Resolutions: Adopted the following resolutions authorizing the printing of congressional documents:

"Our Flag": H. Con. Res. 86, to authorize the printing as a House document the pamphlet entitled "Our Flag" (H. Rept. 167);

Government functions: S. Con. Res. 26, to authorize the printing as a Senate document the pamphlet entitled "Our American Government—What Is It? How Does It Function?" (H. Rept. 168);

U.S. wall map: H. Con. Res. 98, to authorize the printing of a wall map of the United States (H. Rept. 169);

Legislative procedure: H. Con. Res. 108, to provide for the printing of "How Our Laws Are Made" as a House document (H. Rept. 170);

U.S. Constitution: H. Con. Res. 119, to print as a House document the Constitution of the United States, with an analytical index and ancillaries regarding proposed amendments (H. Rept. 171);

Judicial procedure: H. Res. 296, to print as a House document the Fourth Annual Report of the Commission on International Rules of Judicial Procedure (H. Rept. 172); and

"Our Capitol": S. Con. Res. 14, to print as a Senate document with illustrations a pamphlet entitled "Our Capitol" and to print additional copies thereof (H. Rept. 173). **Pages 4922–4923**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of April 3. **Page 4945**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MEXICAN FARM LABOR

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Equipment, Supplies, and Manpower held a hearing on H.R. 2009 and H.R. 1836, to amend title V of the Agricultural Act of 1949, regarding Mexican farm labor. Heard testimony from Representatives Foreman, Chenoweth, and Mahon; and public witnesses.

March 27, the subcommittee heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; and other departmental and public witnesses.

FEED GRAINS PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: March 26 Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4997 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 3874), to extend the feed grains program.

INTERIOR AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5279, the Department of Interior and related agencies authorization bill.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued hearings on the military construction authorization and concluded the Army title of the bill. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

March 26 and 27, heard departmental witnesses.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 3881 (amended), the urban mass transportation bill.

March 27, considered H.R. 3881, and related bills, in executive session.

D.C. HOUSING

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 held a hearing on proposed regulations against discrimination in housing in D.C. Heard testimony from D.C. officials.

D.C. SCHOOL DISCIPLINE

Committee on the District of Columbia: On March 26 Subcommittee No. 6 held a hearing on H.R. 4273, and related bills, regarding D.C. school discipline. Testimony was given by D.C. officials; and public witnesses.

YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5131 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 1890), to authorize the establishment of a Youth Conservation Corps.

On March 26 the committee met in executive session to consider this bill.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued in executive session regarding higher education.

On March 26 and 27 also met in executive session to consider higher education.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: On March 27, General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation. Hearings were concluded.

On March 26 the subcommittee also heard public witnesses on this subject.

EQUAL PAY

Committee on Education and Labor: On March 27, Special Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 3861, to prohibit discrimination on account of sex in the payment of wages by employers engaged in commerce or in the production of goods for commerce. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

On March 26 the subcommittee also heard public witnesses on this subject.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: On March 26, General Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on H.R. 404, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act to include fringe benefits. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements heard testimony from Edward R. Murrow, Director, U.S. Information Agency, regarding U.S. ideological offensive.

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: March 26, Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session on the Foreign Service Buildings Act.

ORANGE JUICE

Committee on Government Operations: On March 26, Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations heard testimony from Department of Agriculture witnesses regarding frozen orange juice and grapefruit sections. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PRINTING RESOLUTIONS

Committee on House Administration: On March 27, met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following resolutions:

H. Con. Res. 86, to authorize printing as a House document the pamphlet "Our Flag";

S. Con. Res. 26, to authorize the printing as a Senate document the pamphlet entitled "Our American Government—What Is It? How Does It Function?" by Wright Patman;

H. Con. Res. 98, to authorize a single sheet map to be substituted for the two sheet U.S. map authorized in the 87th Congress;

H. Con. Res. 108, to provide for the printing of "How Our Laws Are Made";

H. Con. Res. 119, to print the "U.S. Constitution—Text With Analytical Index—Unratified Amendments";

H. Res. 296, to print as a House document the "Fourth Annual Report of the Commission on International Rules of Judicial Procedure"; and

S. Con. Res. 14, to print as a Senate document with illustrations, a pamphlet entitled "Our Capitol."

WATER RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held informational hearings on policies and procedures applicable to the planning of water resources development projects with emphasis on the benefits and allocations to fish and wildlife and to recreation. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

INTERIOR–INSULAR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On March 27, ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 3120 (amended), to simplify administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act;

H.R. 1492 (amended), a private bill;

H.R. 3574, regarding use by the Air Force of certain public lands at Cuddeback Lake Air Force Range, Calif., for defense purposes;

H.R. 3845 (amended), to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act;

H.R. 2072, to assure payment of just compensation for use and occupancy of certain lands on Kwajalein and Dalap Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; and

H.R. 2073 (amended), to place certain submerged lands under the jurisdiction of the governments of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa.

MINES—MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On March 26, Subcommittee on Mines and Mining concluded review of programs underway and planned by the Office of Coal Research. Heard testimony from George A. Lamb, Director of Coal Research, Department of the Interior; Dr. Jerome B. Wiesner, Science Adviser to the President, and Director of the Office of Science and Technology; other departmental witnesses; and public witnesses.

D.C. AIRPORT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics heard testimony from Najeeb Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency, regarding H.R. 826, and related bills, to provide for the operation of the federally owned civil airports in D.C. or its vicinity. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and Safety held a hearing on H.R. 2567, and related bills, regarding mental health and mental retardation facilities, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

On March 27, the subcommittee heard testimony from Gov. Frank Clement, of Tennessee; and other public witnesses, on this subject.

On March 26 the subcommittee heard testimony from Representative Pepper, Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; other departmental witnesses; and public witnesses.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

On March 26 and 27 the subcommittee also heard public witnesses on this subject.

AUDITS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4223, to provide for audit of accounts of private corporations established under Federal law.

Prior to taking action on the measure, heard testimony, in open session, from Government Accounting Office representatives and public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION—POPULATION STUDY

Committee on the Judiciary: On March 27, Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills. Also resumed immigration and population study, and heard testimony from Dr. George W. Roberts, University of the West Indies, on the Caribbean.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: On March 27, Subcommittee No. 2 ordered favorably reported to the full committee H.R. 5042, for the relief of certain officers of the naval service erroneously in receipt of compensation based upon an incorrect computation of service for basic pay.

Also took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: On March 26, met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 1049, to set forth new requirements for courts in bankruptcy proceedings, to give notice to parties in interest, establish time limitations within which the first meeting of the creditors must be held, and establish time limitations within which claims must be filed;

H.R. 2859, to provide for the promulgation of rules of practice and procedure under the Bankruptcy Act; and

H.J. Res. 282, designating the week beginning April 15, 1963, as National Harmony Week.

Also took action on several private immigration and private claim bills.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

On March 26 and 27 also heard public witnesses on this subject.

DUAL RATE CONTRACTS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: On March 27 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4555, to extend the provisions of section 3 of Public Law 87–346, relating to dual contracts.

HEALTH BENEFITS PLANS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1819, to amend the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act of 1959 to provide additional choice of health benefits.

Prior to taking action on the measure heard testimony from Representatives Olsen and Cunningham; and John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission.

TEMPORARY SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: March 27 Subcommittee concluded hearings on H.R. 10, and related bills, to extend the apportionment requirement in Civil Service Act to temporary summer employment. Heard testimony from Representatives Beckworth, Fulton, and Vanik; and John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission.

RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: March 26, subcommittee, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3612, to define the term "child" for lump-sum payments under the Civil Service Retirement Act; and H.R. 3517 and 4820, related bills, regarding Government contribution for expenses incurred in administration of the Retired Federal Employees Health Benefits Act.

Prior to taking action the subcommittee heard testimony in an open hearing from a departmental witness on all three measures.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program met in executive session. Announced that public hearings will begin April 30 on construction practices on the Federal-aid highway program in Arizona.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences heard testimony from Dr. Raymond L. Bisplinghoff, Director, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, on the NASA authorization.

March 27, the subcommittee heard Dr. Bisplinghoff.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: March 27, Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight held a hearing on the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Testimony was given by D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Manned Space Flight, NASA; and William E. Lilly, Director, Program Review and Resources Management, Office of Manned Space Flight, NASA.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: On March 26, Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition heard testimony from Dr. S. Fred Singer, Director, National Weather Satellite Center, on the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

VETERANS' HOSPITALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4347 (amended), to limit the authority of the Veterans' Administration and the Bureau of the Budget with respect to new construction or alteration of veterans' hospitals.

SILVER TRANSFER TAX

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session regarding repeal of the silver transfer tax.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: On March 26, continued hearings on the President's tax recommendations, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

March 27, the committee concluded the hearings on the President's tax recommendations with testimony from public witnesses.

SMALL BUSINESS

Select Committee on Small Business: Heard testimony from various departmental witnesses regarding organization and operation of the Small Business Administration, and small business in foreign trade.

March 26 and 27, the committee also heard departmental witnesses on this subject.

Joint Committee Meetings

DEFENSE PROCUREMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Defense Procurement began a series of hearings to review progress that has been made in improving the efficiency of the supply and procurement activities of the Department of Defense, and their impact on the economy. Witnesses heard were Representative Bonner; Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara; and Bernard L. Boutin, Administrator, General Services Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Monday, April 1, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bill on dual-rate contracts and took up mass transit bill.

House passed 15 sundry bills including one to increase veterans' dependents' compensation.

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5247–5285

Bills Introduced: 20 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1230–1249. Page 5252

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of Committee on Government Operations entitled "Intergovernmental Relations," pursuant to S. Res. 359, of the 87th Congress, 1st session (S. Rept. 84); and

Report of the Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Immigration and Naturalization," pursuant to S. Res. 263, 87th Congress, 1st session (S. Rept. 85). Pages 5250–5252

Bills Referred: One House-passed joint resolution and four House-passed concurrent resolutions were referred to appropriate committees. Page 5248

Dual-Rate Contracts: Senate passed without amendment S. 1035, extending provisions of section 3 of P.L. 87-346 relating to dual-rate contracts. Pages 5249–5250

Authority To Report: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations was granted extension of time until June 30, 1963, to file reports on (1) involving Department of Agriculture handling of the pooled cotton allotments of Billie Sol Estes, (2) pyramiding of profits and costs in the missile procurement program, and (3) the American Guild of Artists. Page 5260

Mass Transit: Senate began consideration of S. 6, proposed Mass Transportation Act of 1963. Pages 5285–5288, 5316–5342

Treaties Received: Senate received (1) Protocol, dated at Rome, September 15, 1962, to amend the Convention on International Civil Aviation (Ex. D, 88th Cong., 1st sess.); and (2) Convention of Extradition between the Governments of the United States and of Israel, signed at Washington, December 10, 1962 (Ex. E, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

Both of these treaties were referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 5248

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nomination of Fred Gates, of Minnesota, to be a member of the Advisory Board for the Post Office Department, and 233 postmasters. Pages 5348–5349

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of George C. McGhee, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Germany; and of Roger Hilsman, Jr., of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State. Page 5348

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Byron T. Shaw, Administrator, Agricultural Research Service; T. C. Byerly, Administrator, Cooperative State Experiment Station Service; E. T. York, Jr., Administrator, Federal Extension Service; Glen R. Harris, Chairman, Federal Farm Credit Board, and R. B. Tootell, Governor, Farm Credit Administration.

On Friday, March 29, subcommittee received testimony from Senator Allott, on funds for soil and water conservation research; and from Mr. Shaw.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, March 29, subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their departments from Luther L. Terry, Surgeon General, and Robert Anderson, Deputy Chief, Bureau of State Services, both of the Public Health Service.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittees on Deficiencies and Supplementals began a series of hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments or agencies from officials of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, District of Columbia government, Veterans' Administration, HHFA, GSA, Civil Service Commission, Disaster Relief, Office of Emergency Planning, and Civil Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: The Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee held hearings on the following bills:

S. 927, to remove certain limitations with respect to war risk insurance issued under title 12 of the Merchant Marine Act, with testimony from J. W. Gulick, Deputy Administrator, Maritime Administration, and Alexander Purdon, United States Lines Co., New York;

S. 928, providing that owners of vessels requisitioned by the U.S. shall be accorded preference in reacquiring same when released, with testimony from Frank A. Nemec, Lykes Bros. S. S. Co., Inc., New Orleans;

S. 969, to provide medical care for certain Coast and Geodetic Survey retired ships' officers and crew members and their dependents, with testimony from Capt. Edgar F. Hicks, Jr., Assistant to Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey;

S. 583, making present provisions of law for transferring in a national emergency personnel and equipment of the Coast and Geodetic Survey to the Army and Navy equally applicable to the Air Force, with testimony from Capt. Edgar F. Hicks, Jr.; and C. F. Gilchrist, Office of Deputy Chief of Staff, Plans and Programs, who was accompanied by Col. Thomas B. Whelan and Lt. Col. John T. Hughes, all of the Air Force;

S. 1032, to exclude cargo which is lumber from certain tariff filing requirements under the Shipping Act, with testimony from Thomas E. Stakem, Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission, and E. O. Thompson, West Coast Lumbermen's Association, Washington, D.C., and John N. Thurman, Pacific-American Steamship Association; and

H.R. 79 and S. 82, to require authorization for certain appropriations for the Coast Guard, with testimony from James A. Reed, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, who was accompanied by Adm. Edwin J. Roland, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, March 29, committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

ELECTRIC POWER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held and concluded hearings on S. 1007, guaranteeing electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region, with testimony from Charles F. Luce, Administrator, Bonneville Power Administration; and Gordon C. Culp, of Seattle, representing Corporate Services, Inc.

SLEEPING BEAR DUNES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, March 29, the Public Lands Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 792, to establish in Michigan the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, with testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 3.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 39 public bills, H.R. 5312–5349 and 5366; 16 private bills, H.R. 5350–5365; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 361–367, H. Con. Res. 123–125, and H. Res. 302, were introduced. **Pages 5218–5219**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3574, providing for the withdrawal and reservation for use of the Department of the Air Force of certain public lands at Cuddeback Lake Air Force Range, Calif. (H. Rept. 178); and

H.R. 5366, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 179). **Page 5218**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Cadmium: S. 1089 (in lieu of H.R. 307), to authorize the sale, without regard to the 6-month waiting period prescribed, of cadmium proposed to be disposed of pursuant to the Strategic and Critical Materials Stock Piling Act.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Veterans—deafness: H.R. 199, to provide additional compensation for veterans having the service-connected disability of deafness of both ears;

Veterans—aphonia: H.R. 214, to provide additional compensation for veterans suffering the loss or loss of use of both vocal cords, with resulting complete aphonia;

Veterans—insurance: H.R. 220, to permit the conversion or exchange of policies of national service life insurance to a new modified life plan;

Veterans—increased compensation: H.R. 243, to authorize payment of statutory awards for each anatomical loss or loss of use specified in section 314(k) of title 38, U.S. Code;

Veterans—paraplegic housing: H.R. 248, to provide assistance in acquiring specially adapted housing for certain blind veterans who have suffered the loss or loss of use of a lower extremity;

Indians: H.R. 845, declaring that 40 acres of U.S. land is held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation; and

Pacific islands claims: H.R. 1988, providing for the settlement of claims of certain residents of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Water supply contracts renewal: H.R. 131, to provide for renewal of certain municipal, domestic, and industrial water supply contracts entered into under the Reclamation Project Act of 1939;

Veterans—Philippine hospital: H.R. 249, to provide an extension of the program of grants-in-aid to the Republic of the Philippines for the hospitalization of certain veterans;

Indians: H.R. 844, declaring that 5,422.69 acres of U.S. land is held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation;

Heyburn, Idaho: H.R. 1087, to release the right, title, or interest, if any, of the U.S. in certain streets in the village of Heyburn, Idaho, and to repeal the reverter in patent for public reserve; and

Indians: H.R. 2635, including the Fort Mojave Indian Reservation among reservations excepted from the 25-year lease limitations.

Eligible bill not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 228. **Pages 5182–5192**

Veterans' Dependents' Compensation Increases: By a voice vote the House suspended the rules and passed H.R. 211, to amend title 38, U.S. Code, to provide increases in rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to children and parents of deceased veterans. **Pages 5192–5193**

Unanimous-Consent Passages: Pursuant to unanimous-consent requests the House considered and passed the following two bills:

Wyoming water: H.R. 4423, permitting the Secretary of the Interior to continue to deliver water to lands in the third division, Riverton reclamation project, Wyoming; and

Dual-rate contracts: H.R. 4555, to extend the provisions of section 3 of Public Law 87–346, relating to dual-rate contracts. **Page 5191**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MEXICAN FARM LABOR

Committee on Agriculture: On March 29, Subcommittee on Equipment, Supplies, and Manpower continued hearings on H.R. 2009 and 1836, regarding Mexican farm labor, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

DEPARTMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5366, the Treasury, Post Office, Executive Office, and certain independent agencies appropriation bill for fiscal year 1964.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Continued hearings on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill, and heard testimony from Maj. Gen. W. R. Shuler, Director, Installations, Office of Deputy Chief of Staff, Logistics; and a public witness. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 2.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on the area redevelopment bill, and heard testimony from Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Commerce, accompanied by William L. Batt, Jr., Area Redevelopment Administrator. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 2.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on urban renewal, and heard testimony from a D.C. official.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: On March 29, General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 3000, to strengthen and improve educational quality and educational opportunity in the Nation.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: On March 29, Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session regarding higher education. No announcements were made.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: On March 29, Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements held a hearing on the U.S. ideological offensive, and heard testimony from J. Leonard Reinsch, Chairman, U.S. Advisory Commission on Information.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs considered H.R. 641, regarding the Wapato Indian irrigation project, Washington; H.R. 2047, to authorize survey and establishment of a townsite for the Juneau Indian Village of Alaska; H.R. 999, to donate to the Stockbridge-Munsee community some submarginal lands of the U.S.; and H.R. 2905, to donate certain federally owned land to Devil's Lake Sioux Tribe of the Fort Totten Indian Reservation, N. Dak. No final action was taken. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 2.

WATER RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On March 29, Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held informational hearings on policies and procedures applicable to the planning of water resources developments with emphasis on benefits and allocations to fish and wildlife and to recreation. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 2.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Norman V. Petersen, Technical Director, Air Force Flight Test Center, Edwards Air Force Base. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 2.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences heard testimony from Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, on NASA authorization. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 2.

Joint Committee Meetings

STATE OF ATOMIC ENERGY INDUSTRY

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: On Friday, March 29, committee met in executive session to consider the selection of public witnesses for its series of hearings, resuming tomorrow, on the development, growth, and state of the atomic energy industry, held pursuant to section 202 of the Atomic Energy Act.

DEFENSE PROCUREMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Defense Procurement concluded its current series of hearings to review progress that has been made in improving the efficiency of the supply and procurement activities of the Department of Defense, and their impact on the economy, after receiving testimony from Elmer Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; and Perry M. Shoemaker, who represented the Committee of Hoover Commission Task Force Members.

On Friday, March 29, committee received testimony from Joseph Campbell, the Comptroller General; and Helge Holst, Arthur D. Little Co., Cambridge, Mass., testifying for the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through March 31, 1963

	Senate	*House*	***Total***
Days in session	40	33	..
Time in session	190 hrs., 21′	78 hrs., 26′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	3, 185	1, 693	4, 878
Appendix	..	..	1, 834
Public bills enacted into law	..	2	2
Private bills enacted into law	..	..	..
Bills in conference	..	..	..
Bills through conference	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	93	118	..
Senate bills	18	..	..
House bills	4	35	..
Senate joint resolutions	1	..	..
House joint resolutions	1	3	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	3	3	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	5	..
Simple resolutions	65	72	137
Measures reported, total	*129	*171	..
Senate bills	22	..	..
House bills	4	116	..
Senate joint resolutions	1	..	..
House joint resolutions	1	4	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	4	3	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	5	..
Simple resolutions	96	43	139
Special reports	4	6	..
Conference reports	..	..	..
Reported measures not acted on	3	83	..
Measures introduced, total	1, 449	6, 094	7, 543
Bills	1, 229	5, 311	6, 540
Joint resolutions	67	360	427
Concurrent resolutions	35	122	157
Simple resolutions	118	301	419
Quorum calls	19	4	..
Yea-and-nay votes	8	10	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 83 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 177 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through March 31, 1963

Postmaster nominations, totaling 598, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	None
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	598

Army nominations, totaling 3,591, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	2, 057
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	1, 534

Air Force nominations, totaling 8,119, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	8, 119
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	None

Navy nominations, totaling 14,173, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	8, 763
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	5, 410

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,255, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	3, 251
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	4

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 1,177, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	1, 103
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	71

Summary

Total nominations received	30, 913
Total withdrawn	3
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	7, 617
Total confirmed	23, 293

Tuesday, April 2, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's foreign aid message.

Senate worked on mass transit bill and cleared for President bill to make Winston Churchill an honorary citizen.

House passed Interior Department appropriation bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5366–5389

Bills Introduced: 11 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1250–1260. Page 5370

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 4374, proclaiming Sir Winston Churchill an honorary citizen of the United States (S. Rept. 86);

H.J. Res. 282, requesting the President to designate a National Harmony Week (S. Rept. 87);

S. 74, 93, 196, 213, 292, 310, 504, 686, 715, 822, 866, 72, 206, 215, 671, and 752, private bills (S. Repts. 88–103);

Thirteenth Annual Report of Select Committee on Small Business (S. Rept. 104); and

H.R. 4715, to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation, with amendments (S. Rept. 105). Page 5370

Bills Referred: 14 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 5365–5366

President's Message—Foreign Aid: Message from President transmitting his recommendations for "free world defense and assistance programs" and requesting funds of $4.5 billion therefor (a reduction of $400 million from the original budget estimates) was received—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 5411

Churchill Honorary Citizenship: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 4374, proclaiming Sir Winston Churchill an honorary citizen of the United States. Page 5397

National Harmony Week: H.J. Res. 282, requesting the President to designate a National Harmony Week, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. Pages 5408–5409

Mass Transit: Senate considered S. 6, proposed Mass Transportation Act of 1963, acting on amendments as indicated below and reaching unanimous-consent agreement to limit further debate, beginning tomorrow, April 3, to 4 hours, equally divided, on question of passage of bill; 1½ hours, equally divided, on the amendment (in nature of a substitute) to be submitted by Senator Lausche; and 1 hour, equally divided, on any other amendment, with the proviso that all amendments must be germane.

Senate adopted committee substitute reported by Committee on Commerce, same to be considered as original text for purpose of further amendment, after first adopting en bloc the amendments of Committee on Banking and Currency, which were to be considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Two amendments, as follows, were rejected:

By 27 yeas to 63 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Goldwater amendment to eliminate language that would require as a condition of Federal assistance that fair and equitable arrangements be made to protect the rights of workers; and by 36 yeas to 52 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tower amendment to assure that nothing shall be done by the Administrator respecting workers' rights that is inconsistent with the State laws where the project is located.

The yeas and nays were ordered to be taken at 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 3, on Tower amendment to provide that the protection of rights of workers shall include the prevention of curtailment of collective bargaining rights *to the extent not inconsistent with State or local law.*

Pages 5389–5404, 5407–5408, 5414–5424, 5428–5429

Authority To Meet: Committee on Agriculture and Forestry was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Wednesday, April 3. Page 5429

Nominations: Four Army nominations in the rank of general and two Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general were received. Page 5439

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony from Senator Yarborough, who submitted a statement in connection with the Rio Grande Valley Basin investigation; and Norman M. Clapp, Administrator, Rural Electrification Administration, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, with further testimony in behalf of funds for their various bureaus from several officials of the Public Health Service.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from PHS witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments or agencies from several officials of the Department of the Interior, and related agencies.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony on funds for the CAB, and on items for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare.

FREIGHT FORWARDERS

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee held hearings on S. 684, to place the unification or acquisition of control of freight forwarding under the regulation of section 5 of the Interstate Commerce Act, with testimony from Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; Giles Morrow, Freight Forwarders Institute; James F. Pinkney, American Trucking Associations, Inc.; William E. Patterson, Local & Short Haul Carriers National Conference; James K. Knudson, American Waterways Operators, Inc.; and Charles A. Washer, American Retail Federation.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 3537, to increase the jurisdiction of the D.C. municipal court in civil actions, and to change the name of the court, with testimony from Walter N. Tobriner, President, D.C. Board of Commissioners, who was accompanied by Irving Bryan, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.;

S. 1148, amending the law relating to material and necessary witnesses to crimes committed in the D.C., with testimony from Walter N. Tobriner, accompanied by Irving Bryan and Maj. Robert V. Murray, Chief, Metropolitan Police Department; David C. Acheson, U.S. attorney, D.C., who also represented the Department of Justice; Robert McLaughlin, president, Citizens Crime Commission of Metropolitan Washington; and A. Kenneth Pye, professor of law, Georgetown University;

S. 934, authorizing the D.C. Commissioners to utilize volunteers for active police duty, with testimony from Walter N. Tobriner, accompanied by Irving Bryan and Maj. Robert V. Murray; Miss Sally Orrison, Citizens Crime Commission of Metropolitan Washington; and Royce L. Givens, D.C. Policemen's Association, the latter of whom submitted a statement; and

H.R. 1935, authorizing acquisition and training of additional dogs to be used in law enforcement in the D.C., with testimony from Walter N. Tobriner, accompanied by Irving Bryan and Maj. Robert V. Murray.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of W. Averell Harriman, of New York, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; and S. 647, authorizing payment of a claim made by Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee heard Mr. Harriman testify and answer questions in behalf of his own nomination. Testimony in connection with S. 647 was received from V. J. Szarek, Assistant Legal Adviser, Office of the Comptroller, Navy.

Testimony was also received from Richard N. Gardner, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs, in connection with S.J. Res. 60, providing for acceptance by the U.S. of an instrument for the amendment of the constitution of the International Labor Organization.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, with further testimony from the following members of the Source Selection Board: Rear Adm. F. L. Ashworth, U.S. Navy; and Maj. Gen. R. G. Ruegg, Brig. Gen. A. T. Culbertson, Maj. Gen. J. H. Moore, Maj. Gen. T. Allen Bennett, and Col. John L. Gregory, all of the Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 4374, proclaiming Sir Winston Churchill an honorary citizen of the United States; H.J. Res. 282, requesting the President to designate a National Harmony Week; H.R. 4715, to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation (amended); the nominations of James A. Carr, Jr., of Massachusetts, and Homer Lester Benson, of Indiana, to be members of the Board of Parole; and

16 private immigration bills (S. 72, 74, 93, 196, 206, 213, 215, 292, 310, 504, 671, 686, 715, 752, 822, and 866).

Committee also approved annual reports of its Subcommittees on Penitentiaries; Trading With the Enemy; and Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on six private immigration bills (S. 238, 364, 366, 422, 494, and 760).

FOREIGN INSURANCE COMPANIES

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its investigation of various facets of the insurance industry, with emphasis in the current series of hearings on operations of foreign insurance companies. Witnesses heard were Donald W. Alexander, Administrator, Federal Maritime Administration; and Robert A. Gyory, General Telephone & Electronic Corp., New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EQUAL PAY FOR WOMEN

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor began hearings on S. 882 and S. 910, to prohibit discrimination based on sex in wages paid for employment in interstate commerce, with testimony from Senator Case; W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; Esther Peterson, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Labor Standards; William Miller, U.S. Chamber of Commerce; Jacob Clayman, industrial union department, AFL–CIO; Dr. Minnie C. Miles, National Federation of Business & Professional Women's Clubs; Ezra Hester, industrial relations and research, Corning Glass Co.; Murray Plopper, Retail Clerks International Association; and John D. Olverson, Electronics Industries Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session and took the following actions:

(1) Approved authorizations for 87 new small building projects to be financed by funds from the Accelerated Public Works Program ($20.8 million);

(2) Approved authorizations for 66 new building projects and 8 extensions and conversions ($124 million);

(3) Approved prospectuses for alterations to 41 existing buildings ($44.1 million).

These approved projects were referred to the full committee for its consideration.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 40 public bills, H.R. 5367–5406; 22 private bills, H.R. 5407–5428; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 368 and 369, H. Con. Res. 126 and 127, and H. Res. 303 and 304, were introduced. **Pages 5544–5545**

Bill Reported: One report was filed, as follows: H.R. 4997, to extend the feed grain program (H. Rept. 180). **Page 5544**

President's Message—Foreign Aid: Received and read a message from the President transmitting proposed amendments and recommendations for improving mutual defense and assistance programs. The message was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 94). **Pages 5440–5444**

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1230, 1535, 2291, 2294, and 3626.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 1544.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 3623, 3625, and 3627.

Agreed to dispense with further call of the Private Calendar after Calendar No. 11. **Pages 5445–5447**

Interior Department Appropriations: By voice votes the House rejected a recommittal motion and passed H.R. 5279, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for fiscal year 1964.

Adopted an amendment to delete language providing $1,600,000 for plans and specifications of a National Air Museum.

Also adopted an amendment to delete language providing $5,465,000 for remodeling of Civil Service Commission building.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Earmark $30,000 for a cooperative fishery unit at Pennsylvania State University;

Reduce by $50,000 the funds provided for management and investigations of resources of the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife;

Reduce by $260,000 the construction funds of the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife;

Delete language providing $10 million for development of "wetlands" program; and

Delete provision of $1 million for assistance to States for tree planting.

As reported from the Committee on Appropriations the bill provided for appropriations totaling $935,690,200, which amount is $37,508,200 above the 1963 appropriation and $92,818,800 below the budget estimates.

Pages 5447–5466

Dual-Rate Contracts: Passed and thus cleared for Presidential action S. 1035, to extend the provisions of section 3 of Public Law 87–346, relating to dual-rate contracts. The proceedings of passage of H.R. 4555, an identical bill, passed by the House on Monday, were vacated and the House bill was tabled. **Page 5466**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAINS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4997 (amended), to extend the feed grain program; and

H.R. 5067 (amended), to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill, and heard testimony from Kenneth E. BeLieu, Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Installations and Logistics); and other Department of Navy witnesses. Recessed until Wednesday, April 3.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the area redevelopment bill, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 3.

SILVER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4413 (amended, a clean bill to be introduced), to repeal certain legislation relating to the purchase of silver.

IMPACTED AREAS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from public witnesses on Public Laws 815 and 874, regarding impacted areas.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 404 (amended), to amend the Davis-Bacon Act, to include fringe benefits.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements held a hearing on the U.S. ideological offensive, and heard the executive director of American Society of International Lawyers. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 3.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 999, to donate to the Stockbridge-Munsee community some submarginal lands of the U.S., and to make such lands part of the reservation involved; and H.R. 2467, to authorize the sale and exchange of isolated tracts of tribal land on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak. Testimony was given on H.R. 2467 by Representative Berry, of South Dakota; departmental witnesses; and a public witness. Heard on H.R. 999 were departmental witnesses.

Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 3.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, April 3.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 3.

PANAMA CANAL PILOTS

Committee on Post Offiice and Civil Service: Subcommittee concluded hearings on H.R. 2030, regarding retirement annuities to Panama Canal ship pilots. Testimony was given by John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission; and public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.J. Res. 82 (amended), to designate the navigation channel and canal portion of the Arkansas River navigation and multiple-purpose project as the Robert S. Kerr Seaway.

Also approved sundry increases in river basin authorizations.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on NASA authorization, and heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; William E. Lilly, Director, Program Review and Resources Management; and George Low, Deputy Director for Programs, all of National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization and heard testimony from Charles H. Zimmerman, Director, Aeronautical Research, and Dr. Albert J. Kelley, Director, Electronics Control, both of Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 3.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Testimony was given by Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator; and Leonard Jaffe, Director, Communications Systems, Office of Applications, both of NASA. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 3.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Held a hearing with the national commander, Veterans of Foreign Wars, on legislative objectives of the VFW for 1963.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, April 3.

Joint Committee Meetings

STATE OF ATOMIC ENERGY INDUSTRY

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee began the second phase of its hearings on the development, growth, and state of the atomic energy industry, held annually in accordance with section 202 of the Atomic Energy Act. Witnesses heard were W. E. Johnson, Westinghouse Electric Corp.; Dr. Chauncey Starr, Atomics International; Harold Etherington, Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Co.; Carroll F. Hardy, National Coal Association; Dr. Lyman Fink, General Electric Co.; and Richard Mewlin, Atomic Industrial Forum.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Wednesday, April 3, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on mass transit bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5628–5653

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1261–1268; S. Con. Res. 36; and S. Res. 119. **Pages 5628–5629**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "National Penitentiaries" (S. Rept. 106);

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights" (S. Rept. 107);

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Administrative Practices and Procedure" (S. Rept. 108);

S. 4, to establish a National Wilderness Preservation System, with amendments and with minority views (S. Rept. 109); and

S. Res. 119, authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to expend $300 from the contingent fund of the Senate for obligations incurred during the 87th Congress (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 5628**

Dual-Rate Contracts: S. Con. Res. 36, to make certain changes in the enrollment of S. 1035, extending provisions of section 3 of P.L. 87-346 relating to dual-rate contracts, was adopted. **Page 5599**

Securities Markets: Communication from Chairman of SEC transmitting preliminary report of a study of the rules of national security exchanges and national security associations, was received and referred to Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 5597

Mass Transit: Senate continued its consideration of S. 6, proposed Mass Transportation Act of 1963, taking the following additional actions on amendments to committee amendment (in nature of a substitute):

Adopted: En bloc, Sparkman amendments of a technical nature; by 89 yeas to 8 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Symington amendment to reduce authorization for appropriations for fiscal years 1963–66 from $500 million to $375 million; Scott amendment to provide for issuance of regulations to assure fair and equitable opportunity for small business; modified Proxmire amendment barring any grant unless there is a commitment from non-Federal sources to supply remainder of the net project cost and unless the Federal interest is adequately protected in the event of default or failure to complete; Proxmire amendment respecting depreciation allotment as deduction for net project cost; and by 88 yeas to 5 nays, Cannon amendment to limit to $375 million rather than $500 million the maximum guarantee for the payment of bonds; and

Rejected: By 41 yeas to 56 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tower amendment to add the words here italicized to the provision that the protection of rights of workers shall include the prevention of curtailment of collective bargaining rights *to the extent not inconsistent with State or local law*; by 39 yeas to 58 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dominick amendment to eliminate language that would allow Administrator to bar assistance under any law administered by Housing and Home Finance Agency in an area where schedule of fares has been changed in a manner to substantially reduce revenues to the extent of lessening chances for economic operation; by 33 yeas to 62 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Lausche amendment to establish a Division of Urban Transportation in the Department of Commerce; by 27 yeas to 68 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tower amendment defining "urban area"; by 41 yeas to 57 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Lausche amendments to delete provisions dealing with grants, with an emergency program, and with research, development, and demonstration projects; and by 44 yeas to 47 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tower amendment to reduce Federal participation in the grant program from two-thirds of net project cost to one-half thereof and, in emergency program, from one-half to one-third of net project cost.

Pages 5582–5583, 5588–5627

Authority To Meet: Committee on Foreign Relations, the Permanent Investigating Subcommittee of the Committee on Government Operations, and the Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly of the Judiciary Committee, were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Thursday, April 4. Page 5625

Eleanor Roosevelt Foundation: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 4715, to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation. Pages 5627–5628

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Leland J. Haworth, of New York, to be Director of the National Science Foundation; Gerald F. Tape, of New York, to be member of Atomic Energy Commission; and David Elliott Bell, of Massachusetts, to be Alternate Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank.

The nomination of one postmaster was withdrawn.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DAIRY PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 398, S. 900, and S. 953, bills relating to milk marketing orders and dairy price supports, after receiving testimony from Under Secretary of Agriculture Charles S. Murphy.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony from several public witnesses including representatives of the Association of Land Grant Colleges & State Universities, on funds for payment to States for cooperative experiment station work and cooperative extension work; several witnesses, on funds for research and control program; Philip Campbell, commissioner of agriculture, State of Georgia; Woodrow W. Roberts, secretary to the commissioner of agriculture of Louisiana; Lewis Camp, American Seed Trade Association; Francis Brannan, Florida Seed & Feed Co., Ocala; J. C. Wetzler, American National Cattlemen's Association, Phoenix; A. D. Holmes and Milton S. Fricke, National Association of Soil & Water Conservation Districts; and Dr. W. E. Cornatzer, department of biochemistry, Grand Forks, N. Dak.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, with further testimony in behalf of funds for their various bureaus from several officials of the Public Health Service.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony on funds for the Social Security Administration.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, receiving testimony in behalf of items for their respective departments from officials of the Civil Aeronautics Board and Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow, on funds for the accelerated public works program.

D.C. LIFE INSURANCE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on H.R. 1937, to make punishable on the same basis as perjury the making of false statements under oath relative to applications for licenses for the sale of insurance in the D.C., receiving testimony from Edward J. Schmuck, Acacia Mutual Life Insurance Co., and Wayne E. Dorman, D.C. Life Underwriters Association, Inc.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 5429–5445; 8 private bills, H.R. 5446–5453; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 370–372, and H. Con. Res. 128, were introduced. Page 5581

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1492, a private bill (H. Rept. 181);

H.R. 4549, respecting the appointment of Chief Medical Director of the Veterans' Administration (H. Rept. 182); and

H.R. 5389, to repeal certain legislation relating to the purchase of silver (H. Rept. 183). Pages 5580–5581

Dual-Rate Contracts: Adopted S. Con. Res. 36, authorizing certain changes in the enrollment of the bill S. 1035, to extend the provisions of section 3 of Public Law 87–346, relating to dual-rate contracts. Page 5577

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from Kenneth E. BeLieu, Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Installations and Logistics); and other Department of Navy witnesses. Hearings continue, in executive session, Thursday, April 4.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the area redevelopment bill. Testimony was given by Representative Flood and public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, April 4.

MIGRANT LABOR

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 5060, regarding the registration of migrant agricultural workers. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

IMPACTED AREAS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on Public Laws 81–815 and 81–874, regarding impacted areas, and heard testimony from Representative Chenoweth; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, April 4.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements continued hearings on the U.S. ideological offensive. Heard testimony from the president and founder, Cold War Council.

MISSOURI RIVER BASIN

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation heard testimony from Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, and other departmental witnesses on H.R. 5312, to increase the authorization for appropriation for continuing work in the Missouri River Basin.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, April 4.

SEC REPORT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance heard testimony from William L. Cary, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, and Milton H. Cohen, Director, Special Study of Securities Markets, on Securities and Exchange Commission report on the stock exchange.

FREIGHT FORWARDERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2090 (a clean bill to be introduced), regarding unifications or acquisitions of control of freight forwarders.

ALCATRAZ ISLAND

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony from Representatives Shelley and Mailliard, and Bernard L. Boutin, Administrator, General Services Administration, on H.R. 791 and 1709, to establish a Federal Commission on the disposition of Alcatraz Island.

Also took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

POPULATION-IMMIGRATION STUDY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 resumed hearings on population and immigration study, and heard testimony from Prof. Lynn Smith, University of Florida, on Latin America.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, April 4.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations met in executive session for organizational purposes.

FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5367, to designate the Bear Creek Dam on the Lehigh River, Pa., as the Francis E. Walter Dam.

Also held a hearing on the Waurika project, Oklahoma. Testimony was given by Senators Monroney and Edmondson; Representative Wickersham; Corps of Engineers officials; and public witnesses.

HEALTH TRAINING

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 3 hours of debate, on H.R. 12, the Health Professions Educational Assistance Act.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Green and Quie.

VIRGIN ISLANDS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 1989, to authorize the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligational bonds.

Representatives Aspinall and O'Brien of New York were heard on the request for a rule.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 1762, to promote coordination and development of effective Federal and State programs relating to outdoor recreation.

Heard Representatives Aspinall and Morris on the request for a rule.

LEAD-ZINC

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 3845, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Aspinall and Edmondson.

LEAD-ZINC

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 3120, to simplify the administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act.

Representatives Aspinall and Edmondson were heard on the request for a rule.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition held a hearing on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, accompanied by Morris Tepper, Director, Meteorological Systems, Office of Applications, both of NASA. Hearings continue Thursday, April 4.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences heard testimony from Dr. Albert J. Kelly, Director, Electronics and Control, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA, on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Hearings continue Thursday, April 4.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Held a briefing with John S. Gleason, Administrator, Veterans' Administration.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, April 4.

Joint Committee Meetings

STATE OF ATOMIC ENERGY INDUSTRY

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued the second phase of its hearings on the development, growth, and state of the atomic energy industry, held annually in accordance with section 202 of the Atomic Energy Act. Witnesses heard were Dr.

Frederic de Hoffmann, General Atomics; Harland C. Forbes, Consolidated Edison Co.; Richard Harrison, Babcock & Wilcox Co.; P. H. Reinker, Hanford Atomic Products Operation; Ralph C. Roe, Burns & Roe; Larry Hobart, American Public Power Association; Robert Hartwell, Power Reactor Development Co.; Charles Robinson, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association; and Dr. Walter H. Zinn, Combustion Engineering Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Thursday, April 4, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed mass transit bill and took up wilderness preservation bill.

House passed Treasury-Post Office appropriation bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5692–5752

Bills Introduced: 10 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1269–1278. Page 5694

Report Filed: Report was filed as follows: Report of Committee on Government Operations entitled "Organization of Federal Executive Departments and Agencies" (S. Rept. 110). Pages 5693–5694

Mass Transit: By 52 yeas to 41 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed S. 6, proposed Mass Transportation Act of 1963, as amended by adoption of Commerce Committee substitute. Further amendments to this committee substitute amendment adopted today were, by 52 yeas to 41 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Morse amendment to bar financial assistance under the bill to any State or local public body purchasing any property of a mass transit company unless such company is in bankruptcy or receivership, and unless Administrator finds that (1) such assistance is essential to development of a unified urban transit system, (2) the participation of private mass transit companies is used to maximum extent, (3) the protective arrangements for workers' rights have been provided by the project, and also to strengthen such protective arrangements for workers' rights; and Long (Louisiana) amendment to bar expenditure of any appropriated funds for any technological research or development activity unless all information, patents, etc., resulting therefrom are made available to the public.

Two amendments proposed to the Morse amendment described above were rejected as follows: By 23 yeas to 68 nays, Tower amendment to delete language requiring that as a condition of the granting of assistance certain protective arrangements for workers' rights be made; and Miller amendment to assure that nothing shall be done by Administrator respecting workers' rights that is inconsistent with the State laws where the project is located. Pages 5661, 5669–5692

Private Bills: Senate took from calendar and passed 16 private bills, as follows: S. 74, 93, 196, 213, 292, 310, 504, 686, 715, 822, 866, 72, 206, 215, 671, and 752. Pages 5752–5753

Wilderness Preservation: Senate made its unfinished business S. 4, to establish a National Wilderness Preservation System. Page 5754

Authority To Meet: The Public Lands Subcommittee of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was authorized to meet after 10 a.m. on Monday, April 8, while Senate is in session. Page 5688

Authority To Report: Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was authorized to file reports during Senate adjournment over weekend. Also, Committee on Armed Services was authorized to report S. 843 (H.R. 2440), authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964, and Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized to report S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, during this period.

Extension of time was granted until midnight Friday, April 5, for filing of minority views on S. 4, to establish a National Wilderness Preservation System. Pages 5688, 5706–5707

Confirmations: Senate confirmed three civilian nominations, including that of W. Averell Harriman, of New York, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs. Page 5766

Nominations: Senate received two civilian, two judicial, and numerous Diplomatic and Foreign Service nominations. Pages 5765–5766

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony from several public witnesses on various items in the bill.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony from departmental witnesses in behalf of funds for the Social Security Administration, Welfare Administration, and Office of the Secretary.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, with testimony today on funds for the accelerated public works program.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRCRAFT, MISSILES, AND VESSELS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964. As approved by the committee, the bill would authorize approximately $14.9 billion, a reduction of $905 million from the House-passed version of the bill, and a reduction of $407.3 million from the amount requested by the President.

Also, committee approved 6,943 nominations in the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps.

ACADEMY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee began hearings on S. 865, providing for the establishment of a National Academy of Foreign Affairs, with testimony from George W. Ball, Under Secretary of State; William H. Orrick, Jr., Deputy Under Secretary of State for Administration; and Frank M. Coffin, Deputy Administrator, Agency for International Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, with further testimony from the following members of the Source Selection Board: Rear Adm. F. L. Ashworth, U.S. Navy; and Maj. Gen. R. G. Ruegg, Brig. Gen. A. T. Culbertson, Maj. Gen. J. H. Moore, Maj. Gen. T. Allen Bennett, and Col. John L. Gregory, all of the Air Force.

Subcommittee also received testimony from Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, and Capt. John Sheppard, Navy cochairman of the group evaluating the contract in question.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met in executive session and approved for full committee consideration S. 18, to change the name of Harpers Ferry National Monument to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park; S. 138, to redesignate the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument, and revise the boundaries thereof; S. 386, to consolidate the Vicksburg National Military Park and provide for adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road; S. 932, to allow the Secretary of the Interior to set the age limits of U.S. Park Police; and S. 1039, authorizing exchange of surplus park property at Great Falls, Va.

Prior to this action, subcommittee held hearings, with testimony from Senator Randolph, who directed his remarks to S. 18, and Frank Harrison, National Park Service, who testified in connection with all of these bills, and S. 503, authorizing acceptance of a donation of 6 acres for a headquarters site at Isle Royale National Park, Mich. Statements were filed for inclusion in the record by Senators Stennis and Eastland in connection with S. 386, and by Senator Hart in connection with S. 503.

Subcommittee also held hearings on S. 792, to establish in Michigan the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, with testimony from Robert B. Hotaling, professor of urban planning, Michigan State University. Hearings on this bill and on S. 503 were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

FOREIGN INSURANCE COMPANIES

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its investigation of various facets of the insurance industry, with emphasis in the current series of hearings on operations of foreign insurance companies. Witnesses heard were F. Douglas Sears, commissioner, State Insurance Department of Maryland; and Frank W. Pennartz, insurance manager, Food Fair, Inc., Philadelphia; Bradford Smith, Insurance Co. of North America, Philadelphia; Cameron Brown, George F. Brown & Sons, Inc., Chicago; Theodore A. Zuendt and J. Marshall Leydon, both of the Employers' Surplus Lines Insurance Co., Boston; and Spencer L. Kimball, professor, school of law, University of Michigan.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Committee took the following actions in connection with public buildings projects:

(1) Approved authorizations of $20,768,600 for 87 new small building projects to be financed by funds from the accelerated public works program;

(2) Approved authorizations of $124,079,400 for 66 new building projects and 8 extensions and conversions; and

(3) Approved prospectuses for alterations to 41 existing buildings, and authorizing $44,108,000 therefor.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee held its executive organizational meeting and announced the following agenda for the 88th Congress:

FULL COMMITTEE

1. Operations of the Small Business Administration.
2. Export trade associations.
3. Management counseling services for small business.
4. Small business investment companies.
5. Federal Handbook on Small Business.
6. Statistics on small business.
7. Impact of Defense spending on small business in labor surplus areas.
8. Tax treatment of U.S. concerns with Puerto Rican affiliates.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON TAXES

9. Tax problems of small enterprises.
10. Impact of current tax proposals on small firms.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON MONOPOLY

11. The role of competition in space satellite communications.
12. Competitive implications of Federal patent policy.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON FINANCING

13. State and local development companies.
14. Financial concentration and its effect on competition.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON RELATIONS OF BUSINESS WITH GOVERNMENT

15. Effect of area redevelopment program on small firms.
16. Fair allocation of oil import quotas for small refiners.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

17. Government procurement.
18. Claim procedures available to small defense subcontractors.
19. Impact of defense research and development procurement procedures on small firms.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON RETAILING, DISTRIBUTION, AND MARKETING PRACTICES

20. Franchise distribution, competition, and small business.
21. Small business lease guarantees.
22. Dual distribution.

Also, committee announced appointment of subcommittees as follows:

TAXES

Alan Bible, chairman, Russell B. Long, E. L. Bartlett, Frank E. Moss, John Sherman Cooper, Winston L. Prouty.

MONOPOLY

Russell B. Long, chairman, John Sparkman, Hubert H. Humphrey, Clair Engle, Jacob K. Javits, Norris Cotton.

FINANCING

Wayne Morse, chairman, George A. Smathers, Clair Engle, Hubert H. Humphrey, Leverett Saltonstall, John Sherman Cooper.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

George A. Smathers, chairman, Alan Bible, Jennings Randolph, Harrison A. Williams, Jr., Leverett Saltonstall, Hugh Scott.

RELATIONS OF BUSINESS WITH GOVERNMENT

Jennings Randolph, chairman, John Sparkman, George A. Smathers, E. L. Bartlett, Jacob K. Javits, Winston L. Prouty.

RETAILING, DISTRIBUTION, AND MARKETING PRACTICES

Hubert H. Humphrey, chairman, Wayne Morse, Harrison A. Williams, Jr., Frank E. Moss, Hugh Scott, Norris Cotton.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 46 public bills, H.R. 5454–5499; 17 private bills, H.R. 5500–5516; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 373–375, H. Con. Res. 129–132, and H. Res. 305–309, were introduced. Pages 5832–5834

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 305, open rule providing for the consideration of and 3 hours of debate on H.R. 12, to increase the opportunities for training of physicians, dentists, and professional public health personnel (H. Rept. 184);

H. Res. 306, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1762, to promote the coordination and development of effective Federal and State programs relating to outdoor recreation (H. Rept. 185);

H. Res. 307, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1989, to authorize the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds (H. Rept. 186);

H. Res. 308, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 3120, to simplify administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act of October 3, 1961 (75 Stat. 766) (H. Rept. 187);

H. Res. 309, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 3845, to amend the

Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act of October 3, 1961 (75 Stat. 766) (H. Rept. 188);

H.R. 1159, to authorize the establishment of hazardous-duty pay in certain cases (H. Rept. 189);

H.R. 1819, to provide additional choice of health benefits plans (H. Rept. 190);

H.R. 3517, regarding administrative expenses of retired Federal employees' health benefits (H. Rept. 191);

H.R. 3545, to amend U.S. Code, so as to provide for taking of the economic censuses 1 year earlier starting in 1968 (H. Rept. 192);

H.R. 3612, to define the term "child" for lump-sum payment purposes under the Civil Service Retirement Act (H. Rept. 193);

H.R. 5207, amending the Foreign Service Buildings Act of 1926 to authorize additional appropriations (H. Rept. 194);

Report of the Committee on Foreign Affairs entitled "Castro Communist Subversion in the Western Hemisphere" (H. Rept. 195);

Report of the Committee on Foreign Affairs entitled "Report on Arab Refugees From Palestine" (H. Rept. 196); and

H.R. 5067, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 (H. Rept. 197). Page 5832

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Albert, the majority leader, to act as Speaker pro tempore for Thursday, April 4. Page 5766

Committee To Sit: The Committee on Banking and Currency was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House sessions on April 4, 5, 8, and 9. Page 5767

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: By a record vote of 386 yeas to 17 nays the House passed without amendment H.R. 5366, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies for fiscal year 1964. A motion to recommit the bill had been rejected earlier by a voice vote.

Rejected a series of amendments designed to restore $92 million that had been cut by the subcommittee from the Post Office Department funds.

Also rejected an amendment that sought to bar use of funds for production measurement programs in the Post Office Department.

The bill as reported by the Committee on Appropriations provided appropriations of $1,095,910,000 for the Treasury Department; $4,885,000,000 for the Post Office Department; $13,641,000 for the Executive Office of the President; $2,475,000 for independent agencies, or a total of $5,997,026,000, which amount is $331,028,500 more than the 1963 appropriations and $149,816,000 less than the budget estimates. Pages 5772–5803

Supplemental Appropriations: The Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to file a report on a bill making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, by midnight Friday. Page 5803

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of April 10. Page 5804

Walter Dam: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 5367, to designate the Bear Creek Dam on the Lehigh River, Pa., as the Francis E. Walter Dam. Page 5804

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FAMILY FARMS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Family Farms met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

MEXICAN FARM LABOR

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Equipment, Supplies, and Manpower met in executive session on pending Mexican farm labor bills. No announcements were made.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from Kenneth E. BeLieu, Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Installations and Logistics); and other Department of the Navy witnesses. Recessed until Friday, April 5.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on the area redevelopment bill. Testimony was given by public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, April 5.

IMPACTED AREAS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on Public Laws 81–815 and 81–874, regarding impacted areas. Heard testimony from Representatives Pucinski and Harding; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5207, to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2293 (amended), a private bill.

Considered H.R. 3387, to compensate range owners for authorized range improvements where land is taken for Federal nonmilitary use; and H.R. 4588, regarding withdrawal of certain public lands in San Bernardino County, Calif. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses on both bills.

BROADCAST RATING SERVICES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on H.R. 4897, to repeal subsection (d) of section 2388, title 18, U.S. Code. Heard testimony from a Government witness.

The subcommittee also took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: The committee met in executive session and ordered the following bills favorably reported to the House:

H.R. 3517, to amend the Retired Federal Employees Health Benefits Act with respect to Government contribution for expenses incurred in the administration of such act.

H.R. 3612, to define the term "child" for lump-sum payment purposes under the Civil Service Retirement Act.

H.R. 3545, to amend section 131 of title 13, U.S. Code, so as to provide for taking of the economic censuses 1 year earlier starting in 1968.

H.R. 1819, to amend the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act of 1959 to provide additional choice of health benefits plans, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1159, to amend the Classification Act of 1949 to authorize the establishment of hazardous-duty pay in certain cases.

The following subcommittees were appointed:

H.R. 4837, H.R. 4838, to provide for the payment of certain amounts and restoration of employment benefits to certain Government officers and employees improperly deprived thereof, and for other purposes: Mr. Olsen of Montana, chairman, Mr. Udall, Mr. Nix, Mr. Broyhill, Mr. Wallhauser.

H.R. 5390, to amend the Civil Service Retirement Act to permit the recovery by the municipal government of the District of Columbia of amounts due such government in the adjudication of claims under such act, and for other purposes: Mr. Daniels, chairman, Mr. Beckworth, Mr. Watson, Mr. Barry, Mr. Derwinski.

BUILDING PROJECTS

Committee on Public Works: In executive session ordered favorably reported to the House H.J. Res. 82 (amended), to change the name of an Oklahoma lock and dam to the Robert S. Kerr Seaway; and H.R. 5367, to designate the Bear Creek Dam on the Lehigh River, Pa., as the Francis E. Walter Dam.

Approved 120 building and alteration projects.

Prior to action of the full committee Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds, in executive session, approved the building and alteration projects.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; William E. Lilly, Director, Program Review and Resources Management; and George Low, Deputy Director for Programs, all of NASA. Hearings continue Friday, April 5.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences heard testimony from Dr. Albert J. Kelley, Director, Electronics and Control, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA, on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator; Leonard Jaffe, Director, Communications Systems, Office of Applications; and Dr. George L. Simpson and Alton B. Moody, both of Industrial Applications and Advanced Applications, NASA.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Friday, April 5.

Joint Committee Meetings

STATE OF ATOMIC ENERGY INDUSTRY

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings on the development, growth, and state of the atomic energy industry, receiving testimony from Sherman Knapp, Edison Electric Institute; David E. Lilienthal, Development & Resources Corp.; Dr. Emerson Jones, Consumers Public Power District;

Ernest R. Acker, Empire State Atomic Development Associates, Inc.; Joseph Moody, National Coal Policy Conference; and Louis Roddis, Atomic Industrial Forum.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from members of the Atomic Energy Commission.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held an executive organizational meeting to discuss activities for the current session of Congress, as well as subcommittee assignments, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

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Monday, April 8, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on wilderness preservation bill, agreeing to limit debate thereon.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings pages 5866–5885

Bills Introduced: Three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1279–1281; and S. Res. 120–121. **Page 5869**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, with amendment and with minority and individual views authorized (S. Rept. 111)—reported April 5 under prior authorization;

S. 982, authorizing continued delivery of water to lands of the third division, Riverton Federal reclamation project, Wyoming (S. Rept. 112)—reported April 5 under prior authorization;

Minority and individual views on S. 4, to establish a National Wilderness Preservation System (part of S. Rept. 109 of April 3)—filed April 5 under prior authority.

S. 932, to allow the Secretary of the Interior to set the age limits of U.S. Park Police (S. Rept. 113);

S. 18, to change the name of Harpers Ferry National Monument to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park (S. Rept. 114);

S. 386, to consolidate the Vicksburg National Military Park and provide for adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road, with amendment (S. Rept. 115);

S. 138, to redesignate the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument, and revise the boundaries thereof, with amendment (S. Rept. 116); and

S. 2, proposed Water Resources Research Act of 1963 (S. Rept. 117). **Pages 5866, 5869**

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 5867**

Wilderness Preservation: Senate considered S. 4, to establish a National Wilderness Preservation System, adopting all committee amendments en bloc (thereafter considered as original text for purpose of amendment), and agreeing to limit further debate thereon as follows: After 10 a.m., Tuesday, April 9, debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), shall be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, and debate on question of final passage of bill shall be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, with the proviso that only germane amendments shall be received. **Pages 5885–5903**

Confirmations: Four Navy nominations in the rank of admiral and numerous Army and Marine Corps nominations were confirmed. **Pages 5915–5916**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, April 5, subcommittee concluded hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, after receiving testimony from Senators Ervin, Jordan (North Carolina), and Thurmond, on funds for agricultural research items; and several public witnesses, on various items in the bill.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, April 5, subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, receiving testimony from Senators Gruening and Bartlett, on funds for study of the Alaska highway program; and officials of the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce; the Commission on International Rules of Judicial Procedure; Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; and the U.S. Information Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CUBAN MILITARY BUILDUP

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, April 5, subcommittee met in executive session to discuss further the Cuban military buildup, but made no announcements, and will meet again tomorrow.

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

Committee on Finance: On Friday, April 5, committee met in executive session where it questioned Internal Revenue Commissioner Mortimer Caplin regarding proposed administrative changes in the field structure of the Internal Revenue Service.

ACADEMY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, April 5, committee concluded its hearings on S. 865, providing for the establishment of a National Academy of Foreign Affairs, after receiving testimony from Senator Saltonstall; Gen. Maxwell Taylor, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; Edward R. Murrow, Director, U.S. Information Agency; William H. Orrick, Jr., Deputy Under Secretary of State for Administration; James A. Perkins, vice president, Carnegie Corp., New York; and Dr. Logan Wilson, American Council on Education.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: On Friday, April 5, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, having as its witnesses Gen. Walter C. Sweeney, Commander, Tactical Air Force, Langley Field, Va.; Gen. William F. McKee, Vice Chief of Staff, Air Force; and Adm. George W. Anderson, Chief of Naval Operations.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call of the Chair.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, April 5, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills: S. 1007, guaranteeing electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that area; S. 2, proposed Water Resources Research Act; S. 982, authorizing continued water delivery in 1963 to lands in the third division, Riverton Federal reclamation project, Wyoming; S. 22, releasing right of the U.S. in certain streets in the village of Heyburn, Idaho (amended); S. 247, authorizing a survey and establishment of a townsite for the Juneau Indian Village, Alaska; S. 394, a private bill; S. 873, authorizing the sale of certain public lands in Nevada to Lincoln County (amended); S. 18, to change the name of Harpers Ferry National Monument to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park; S. 138, to redesignate the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument, and revise the boundaries thereof (amended); S. 386, to consolidate the Vicksburg National Military Park and provide for adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road; S. 932, to allow the Secretary of the Interior to set the age limits of U.S. Park Police; H.R. 277, to transfer certain public lands to the Colorado River Commission of Nevada; and H.R. 1544, 2291, and 2294, private bills.

OZARK NATIONAL RIVERS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Public Lands Subcommittee held hearings on S. 16, providing for the establishment of the Ozark National Rivers in Missouri, with testimony from Senators Symington and Long of Missouri; Representative Ichord; Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall, who was accompanied by associates; and several public witnesses representing various organizations in the area involved.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 5517–5530; 8 private bills, H.R. 5531–5538; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 376, and H. Res. 310–313, were introduced.

Pages 5865–5866

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, filed on April 5 (H. Rept. 198);

H.R. 5131, proposed "Youth Employment Act" (H. Rept. 199);

H. Res. 310, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Banking and Currency (H. Rept. 200);

H. Res. 311, providing for waiving of points of order against the provisions of lines 5 through 10 on page 22 of H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963 (H. Rept. 201);

H. Res. 312, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 5207, to amend the Foreign Services Buildings Act of 1926 to authorize additional appropriations (H. Rept. 202); and

H. Res. 313, open rule as regards title I and closed as regards title II of H.R. 5389, to repeal certain legislation relating to the purchase of silver, with 2 hours of debate (H. Rept. 203). Page 5865

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House session of April 9. Page 5849

Bills Referred: 16 Senate-passed bills were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Page 5864

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing held a hearing on H.R. 904, to prohibit trading in Irish potato futures on commodity exchanges. Heard testimony from Representative McIntire; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 9.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: On April 5, met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5517, the supplemental appropriations bill for fiscal year 1963.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: On April 5, met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill, and heard testimony from various Navy Department witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 4996, the area redevelopment bill. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

On April 5, testimony was also given by public witnesses.

Hearings continue Tuesday, April 9.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Committee on Education and Labor: On April 5, Special Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from a Health, Education, and Welfare Department official on the Juvenile Delinquency Control Act.

MIGRANT LABOR

Committee on Education and Labor: On April 5, General Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from various public witnesses on H.R. 5060, regarding the registration of contractors of migrant agricultural workers.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Testimony was given by Robert S. McNamara, Secretary of Defense; and Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff. On April 5, Dean Rusk, Secretary of State, testified on this subject.

Hearings continue Tuesday, April 9.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3887 (amended), to authorize acceptance of donations of land in the State of North Carolina for the construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park; H.R. 4152, to authorize addition of certain donated lands to the administrative headquarters site, Isle Royale National Park; H.R. 4893, relating to age limits in connection with appointments to the U.S. Park Police; and H.R. 3200 (amended), to designate the Big Hole National Battlefield National Monument.

On Friday, April 5, the subcommittee ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4588 (amended), regarding certain public lands of the U.S. at Mojave B Aerial Gunnery Range, San Bernardino County, Calif., for defense purposes; and H.R. 4151 (amended), to convey certain public lands in the State of Nevada to the county of Lincoln, Nev.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power met in executive session on pending legislation. No announcements were made.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

On April 5 also heard public witnesses on this subject. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 9.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4897, to repeal subsection (d) of section 2388 of title 18, U.S. Code; and H.R. 5175, to authorize the issuance of certificates of citizenship in the Canal Zone.

Action was taken on several private immigration bills.

Prior to executive action the subcommittee, in open session, heard testimony from a public witness on H.R. 4897 (title above).

SILVER

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule on title I, and closed rule on title II, with 2 hours of debate, on

H.R. 5389, to repeal certain legislation relating to the purchase of silver.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Patman, Widnall, Curtis of Missouri, and St Germain.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule, waiving points of order against provisions of lines 5 through 10, on page 22 of H.R. 5517, the supplemental appropriations bill.

Representative Thomas of Texas was heard on the request for a rule.

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 5207, to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act, to authorize additional appropriations.

Heard Representatives Hays and Adair on the request for a rule.

COMMITTEE TRAVEL

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported resolutions to grant additional travel authority to the Committees on Education and Labor, and Banking and Currency.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from John H. Rubel, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering.

Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Milton B. Ames, Jr., Director, Space Vehicles, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA.

On April 5, testimony was given on this subject by John L. Sloop, Director, Propulsion and Power Generation, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: On April 5, met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations.

Joint Committee Meetings

STATE OF ATOMIC ENERGY INDUSTRY

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: On Friday, April 5, committee concluded its hearings on the development, growth, and state of the atomic energy industry, held in accordance with section 202 of the Atomic Energy Act, after receiving testimony from Dr. Leland J. Haworth, member, and other officials of the Atomic Energy Commission.

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Tuesday, April 9, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed wilderness preservation bill and took up Youth Conservation Corps bill.

House debated supplemental appropriation bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5946–6005

Bills Introduced: 20 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1282–1301; S.J. Res. 68; and S. Con. Res. 37. **Page 5951**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 22, releasing right of the U.S. in certain streets in the village of Heyburn, Idaho, with amendments (S. Rept. 118);

S. 873, authorizing the sale of certain public lands in Nevada to Lincoln County, with amendments (S. Rept. 119);

H.R. 277, to transfer certain public lands to the Colorado River Commission of Nevada (S. Rept. 120);

H.R. 1544, a private bill (S. Rept. 121);

S. 1007, guaranteeing electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that area (S. Rept. 122);

H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964 with amendment (S. Rept. 123);

S. 247, authorizing a survey and establishment of a townsite for the Juneau Indian Village, Alaska (S. Rept. 124);

S. 394, H.R. 2291, and H.R. 2294, private bills (S. Repts. 125–127); and

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Trading With the Enemy Act," with supplemental views (S. Rept. 128). Pages 5950–5951

Wilderness Preservation: By 73 yeas to 12 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments S. 4, to establish a National Wilderness Preservation System, after taking the following additional actions on amendments to the bill:

Adopted: Dominick (for Allott) amendments to eliminate certain restrictive language as to livestock grazing; Miller amendment allowing continued use of aircraft and motorboats where these practices have already become established, and authorizing control measures against fire, insects, and diseases; and Dominick amendment, as amended by Church amendment (as a substitute therefor), providing that where congressional resolution of opposition to a Presidential recommendation respecting wilderness system has been introduced, a motion to discharge the committee which has jurisdiction shall not be in order until the time for holding a hearing thereon has elapsed; and

Rejected: By 26 yeas to 56 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dominick (for Allott) amendment authorizing certain mineral leasing and mining in the wilderness system; by 21 yeas to 61 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dominick (for Allott) amendment providing procedures for inclusion within the wilderness system of primitive areas in the national forests; Dominick (for Allott) amendment to provide that authorizations for prospecting, mining, and facilities needed in the public interest shall be under jurisdiction of the appropriate Cabinet officer rather than the President; and, by 35 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dominick amendment (for himself, Senator Allott, and others) providing that President's recommendations respecting wilderness system shall become effective on the day following congressional adjournment sine die, but only in event there has been a positive congressional approval of such recommendations. Pages 5922–5946

Sundry Bills Passed: Senate took from calendar and passed, by unanimous consent, four sundry bills as follows:

Riverton reclamation: H.R. 4423, authorizing continued water delivery in 1963 to lands in the third division, Riverton Federal reclamation project, Wyoming (passed after Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was discharged from its further consideration; S. 982, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed);

Park police: S. 932, to allow the Secretary of the Interior to set the age limits of U.S. Park Police;

Harpers Ferry: S. 18, to change the name of Harpers Ferry National Monument to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park; and

Big Hole Battlefield: S. 138, to redesignate the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument, and revise the boundaries thereof (passed with committee amendment). Pages 6005–6007

Youth Conservation Corps: Senate began consideration of S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, taking the following actions thereon:

Adopted: By 65 yeas to 21 nays, Proxmire amendment to reduce from $120 million to $100 million the authorized appropriations for fiscal year 1964; and

Rejected: By 29 yeas to 58 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Prouty motion to refer S. 1 to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, with instructions to report it back with its views not later than April 30. Pages 6007–6010, 6019–6030

Authority To Meet: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of Committee on Government Operations and Subcommittee on Migratory Labor of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Wednesday, April 10. Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Wednesday, April 10, and Thursday, April 11. Pages 6028, 6030, 6037

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:23 p.m

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from officials of the Department of Agriculture and related agencies; Department of the Treasury; Bureau of the Budget; and Small Business Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRCRAFT, MISSILES, AND VESSELS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, reconsidered its action of Thursday, April 4, on H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964 and, by a vote of 9 to 8, adopted an amendment which would authorize an additional $196 million for procurement of component parts of the NIKE-ZEUS Weapons. Systems. Following this additional action, committee again voted to report this bill to the Senate.

CUBAN MILITARY BUILDUP

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed, in executive session, its discussion of the Cuban military buildup, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

AIRPORTS

Committee on Commerce: The Aviation Subcommittee began hearings on S. 1153, to amend the Federal Airport Act so as to extend for 3 years authority for making grants thereunder. Witnesses heard were Senators Inouye and Fong; Najeeb E. Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency; Alan S. Boyd, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; and Joseph P. Adams, president, Association of Local Transport Airlines.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OZARK NATIONAL RIVERS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Public Lands Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 16, providing for the establishment of the Ozark National Rivers, Mo., receiving testimony from local witnesses.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 331, to extend grants-in-aid to the Republic of the Philippines for hospitalization of Commonwealth Army veterans; S. 384, prohibiting eviction of dependents of military personnel where monthly rental does not exceed $135; S. 412, authorizing VA to waive or release claims following default and loss of property by the borrower veteran under certain conditions; S. 449, authorizing up to $1,600 for purchase of automobiles for certain disabled cold war veterans (amended); and S. 625, including within the definition of "VA facilities" private hospitals under contract to the VA in States without such facilities (Alaska and Hawaii) (amended).

Following this meeting, subcommittee held hearings on S. 5, proposed Cold War Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act, and S. 330, to designate State agencies to work in conjunction with the VA in approving courses under the educational programs established for war orphans, receiving testimony from Senators Bayh, Randolph, and Fong; William Truitt, assistant director, National Farmers Union; Dr. Kenneth E. Carl and Carter Layne, both on behalf of the American Vocational Association; Robert Salling, National Association of State Approval Agencies; and Patrick F. Cavanaugh, University of Maryland Veterans' Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 32 public bills, H.R. 5539–5570; 14 private bills, H.R. 5571–5584; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 377 and H. Con. Res. 133, were introduced. **Pages 6113–6114**

Bills Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 3881, proposed Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1963 (H. Rept. 204). **Page 6113**

Cotton Acreage Transfers: By a voice vote the House passed with amendments H.R. 5067, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, to allow transfers of certain cotton acreage allotments where floods prevent use of original allotments. **Page 6042**

Supplemental Appropriations: Adopted H. Res. 311, a rule waiving points of order against authorization for acquisition of property, construction, and equipment, additional House office building, contained in H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1963. Following adoption of the rule the House concluded all general debate on the bill before deferring further consideration of the legislation to Wednesday. **Pages 6043–6073**

Late Report: The Committee on Ways and Means was granted permission to file by midnight Friday a report on H.R. 4655, to amend the Social Security Act with respect to the amount authorized to be made available to the States out of the employment security administration account for certain administrative expenses and to reduce the rate of the Federal unemployment tax for the calendar year 1963. **Page 6073**

Subcommittee To Sit: The General Subcommittee on Labor of the Committee on Education and Labor was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House session on April 10. **Page 6073**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MEXICAN LABOR

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Equipment, Supplies, and Manpower met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5497, relating to Mexican farm labor.

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing continued hearings on H.R. 904, to prohibit trading in Irish potato futures on the commodity exchanges, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

MILITARY PAY

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4696 (a clean bill to be introduced), the military pay bill. Recessed until Wednesday, April 10.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 4996, the area redevelopment bill. Heard testimony from Representatives Pepper and Fascell; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 10.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on urban renewal, and heard testimony from various D.C. officials.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5081, a private bill; and H.R. 5044, to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for a mutual-aid plan for fire protection by and for D.C. and certain adjacent communities in Maryland and Virginia."

Considered H.R. 5337, to increase the partial pay of educational employees of the public schools of D.C. who are on leave of absence for educational improvement, but deferred action.

Approved H.R. 3190, to allow property in D.C. to be bequeathed or devised to a trustee under or in accordance with terms of an existing trust, subject to approval of the D.C. Commissioners.

IMPACTED AREAS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 4879, and related bills, regarding impacted areas.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on the vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act. Heard testimony from Wilbur J. Cohen, Assistant Secretary, and Frank Keppel, Commissioner of Education, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from David E. Bell, Administrator, Agency for International Development. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 10.

LEGISLATIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 3496, to further amend the Reorganization Act of 1949. Heard testimony from Harold Seidman, Assistant Director for Manpower and Organization, Bureau of the Budget; and a public witness.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

HOUSE ADMINISTRATION

Committee on House Administration: Held a hearing on pending business. Heard testimony from a public witness.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks held a hearing on H.R. 988, and related bills, to acquire the Graf House site for inclusion in Independence National Historical Park; and H.R. 1803 and 2884, bills to provide for the establishment of the Ozark National Rivers in the State of Missouri. Heard testimony from Representative Ichord and Senator Symington (H.R. 1803 and 2884); departmental witnesses (H.R. 988 and related bills); and public witnesses (all measures).

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 10.

ACCIDENT PREVENTION CENTER

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety held a hearing on H.R. 133, to establish a National Accident Prevention Center within the Public Health Service. Heard testimony from Wilbur J. Cohen, Assistant Secretary; Dr. Luther L. Terry, Surgeon General; and Chief, Division of Accident Prevention, all of Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and a Department of Air Force witness.

NEWS MEDIA

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 (Antitrust) resumed hearings on concentration of ownership of news media. Heard testimony from Lee Loevinger, Assistant Attorney General (Antitrust Division), Department of Justice; a General Accounting Office official; and public witnesses.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Resumed hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 10.

PANAMA CANAL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee met in executive session on H.R. 2030, regarding retirement annuities of Panama Canal ship pilots. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization held a hearing on manpower utilization in the Department of Commerce and the Veterans' Administration. Heard testimony from Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Commerce, and staff; and John S. Gleason, Jr., Administrator of Veterans' Administration, and staff.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight heard testimony from William E. Lilly, Director, Program Review and Resources Management; and George Low, Deputy Director for Programs, both of NASA, on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 10.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences heard testimony from Dr. Eugene B. Konecci, Director, Biotechnology and Human Research; and Milton B. Ames, Jr., Director, Space Vehicles, both of Office of Advanced Research and Technology, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, on NASA authorization. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 10.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator; D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; and John Young, Director, Office of Administration, all of NASA. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 10.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Recessed until Wednesday, April 10.

SOCIAL SECURITY

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered favorably reported to the House H.R. 4655 (with technical amendments), to amend the Social Security Act with respect to the amount authorized to be made available to the States out of the employment security administration account for certain administrative expenses, and to reduce the rate of Federal unemployment tax for the calendar year 1963.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation began a series of hearings on S. 1159 and H.R. 5036, bills to authorize funds for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal 1964, receiving testimony from Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, A. R. Luedecke, General Manager, and other officials of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from AEC witnesses.

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Wednesday, April 10, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed Youth Conservation Corps bill and took up military procurement authorization bill.

House passed bills making supplemental appropriations and repealing silver purchase legislation.

House committee approved military pay increase bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6211–6239, 6352

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1302–1310; S.J. Res. 69; and S. Res. 122–125. **Pages 6224, 6352**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 113, to print as a Senate document a report on the Alliance for Progress (S. Rept. 129);

S. Res. 117, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Study Mission to Southeast Asia" (S. Rept. 130);

S. Con. Res. 9, authorizing temporary placement in the rotunda of the Capitol of a statue of the late Joseph Ward, of South Dakota; S. Con. Res. 10, to tender thanks of Congress to South Dakota for the statue of the late Joseph Ward; and S. Con. Res. 11, to print as a Senate document the proceedings at the acceptance of the statue of the late Joseph Ward (S. Rept. 131);

S. Con. Res. 30, to reprint copies of a committee print of the 87th Congress entitled "Part 1 of Concentration Ratios in Manufacturing Industry, 1958" (S. Rept. 132);

S. Con. Res. 32, authorizing printing of hearings in the 87th Congress by the Select Committee on Small Business on "Space Satellite Communications" (S. Rept. 133);

S. Con. Res. 35, to print additional copies of part 1 of the hearings of the Joint Economic Committee on the 1963 Economic Report of the President (S. Rept. 134);

H. Con. Res. 86, to print as a House document the pamphlet "Our Flag" (S. Rept. 135);

H. Con. Res. 98, to authorize the printing of a wall map of the U.S. (S. Rept. 136);

H. Con. Res. 108, to print as a House document "How Our Laws Are Made" (S. Rept. 137);

H. Con. Res. 119, to print as a House document the Constitution of the U.S. (S. Rept. 138);

S. Con. Res. 6, accepting the statue of the late John Burke, of North Dakota, and tendering thanks of Congress therefor, with amendment; S. Con. Res. 7, authorizing temporary placement in the rotunda of the Capitol of the statue of the late John Burke; and S. Con. Res. 8, to print the proceedings in connection with the acceptance of the statue of the late John Burke (S. Rept. 139);

S. Res. 119, providing an additional $300 for expenses for Committee on the Judiciary (no written report); and

S. Res. 122-125, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of deceased Senate employees (no written report). **Page 6212**

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. **Page 6262**

President's Communication—Supplemental Appropriations: Communication from President transmitting proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963 for Department of the Interior in the amount of $6 million and a proposed provision for Department of Defense, was referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 11. **Page 6211**

Youth Conservation Corps: By 50 yeas to 34 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendment S. 1, to establish a Youth Conservation Corps within the Department of Labor, after adopting committee amendment (in nature of a substitute), as amended. This committee amendment was considered as original text for purpose of amendment, and the following actions were taken on amendments and motions offered to it:

Adopted: Inouye amendment respecting definition of term "State" in the bill and providing that each State shall be entitled to not less than 50 enrollees under title I (Youth Conservation Corps), and 50 under title II (State and Community Youth Employment Program); Williams (Delaware) amendment (to title II) establishing requirements and limitations with respect to grants to private nonprofit agencies (motion to reconsider tabled); by 71 yeas to 15 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tower amendment providing for exclusion from Corps of individuals deemed to be detrimental to its welfare but barring exclusion for race, color, or creed; by 50 yeas to 41 nays, Mansfield motion to table Tower amendment barring any discrimination on account of race, creed, color, or national origin in the employment of the resources involved, barring any discrimination in the use of any facilities provided for enrollees, and giving the Attorney General the right to enforce this bar; by 58 yeas to 33 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Mansfield motion to table Tower amendment (to title II) to bar assistance to any private agency or agency of any State, county, or local government unless such agency shall prescribe that there be no discrimination on account of race, creed, color, or national origin in the employment of the resources involved, and giving the Attorney General the right to enforce such prescription; Goldwater amendment requiring enrollees to be of good character; modified Goldwater amendment to provide that a project to receive approval under title II must provide occupational skills certified by Secretary of Labor to be in a field where there is a reasonable opportunity of employment; Keating amendment providing that there be at least 10 hours per week per individual of vocational training in subjects other than those connected with conservation; Prouty amendment providing that types of construction traditionally done by construction trade workers shall continue to be so contracted out; Miller amendment to assure that programs under title II will not impair existing contracts for services; and Nelson amendment providing that agreements with State agencies which will best serve purposes of the bill may be entered into and that cost-sharing procedures shall be applied therein; and

Rejected: By 41 yeas to 47 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Prouty amendments en bloc to strike out title I (Youth Conservation Corps), leaving title II (State and Community Youth Employment Program); Goldwater amendment to bar male enrollees age 18 or over until their military obligation has been fulfilled unless they have volunteered for induction and been rejected or deferred for a legitimate reason; Prouty amendment requiring that only existing facilities shall be utilized for quarters for enrollees but that repairs may be made thereon up to one-third of cost of new construction; and by 37 yeas to 50 nays, Prouty amendment in the nature of a substitute for the bill (motion to reconsider tabled). Pages 6239, 6262–6334, 6336–6340

House Adjournment: Senate concurred in H. Con. Res. 134, providing that when House adjourns on Thursday, April 11, it stand adjourned until noon Monday, April 22. Page 6334

Military Procurement: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that any vote taken in executive session on Thursday, April 11, on H.R. 2440 will be published in the Congressional Record and the Journal. Pages 6342, 6346

Wilderness Preservation: In Senate's consideration on Tuesday, April 9, of S. 4, to establish a National Wilderness Preservation System, Senator Dominick called up six amendments, of which two were adopted and four rejected. Five of these amendments were proposed by Senator Dominick for Senator Allott, who had intended to propose them but who was necessarily absent. The last of these amendments providing that President's recommendations shall become effective the day following congressional adjournment, if Congress has approved them (which was rejected by 35 yeas to 49 nays), was proposed by Senator Dominick for himself, Senator Allott, and others. Pages 5922–5946

Vicksburg National Military Park: S. 386, to consolidate Vicksburg National Military Park and provide for adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 6340–6342

Public Land—Idaho: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 22, releasing rights of the U.S. in certain streets in the village of Heyburn, Idaho. Page 6342

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded its hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, after receiving testimony from departmental witnesses in behalf of funds for the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior, and the Department of Defense.

ARMY REPROGRAMING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Reprograming (Senators Jackson, chairman, Cannon, and Case) met in executive session and agreed on recommendations to be made to the full committee in the matter of an Army aircraft reprograming request.

AIRPORTS

Committee on Commerce: The Aviation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1153, to amend the Federal Airport Act so as to extend for 3 years authority for making grants thereunder, receiving testimony from John C. Houlihan, chairman, subcommittee on airports, American Municipal Association; James D. Ramsey, chairman, National Association of State Aviation Officials, and Michigan Department of Aeronautics; Henry W. Speeth, National Association of Counties; C. P. Waggoner, mayor, and Clifford Johnson, city manager, Grand Prairie, Tex.; Thomas Burnard, Airport Operators Council; J. B. Hartranft, Jr., Aircraft Owners & Pilots Association; Stuart G. Tipton, Air Transport Association; and Robert E. Commerce, Air Line Dispatchers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S. 777, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act so as to increase authorizations for appropriations and to modify the personnel security procedures for contractor employees. Witnesses heard were William C. Foster, Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Roger Fisher, representing the Council for a Livable World; Brig. Gen. J. H. Rothschild (USA retired), United World Federalists; John Ullmann, representing the Universities Committee on Problems of War & Peace of Greater New York; Rodney Shaw, Board of Christian Social Concerns of the Methodist Church; Mrs. Aileen Hutchinson, Women's International League for Peace & Freedom; William Truitt, National Farmers Union; Benjamin Seaver, Friends Committee on National Legislation; Sanford Gottlieb, National Committee for a Sane Nuclear Policy, Inc.; and John H. Eberly, Church of the Brethren, New Windsor, Md.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, having as its witnesses Donald Jordan, chief engineer, Pratt & Whitney Division, United Aircraft, East Hartford, Conn.; and Winston E. Sharp, a consulting engineer, Hartford, Conn.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

LAKE MEAD RECREATION AREA

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Public Lands Subcommittee held hearings on S. 653, to provide an adequate basis for administration of the Lake

Mead National Recreation Area, Ariz. and Nev., with testimony from Max Edwards, Assistant to the Secretary, who was accompanied by Charles A. Richey, Superintendent, Lake Mead National Recreation Area, Frank E. Harrison, National Park Service, and Lawrence N. Stevens, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, all of the Department of the Interior; and Daniel Singer, who testified in behalf of Arthur Lazarus, counsel for the Hualapae Tribe of Arizona.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Rights Subcommittee held an executive meeting where it discussed its agenda for the coming year, and announced that it will (1) hold hearings on May 2, 3, and 8 on the subject of constitutional rights of the mentally ill, and (2) hold hearings on May 21–23 on pending bills to extend the Civil Rights Commission (S. 1117 and S. 1219).

Committee also discussed rules for its operating procedures, but took no action thereon, and will continue their consideration at its next meeting.

MIGRATORY LABOR

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Migratory Labor Subcommittee held hearings on six pending bills relating to various migratory labor matters (S. 521–526), having as its witnesses W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; and Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings are scheduled to continue on Tuesday, April 23.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs continued hearings on S. 5, proposed Cold War Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act, and S. 330, to designate State agencies to work in conjunction with the VA in approving courses under the educational programs established for war orphans, with testimony from Senators Neuberger and Pell; John S. Gleason, Jr., Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, who was accompanied by his associates; Andrew Biemiller, legislative director, AFL–CIO; Illeane Littrell, U.S. Trade School, Kansas City, Mo.; Jack R. Fowler and Walter Holdren, both on behalf of the West Virginia University Veterans' Club; and Garrett Bowman, representing the AMVETS.

Hearings are tentatively scheduled to continue on Tuesday, April 23.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures: S. Res. 119, providing an additional $300 for expenses for Committee on the Judiciary; S. Con. Res. 30, to reprint copies of a committee print of the 87th Congress entitled "Part 1 of Concentration Ratios in Manufacturing Industry, 1958"; S. Con. Res. 32, authorizing printing of hearings in the 87th Congress by the Select Committee on Small Business on "Space Satellite Communications"; S. Con. Res. 35, to print additional copies of part 1 of the hearings of the Joint Economic Committee on the 1963 Economic Report of the President; H. Con. Res. 86, to print as a House document the pamphlet "Our Flag"; H. Con. Res. 98, to authorize the printing of a wall map of the U.S.; H. Con. Res. 108, to print as a House document "How Our Laws Are Made"; H. Con. Res. 119, to print as a House document the Constitution of the U.S. (amended); S. Res. 113, to print as a Senate document a report on the Alliance for Progress; S. Res. 117, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Study Mission to Southeast Asia"; S. Con. Res. 6, accepting a statue of the late John Burke, of North Dakota, and tendering thanks of Congress therefor (amended); S. Con. Res. 7, authorizing temporary placement in the rotunda of the Capitol of the statue of the late John Burke; S. Con. Res. 8, to print the proceedings in connection with the acceptance of the statue of the late John Burke; S. Con. Res. 9, authorizing temporary placement in the rotunda of the Capitol of a statue of the late Joseph Ward, of South Dakota; S. Con. Res. 10, to tender thanks of Congress to South Dakota for the statue of the late Joseph Ward; S. Con. Res. 11, to print as a Senate document the proceedings at the acceptance of the statue of the late Joseph Ward; H.J. Res. 234, providing for the reappointment of John Nicholas Brown as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; and four original resolutions authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of deceased Senate employees.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 5585–5613; 8 private bills, H.R. 5614–5621; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 378 and 379, H. Con. Res. 134–136, and H. Res. 314 and 315, were introduced.

Pages 6162–6163, 6167, 6210–6211

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 314, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Education and Labor (H. Rept. 205);

First report of the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Survey of Selected Activities (Part II—Efficiency and Economy in the Small Business Administration)" (H. Rept. 206); and

Second report of the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Survey of Selected Activities (Part V—Efficiency and Economy in the Post Office Department's Methods of Transporting Money)" (H. Rept. 207). **Page 6210**

Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request to take from the Speaker's table H.R. 4715, to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation, Inc., and concur in Senate amendments thereto. **Pages 6127–6128**

Supplemental Appropriations: By a voice vote the House rejected a recommittal motion and passed H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963. A separate vote was demanded on an amendment to restore $450 million for public works acceleration program, which resulted in its adoption by a record vote of 228 yeas to 184 nays.

Also adopted an amendment to delete $65,000 provided for aiding in creation of Peace Corps by other countries.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Delete $500,000 provided for "civilian industrial technology";

Provide $300 million for public works acceleration program;

Delete item providing $1,500,000 for educational television facilities; and

Reduce by $529,000 the funds provided for salaries and expenses of U.S. attorneys and marshals.

The bill as reported from the Committee on Appropriations provided appropriations totaling $988,756,506, which figure is $652,750,600 below the budget requests. **Pages 6128–6162**

VA Chief Medical Director: Pursuant to a unanimous-consent request the House passed H.R. 4549, relating to appointment of the Chief Medical Director of the Veterans' Administration. **Page 6162**

African Freedom Day: Adopted H. Res. 315, providing for designating April 15 as African Freedom Day and extension of congratulations to the independent countries of Africa and assurance of our continued good will. **Pages 6162–6163**

Board of Visitors: Read a communication from the chairman of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries in which he appointed the following Members to serve with him on the Board of Visitors to the following academies:

U.S. Coast Guard Academy: Representatives Garmatz, Lennon, and Mailliard; and

U.S. Merchant Marine Academy: Representatives Gilbert, Downing, and Van Pelt. **Page 6163**

Easter Adjournment: House adopted H. Con. Res. 134, providing that when the House adjourns on Thursday, April 11, it stand adjourned until Monday, April 22, at 12 o'clock meridian. **Page 6167**

Rules: The Committee on Rules was granted permission to file sundry reports by midnight Thursday. **Page 6179**

Silver: By a record vote of 252 yeas to 122 nays the House passed H.R. 5389, to repeal certain legislation relating to the purchase of silver.

Rejected an amendment to delete section 3 of the bill, regarding authority for issuance of Federal Reserve notes to back currency in lieu of silver.

H. Res. 313, the rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 6163–6179**

Bills Referred: Four Senate-passed bills were referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. **Page 6209**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing continued hearings on H.R. 904, to prohibit trading in Irish potato futures on commodity exchanges, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

MILITARY PAY

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5555 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 4696), the military pay bill.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Concluded hearings on area redevelopment, and heard testimony from Representative Ryan of Michigan; Philip H. Hoff, Governor of Vermont; and a public witness.

IMPACTED AREAS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from L. Quincy Mumford, Librarian of Congress; and public witnesses on H.R. 4879, and related bills, regarding impacted areas.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

MIGRANT WORKERS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 5060, regarding the registration of contractors of migrant agricultural workers, and heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; and a public witness.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from Brig. Gen. Lucius D. Clay (retired), chairman, Committee To Strengthen the Security of the Free World.

POST OFFICE—SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Government Operations: Approved two committee reports:

"Survey of Selected Activities (Part II—Efficiency and Economy in the Small Business Administration)"; and

"Survey of Selected Activities (Part V—Efficiency and Economy in the Post Office Department's methods of transporting money)."

INTERIOR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 2293 (amended), a private bill;

H.R. 4588 (amended), regarding withdrawal of certain public lands in San Bernardino County, Calif., for defense purposes;

H.R. 4151 (amended), to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain public lands in Nevada to the county of Lincoln, Nev.;

H.R. 3200 (amended), to designate the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument and to revise the boundaries thereof;

H.R. 3887 (amended), to authorize the acceptance of donations of land in the State of North Carolina for the construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park;

H.R. 4893, relating to age limits in connection with appointments to the U.S. Park Police; and

H.R. 4152, to authorize the addition of certain donated lands to the administrative headquarters site, Isle Royale National Park.

ACCIDENT PREVENTION CENTER

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety continued hearings on H.R. 133, to establish a National Accident Prevention Center within the Public Health Service. Heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. AIRPORTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session regarding D.C. airports. No announcements were made.

ALCATRAZ ISLAND

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1709 (amended), to establish a Federal Commission to make a study of the possible uses of Alcatraz Island when it is no longer used as a Federal prison.

Also took action on several private claim bills.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization held a hearing on manpower utilization in the Department of Defense. Heard testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower); and Thomas D. Morris, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Installations and Logistics), both of the Department of Defense.

WORK MEASUREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations heard testimony from Fred C. Belen, Assistant Postmaster General, and Richard J. Murphy, Assistant Postmaster General, on work measurement system of the postal service.

FEED GRAINS

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Representative Poage on granting a rule on H.R. 4997, the feed grain bill of 1963. Hearings continue Thursday, April 11.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; William E.

Lilly, Director, Program Review and Resources Management; and George Low, Deputy Director for Programs, all of NASA.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Dr. Eugene B. Konecci, Director, Biotechnology and Human Research, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from John H. Rubel, Assistant Secretary of Defense, Office of Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation continued its hearings on S. 1159 and H.R. 5036, bills to authorize funds for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1964, with further testimony from Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Dr. Leland J. Haworth, and James T. Ramey, members, A. R. Luedecke, General Manager, and other officials of the AEC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

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Thursday, April 11, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed military procurement bill after considering it in executive and open session, passed 26 measures on calendar call, and took up water resources bill.

House passed bills on lead-zinc production and Virgin Island bonds and observed Pan American Day.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6406, 6432–6469

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1311–1322; and S. Res. 126–127.

Page 6439

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.J. Res. 234, providing for the reappointment of John Nicholas Brown as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (S. Rept. 140). **Pages 6438–6439**

Bills Referred: Seven House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 6406, 6437**

President's Communication — National Service Corps: Communication from President transmitting draft of proposed legislation to provide for a National Service Corps to strengthen community service programs, with accompanying papers, was received and referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare.

Pages 6437–6438

Military Procurement: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964, as amended by adoption of committee amendment (in nature of a substitute) which had been amended by adoption of Russell amendment by 58 yeas to 18 nays to reduce authorized funds for Army missiles from $746,700,000 to $550,700,000.

Senate rejected, by 22 yeas to 48 nays, Smith amendment (to committee substitute) to authorize $134 million for construction of two atomic submarines.

During part of the consideration of this bill Senate was in executive session. This was pursuant to motion by Senator Thurmond which was seconded by Senator Curtis, after which the doors were closed and the galleries were cleared. **Pages 6406–6432**

Public Land—Idaho: H.R. 1087, releasing rights of the U.S. in certain streets in the village of Heyburn, Idaho, was passed without amendment and cleared for Presidential action, after Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs had been discharged from its further consideration. Prior to these actions, Senate reconsidered its passage on April 10 of companion bill, S. 22. S. 22 was indefinitely postponed. **Page 6432**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 26 measures, of which 4 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Colorado River Commission: H.R. 277, to transfer certain public lands to the Colorado River Commission of Nevada; and

Private bills: H.R. 1544, 2291, and 2294.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Indians: S. 247, authorizing a survey and establishment of a townsite for the Juneau Indian Village, Alaska.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Public lands—Nevada: S. 873, authorizing the sale of certain public lands in Nevada to Lincoln County; and

Private bill: S. 394.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 119, providing an additional $300 for expenses for Committee on the Judiciary;

Statues: S. Con. Res. 7, authorizing temporary placement in the rotunda of the Capitol of the statue of the late John Burke;

Statues: S. Con. Res. 9, authorizing temporary placement in the rotunda of the Capitol of a statue of the late Joseph Ward, of South Dakota;

Statues: S. Con. Res. 10, to tender thanks of Congress to South Dakota for the statue of the late Joseph Ward;

Printing: S. Con. Res. 32, authorizing printing of hearings in the 87th Congress by the Select Committee on Small Business on "Space Satellite Communications";

S. Con. Res. 35, to print additional copies of part 1 of the hearings of the Joint Economic Committee on the 1963 Economic Report of the President;

H. Con. Res. 86, to print as a House document the pamphlet "Our Flag";

H. Con. Res. 98, to authorize the printing of a wall map of the U.S.;

H. Con. Res. 108, to print as a House document "How Our Laws Are Made";

S. Con. Res. 8, to print the proceedings in connection with the acceptance of the statue of the late John Burke;

S. Con. Res. 11, to print as a Senate document the proceedings at the acceptance of the statue of the late Joseph Ward;

S. Res. 113, to print as a Senate document a report on the Alliance for Progress;

S. Res. 117, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Study Mission to Southeast Asia"; and

Gratuities: S. Res. 122–125, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of deceased Senate employees.

Resolutions adopted with amendment:

Printing: H. Con. Res. 119, to print as a House document the Constitution of the U.S.; and

Statues: S. Con. Res. 6, accepting the statue of the late John Burke, of North Dakota, and tendering thanks of Congress therefor. **Pages 6432–6437**

Cotton Allotments: Committee on Agriculture and Forestry was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 5067, to allow transfers of certain cotton acreage allotments where floods prevent use of original allotments, and the bill was then passed without amendment, clearing it for White House. **Page 6437**

Resolution Referred: S. Con. Res. 30, to reprint copies of a committee print of the 87th Congress entitled "Part 1 of Concentration Ratios in Manufacturing Industry, 1958," was, by unanimous consent, referred back to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Pages 6435–6436**

Water Resources: Senate made its unfinished business S. 2, proposed Water Resources Research Act of 1963. **Page 6469**

Senate Sessions: Order was entered that when Senate adjourns today it stand adjourned until noon Monday, April 15; and that when it adjourns on April 15 it be until noon Thursday, April 18. **Page 6469**

Nominations: Numerous Coast Guard and postmaster nominations were received. **Pages 6512–6514**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 80 public bills, H.R. 5622–5701; 4 private bills, H.R. 5702–5705; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 380–382, H. Con. Res. 137, and H. Res. 316–321, were introduced. **Pages 6359, 6366, 6404–6406**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5555, to increase the rates of basic pay for members of the uniformed services (H. Rept. 208);

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 209);

H. Res. 317, providing for agreeing to Senate amendments to H.R. 4715, to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation, Inc. (H. Rept. 210);

H.R. 4655, reduction of temporary additional Federal unemployment tax and authorization of employment security administrative expenses, amended (H. Rept. 211);

H. Res. 318, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Agriculture (H. Rept. 212);

H. Res. 319, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on the Judiciary (H. Rept. 213); and

H. Res. 320, open rule providing for the consideration of and 3 hours of debate on H.R. 4997, to extend the feed grain program (H. Rept. 214). Page 6404

Pan American Day: Adopted H. Res. 316, providing for extending greetings of the House of Representatives to the legislative bodies of each of the American States in observance of the 73d anniversary of the Pan American Union. Pages 6358–6366

D.C. Legislation: The Committee on the District of Columbia was granted permission to file sundry reports by midnight Saturday. Page 6374

Committee Travel: Adopted H. Res. 310, to authorize travel outside the continental United States by certain members of the Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 6379

Lead-Zinc: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 3845, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act of October 3, 1961, so as to confine benefits thereof to small producers, after adopting an amendment thereto.

H. Res. 309, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 6379–6384

Virgin Islands: The House by a voice vote passed H.R. 1989, to authorize the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds, after adopting several committee amendments.

H. Res. 307, the open rule making in order the consideration of the bill, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 6380, 6384–6387

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of April 24. Page 6388

Bill Referred: S. 386, to consolidate the Vicksburg National Military Park and provide for adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road, was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 6403

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 3190 (amended), to allow property in D.C. to be bequeathed or devised to a trustee under or in accordance with terms of an existing trust;

H.R. 4330 (amended), to amend the D.C. Business Corporation Act;

H.R. 5044, to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for a mutual-aid plan for fire protection by and for D.C. and certain adjacent communities in Maryland and Virginia";

H.R. 5338 (amended), to enact the Uniform Commercial Code for D.C.; and

H.R. 5081, a private bill.

COMMERCIAL CODE—BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4330, to amend the D.C. Business Corporation Act; and H.R. 5338, to enact the Uniform Commercial Code for the D.C.

Prior to taking action on the bills, held an open hearing with testimony from D.C. officials.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education resumed hearings on Public Law 87–274, regarding juvenile delinquency, and heard testimony from David Hackett, representative from the President's Commission on Juvenile Delinquency. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FEED GRAINS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 3 hours of debate, on H.R. 4997, the feed grain bill.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Hoeven, Quie, Short, Dole, Findley, Beermann, and McIntire.

ELEANOR ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule to take from the Speaker's table and agree to Senate amendments to H.R. 4715, to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation, Inc.

Representatives Forrester and Mathias were heard on the request for a rule.

COMMITTEE TRAVEL

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported to the House H. Res. 318 and H. Res. 319, to grant additional travel authority for the Committees on Agriculture and Judiciary, respectively.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space and Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Harold B. Finger, Director, Nuclear Systems, NASA.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made.

Monday, April 15, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6522–6539

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1323–1327. Page 6527

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 537, to amend the Legislative Reorganization Act to provide for more effective evaluation of the executive agencies of the Federal Government (S. Rept. 141). Page 6526

Smithsonian Institution: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 234, providing for the reappointment of John Nicholas Brown as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. Pages 6522–6523

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: E. Allan Lightner, Jr., of Maine, to be Ambassador to Libya, four Foreign Service nominations, and four civilians, including those of L. J. Andolsek, of Minnesota, to be a Civil Service Commissioner, Manuel Frederick Cohen, of Maryland, to be a member of SEC, and Frank E. Smith, of Mississippi, to be a member of the Board of Directors of TVA. Page 6557

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, April 12, committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, April 22, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Thursday, April 18, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6559–6589

Bills Introduced: Ten bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1328–1337. Page 6561

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Chester Bowles, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to India; 15 Army in the rank of general; 3 Navy in the rank of admiral; and 7 Coast Guard. Page 6599

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY-POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 5366, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Post Office Department from Frederick C. Belen, Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Operations); William J. Hartigan, Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Transportation); Ralph W. Nicholson, Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Finance); Sidney W. Bishop, Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Facilities); Henry B. Montague, Chief Postal Inspector; and Edward E. Harriman, Director, Office of Research and Engineering. Testimony was also received from Kermit Gordon, Director, Bureau of the Budget; T. Sutton Jett, National Park Service; Walter W. Heller, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers; Bromley Smith, Executive Secretary, National Security Council; John Donovan, Executive Assistant to the Secretary of Labor, on funds for the President's Advisory Committee on Labor-Management Relations; Chief Judge Norman O. Tietjens, U.S. Tax Court; and Frank Bane, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

On Wednesday, April 17, subcommittee received testimony from Postmaster General J. Edward Day; John W. MacCay, National Postal Union; and Jerome Keating, National Association of Letter Carriers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee held and concluded hearings in connection with Air Force Acquisition Project No. 35, Dare County, N.C., Navy-Air Force Range. Witnesses heard were M. L. Daniels, Jr., member of the North Carolina State Legislature; Lawrence L. Swain, Pennell A. Tillett, W. Stanford White, members, and J. Melville Broughton, Jr., special counsel, all of Board of Commissioners of Dare County; Wallace H. McCown, county attorney, Dare County; John A. Wilkinson, attorney, Washington, N.C., and Brig. Gen. Joseph H. Moore, Assistant Director of Operations, Tactical Command, Air Force.

PACIFIC TRADE PATTERNS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on Pacific trade patterns, with testimony from Clarence F. Pautzke, Commissioner of Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior, who was accompanied by his associates.

On Wednesday, April 17, committee received testimony on this subject from Raymond A. Ioanes, Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, having as its witness Walter Pincus, a member of the committee's staff investigating this matter.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EQUAL PAY FOR WOMEN

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Tuesday, April 16, Subcommittee on Labor concluded its series of hearings on S. 882 and S. 910, to prohibit discrimination based on sex in wages paid for employment in interstate commerce, after receiving testimony from the following witnesses: William Schnitzler, AFL–CIO; Geraldine Gross, Council of State Chambers of Commerce; Boyd Owen, Owens Illinois Glass Co.; Fred Edwards, Armstrong Cork Co., Lancaster; Dorothy Haener, UAW; Mrs. Joseph Normile, who represented the National Council of Catholic Women, National Council of Jewish Women, National Consumers League, and the American Nurses' Association; Jerry Markum, Thatcher Glass Co., New York City; Sonia Pressman, American Civil Liberties Union; James Hamilton, National Council of Churches; and J. Howard Hicks, Office Employees' International Union, AFL–CIO.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, April 22, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Monday, April 22, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate considered water resources bill, agreeing to limit further debate.

House passed 52 miscellaneous bills.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6658–6689

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1338–1342. **Page 6661**

President's Communication—Appropriations: Communication was received from President transmitting supplemental estimate of appropriations to pay claims and judgments rendered against U.S., aggregating $3,574,144—referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 14. **Page 6658**

Pacific Power: During the consideration of S. 2, water resources bill, this bill was, by unanimous consent, temporarily put aside for the consideration of S. 1007, guaranteeing electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that area. No actions were taken on this bill today. **Pages 6717–6718**

Water Resources: Senate debated S. 2, proposed Water Resources Research Act of 1963, and agreed by unanimous consent to limit further debate at conclusion of routine morning business on Tuesday, April 23, as follows: 1 hour on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), equally divided, with the proviso that no nongermane amendment may be received; and 1 hour on question of passage of bill, equally divided. **Pages 6689, 6697, 6705–6717**

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Brockway McMillan, of New Jersey, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force; and numerous Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps nominations.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, April 19, subcommittee concluded its hearings on H.R. 5366, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, after receiving testimony from the following Treasury Department officials: Douglas Dillon, Secretary; A. E. Weatherbee, Administrative Assistant Secretary; Harold R. Gearhart, Commissioner of Accounts; Philip Nichols, Jr., Commissioner of Customs; Henry J. Holtzclaw, Director, Bureau of Engraving and Printing; Eva Adams, Director of the Mint; Henry L. Giordano, Commissioner of Narcotics; Donald M. Merritt, Commissioner of the Public Debt; William H. Neal, National Director, U.S. Savings Bonds Division; Robert A. Wallace, Assistant to the Secretary; James J. Rowley, Chief, U.S. Secret Service; Adm. E. J. Roland, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard; Mortimer M. Caplin, Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service; and William T. Howell, Deputy Treasurer.

INTERNATIONAL HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing began a series of hearings on international housing problems, with special emphasis on such problems of the friendly underdeveloped nations of the world. Senator Sparkman, chairman of the subcommittee, stated that authors of several papers on various topics in the field of international housing will participate in panel discussions during this series of hearings. Today's panels consisted of (1) Homer Hoyt, Edward D. Hollander, and Robert C. Cook, all of whom are from Washington, D.C.; and (2) Jacob Crane, of the D.C., Charles Abrams, of New York, and William K. Wittausch, Stanford Research Association, Berkeley, Calif.; and the following Government officials: Frank M. Coffin, Deputy Administrator, Agency for International Development; Stanley Baruch, Inter-American Development Bank; and Milton P. Semer, HHFA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INLAND WATERWAYS CORPORATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1031, to repeal the Inland Waterways Corporation Act and provide for the liquidation of the affairs of the Corporation, having as its witnesses Frank Barton, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Transportation, and A. C. Ingersoll, Jr., Federal Barge Lines, Inc., St. Louis.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 37 public bills, H.R. 5706–5742; 17 private bills, H.R. 5743–5759; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 383–385, H. Con. Res. 138, and H. Res. 322, were introduced. **Pages 6656–6657**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3190, regarding "pour over" trusts in the District of Columbia, filed on April 12 (H. Rept. 215);

H.R. 4330, to amend the District of Columbia Business Corporation Act, filed on April 12 (H. Rept. 216);

H.R. 5044, regarding indemnification of parties to mutual-aid firefighting agreements for the District of Columbia, Maryland, and Virginia, filed on April 12 (H. Rept. 217);

H.R. 5081, regarding power-line right-of-way in the District of Columbia, filed on April 12 (H. Rept. 218);

H.R. 5338, to enact the Uniform Commercial Code for the District of Columbia, filed on April 12 (H. Rept. 219);

H.J. Res. 82, designating the Short Mountain lock and dam and reservoir, Oklahoma, as the Robert S. Kerr lock and dam and reservoir (H. Rept. 220); and

H.R. 2072, assuring payment of just compensation for the use and occupancy of certain lands on Kwajalein and Dalap Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (H. Rept. 221). **Page 6656**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Bankruptcy Act: H.R. 1049, amending the Bankruptcy Act with respect to the filing of claims in chapter XI proceedings;

Indiana hospital relief: H.R. 2364, for the relief of the Clay County Hospital, Brazil, Ind.;

Bankruptcy Act: H.R. 2859, to provide for the promulgation of rules of practice and procedure under the Bankruptcy Act;

Economic censuses: H.R. 3545, to amend section 131, title 13, U.S. Code, to provide for taking of the economic censuses 1 year earlier starting in 1968;

Public lands: H.R. 3574, to provide for the withdrawal and reservation for the use of the Department of the Air Force of certain public lands of the U.S. at Cuddeback Lake Air Force Range, Calif., for defense purposes; and

Retirement Act: H.R. 3612, to define the term "child" for lump-sum payment purposes under the Civil Service Retirement Act.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

National parks: H.J. Res. 180, to authorize continued use of certain lands within the Sequoia National Park by portions of an existing hydroelectric project; and

Hazardous-duty pay: H.R. 1159, to amend the Classification Act of 1949 to authorize the establishment of hazardous-duty pay in certain cases.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 228, 1819, and 3517. **Pages 6602–6604**

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1213, 1292, 1428, 1447, 1561, 1853, 2245, 2257, 2292, 2327, 2700, 2772, 3022, 3029, 3240, 3356, 3369, 3450, 3623, 3624, 3625, 3627, 4349, and 5081.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 1267, 1286, 1459, 1492, 1876, 2179, 2302, 2326, 2699, 2708, 2736, 2743, 2798, 3662, 3755, and 4214.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2300, 2706, 2728, and 4695. **Pages 6604–6611**

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up and passed:

D.C. firefighting agreements: H.R. 5044, regarding indemnification of parties to mutual-aid firefighting agreements for the District of Columbia, Maryland, and Virginia;

D.C. Commercial Code: H.R. 5338, to enact the Uniform Commercial Code for the District of Columbia (amended);

D.C. Business Corporation Act: H.R. 4330, to amend the District of Columbia Business Corporation Act (amended); and

D.C. trusts: H.R. 3190, regarding "pour over" trusts in the District of Columbia (amended). **Pages 6611–6618**

Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial: Adopted H. Res. 317, providing for House concurrence in Senate amendments to H.R. 4715, to incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation, Inc. This action cleared the legislation for Presidential consideration. **Pages 6618–6620**

Committee Travel: Adopted H. Res. 318 and 319, authorizing travel outside U.S. continental limits by certain members of the Committees on Agriculture and the Judiciary, respectively. **Pages 6620–6621**

Committee To Sit: The Committee on Banking and Currency was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House session on Tuesday, April 23. **Pages 6621**

Bills Referred: 11 Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 6654**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on vocational education, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 23.

MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held a hearing on H.R. 1233, to provide for the reinstatement and validation of U.S. oil and gas lease No. Sacramento 037552–C. Heard testimony from Representative Sisk, departmental witnesses, and public witnesses. Recessed until Tuesday, April 23.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight resumed hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from John L. Sloop, Director, Propulsion and Power Generation, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA; Col. Paul G. Atkinson, Chief, Missiles and Boosters Division, Air Force Advanced Engineering; and public witnesses.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Recessed until Tuesday, April 23.

Joint Committee Meetings

"THRESHER" SINKING

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from Staff Director John Conway, who has attended recent sessions of the board of inquiry held in connection with the loss of the atomic submarine *Thresher*.

Tuesday, April 23, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on water resources and on Pacific power.
House debated health professions educational assistance bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6730–6764

Bills Introduced: Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1343–1346; S.J. Res. 70; and S. Con. Res. 38. **Page 6740**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 39, designating the week of May 20–26, 1963, as National Actors' Equity Week (S. Rept. 142);

S. 1196, private bill (S. Rept. 143);

H.R. 2833, to permit a court on its own motion to examine attorney fees paid in a bankruptcy proceeding (S. Rept. 144);

H.R. 2837, to maintain in a more up-to-date fashion the code of Federal regulations (S. Rept. 145);

H.R. 2842, amending the Federal criminal code in connection with offenses committed out of the jurisdiction of any State or district (S. Rept. 146);

H.R. 2849, to permit the deposit of funds of the bankrupt's estate in interest-bearing accounts (S. Rept. 147);

S. 787, 495, and 732, private bills (S. Repts. 148–150);

S. 102, to provide for five additional Commissioners of the U.S. Court of Claims, with amendments (S. Rept. 151); and

S. 980, to provide additional places for holding Federal court in the district of Vermont at Montpelier and St. Johnsbury (S. Rept. 152). **Page 6732**

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 6730**

Bills Rereferred: Committee on Banking and Currency was discharged from further consideration of S. 915, planning and programing of land-use projects in the development of metropolitan areas, and the bill was rereferred to Committee on Government Operations.

Committee on Finance was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 200, to repeal mustering-out payment program under veterans' benefits laws, and the bill was rereferred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. **Pages 6744–6745**

Water Resources: Senate passed with amendments S. 2, proposed Water Resources Research Act of 1963, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: Anderson amendment of a technical corrective nature; four Allott amendments (1) to strike out sections 302 and 303 that would have authorized Secretary of the Interior to establish in the Department a Water Resources Service to administer programs, would have earmarked 4 percent of any funds appropriated for purpose of administration, and would have authorized employment of certain personnel above civil service grade 15, (2) to direct Secretary of the Interior to ascertain by July 1 each year whether the requirements of the section providing for payment of sums designated by the States have been met, (3) providing that within 2 years after enactment the Secretary of the Interior shall submit to the President for transmittal to Congress a comprehensive report on progress and accomplishments under the act, with recommendations for any revisions, and (4) to provide that advance payments of initial expense may be made to educational institutions or nonprofit organizations; Miller amendment to assure that it will be within discretion of a State legislature whether an institution of higher learning in that State other than a land-grant college may receive research grants; Johnston (for Yarborough) amendment respecting bookkeeping transactions between Post Office Department and the Interior Department as to penalty mail; Long (Louisiana) amendment to assure that information and patents resulting from programs authorized under the act shall be made available to the public; and

Rejected: Two Allott amendments (1) to keep the control of research in State institutes or centers in the hands of such institutes or centers rather than in the Federal Government, and (2) by 30 yeas to 61 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), to limit life of legislation to 5 fiscal years and to confine authorized appropriations to $5 million per year for each of such years rather than allowing increase of $1 million additional each year for 5 years and $10 million annually thereafter; and, by 29 yeas to 58 nays, Cotton amendments en bloc to reduce by 20 percent authorized appropriations for State water resources research institutes or centers, except for land-grant colleges.

Pages 6765, 6768, 6772–6785

Pacific Power: Senate resumed consideration of and passed without amendment S. 1007, guaranteeing electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that area.
Pages 6786–6791

Senate Committee Staffing: Report on committee staffing in the Senate, prepared by Legislative Reference Service, was ordered to be printed as a Senate document.
Pages 6745–6749

Nomination: One judicial nomination was received.
Pages 6791–6801

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee met in executive session to consider H.R. 5517, supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, but made no announcements.

INTERNATIONAL HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued its hearings on international housing problems, especially such problems of the friendly underdeveloped nations of the world. Today's panel directed their remarks to types of assistance—urban planning, community facilities, slum clearance, educational and training programs, and local government organization. Panelists were Eric Carlson, technical adviser, Caracas, Venezuela; Walter D. Harris, graduate school of city planning, Yale University; Charles S. Ascher, Institute for Public Administration, New York; Leonard Currie, Chicago division, University of Illinois; William L. C. Wheaton, professor of city planning, University of Pennsylvania; and William C. Moore, Inter-American Bar Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRPORTS

Committee on Commerce: The Aviation Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 1153, to amend the Federal Airport Act so as to extend for 3 years authority for making grants thereunder, after receiving testimony from John O. Colonna, Municipal & Airport Division, American Road Builders' Association; James T. Pyle, National Pilots Association, who also represented the National Aviation Trades Association; Ralph V. Whitener, National Aeronautics Association; and Edward H. Cockerham, Air Traffic Control Association.

NOMINATIONS, AND PHILIPPINE WAR DAMAGE CLAIMS ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of George C. McGhee, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Germany; Roger Hilsman, Jr., of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs; Brewster H. Morris, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Chad; David Elliott Bell, of Massachusetts, to be Alternate Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank; Edwin M. Martin, of Ohio, to be U.S. Representative to the 10th Session of the Economic Commission for the Economic and Social Council of the U.N.; and Walter M. Kotschnig, of Maryland, to be U.S. Representative to the 18th Plenary Session of the Economic Commission for Europe of the Economic and Social Council of the U.N.

Also, the committee approved amendments to the Philippine War Damage Claims Act of 1962, and authorized Chairman Fulbright to request the Appropriations Committee to include these amendments in the bill H.R. 5517, supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, which bill is now pending before that committee.

Prior to this action, in open session, Messrs. McGhee and Hilsman were present to testify and answer questions on behalf of their own nominations.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Frank Udoff, to be U.S. marshal for the district of Maryland, Louis M. Janelle, to be U.S. attorney for the district of New Hampshire, and Paul G. April, to be U.S. marshal for the district of New Hampshire; H.R. 2833, to permit a court on its own motion to examine attorneys fees paid in a bankruptcy proceeding; H.R. 2837, to maintain in a more up-to-date fashion the Code of Federal Regulations; H.R. 2842, amending the Federal criminal code in connection with offenses committed out of the jurisdiction of any State or district; H.R. 2849, to permit the deposit of funds of the bankrupt's estate in interest-bearing accounts; S. 102, to provide for five additional Commissioners of the U.S. Court of Claims (amended); S. 980, to provide additional places for holding Federal court in the district of Vermont at Montpelier and St. Johnsbury; S.J. Res. 39, designating a National Actors' Equity Week; and four private immigration bills (S. 495, 732, 787, and 1196).

The committee also approved annual reports of its Subcommittees on Antitrust and Monopoly; Revision and Codification; Constitutional Rights; and Improvements in Judicial Machinery.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on six private immigration bills (S. 201, 417, 481, 591, 636, and 1098); and three private claims bills (S. 560, 877, and 1129).

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs resumed its hearings on S. 5, proposed Cold War Veterans' Readjustment Assistance

Act, and S. 330, to designate State agencies to work in conjunction with the VA in approving courses under the educational programs established for war orphans, receiving testimony from Senator Gruening; Col. Winston G. Whall, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower); Col. John T. Carlton, Reserve Officers Association of the U.S.; Felix Putterman, Jewish War Veterans; and Richard Fulton, representing United Business Schools.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MIGRATORY LABOR

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Migratory Labor Subcommittee resumed its hearings on six pending bills relating to various migratory labor matters (S. 521–526), having as its witnesses Mariana Jessen, National Committee for the Day Care of Children, Inc.; Cassandra Stockburger, National Child Labor Committee; William Batt, Administrator, Area Redevelopment Administration, Department of Commerce; Rev. John A. Wagner, National Council for the Spanish Speaking, who was accompanied by several migrant workers; Robert Goodwin, Administrator, Bureau of Employment Security, Department of Labor; Charles M. Creuziger, Vegetable Growers Association of America; and Mary C. Gereau, National Education Association, the latter of whom submitted a statement for the record.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 49 public bills, H.R. 5760–5808; 26 private bills, H.R. 5809–5834; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 386 and 387, H. Con. Res. 139 and 140, and H. Res. 323, were introduced. Pages 6865–6866

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2073, placing certain submerged lands under the jurisdiction of the governments of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa, amended (H. Rept. 222);

Report of the Committee on Foreign Affairs entitled "Special Study Mission to Latin America, Peru, Ecuador, Colombia, Panama, and Costa Rica" (H. Rept. 223);

Eight private bills, H.R. 2262, 2726, 2753, 1395, 2268, 2751, 4773, and 4811 (H. Repts. 224–231, respectively);

H.R. 1709, to establish a Federal commission on the disposition of Alcatraz Island, amended (H. Rept. 232); and

H.R. 5042, for relief for certain officers of the naval service erroneously in receipt of compensation based upon an incorrect computation of service for basic pay (H. Rept. 233). Pages 6864–6865

Health Professions Educational Assistance: By a voice vote the House adopted H. Res. 305, the open rule providing for the consideration of and 3 hours of debate on H.R. 12, the proposed Health Professions Educational Assistance Act. During the consideration of the bill an amendment to substitute the provisions of last year's college academic facilities bill (H.R. 8900) was ruled out when a point of order against the amendment was sustained. Further reading of the bill for amendments will continue on Wednesday. Pages 6803–6845

Committee To Sit: The Committee on Banking and Currency was granted permission to sit during special orders of the House session on Thursday. Pages 6860–6861

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 3928, and related bills, regarding potato marketing quotas, and heard testimony from Representatives Pike and Bonner; and Department of Agriculture witnesses.

Statements were submitted for the record by Representatives Ullman, Walter, and McIntire. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 24.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from various public witnesses regarding vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, National Education Improvement Act. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 24.

EQUAL PAY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session to mark up H.R. 3861, to prohibit discrimination on account of sex in the payment of wages by employers engaged in commerce. Recessed until Wednesday, April 24.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and heard testimony from David E. Bell, Administrator, Agency for International Development, on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Wednesday, April 24.

FOREIGN SERVICE ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations, in executive session, heard testimony on Foreign Service Act amendments from William J. Crockett, Assistant Secretary of State for Administration. Recessed until Wednesday, April 24.

MILITARY COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations heard testimony from Lt. Gen. Alfred D. Starbird, Director, Defense Communications Agency, regarding the military communications satellite program.

MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining heard testimony from departmental witnesses regarding review of Bureau of Mines' research program, and H.R. 2888, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the U.S. to the State of Maryland.

QUALITY STABILIZATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 3669, the Quality Stabilization Act. Heard testimony from Senator Proxmire; Representatives Madden, Celler, Friedel, and Jarman; and Lee Loevinger, Assistant Attorney General (Antitrust Division), Department of Justice. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 24.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety held a hearing on H.R. 2410, regarding Public Health Service reorganization. Heard testimony from Luther L. Terry, Surgeon General, Public Health Service, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 24.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4897, to broaden the jurisdiction of Federal courts with respect to the crime of giving false information to interfere with military operations or causing insubordination in times of war;

H.R. 5175, to authorize the issuance of certificates of citizenship in the Canal Zone;

H.R. 1709 (amended), to establish a Federal commission on the disposition of Alcatraz Island;

H.R. 5042, to relieve certain officers of the naval service erroneously in receipt of compensation based upon an incorrect computation of service for basic pay; and H.R. 4223 (amended), to require accounts of private corporations established under Federal law to be audited by independent accountants.

Took action on several private immigration and private claim bills.

COAST GUARD

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 74 (amended), to provide medical care for certain Coast and Geodetic Survey retired ships' officers and crew members and their dependents; H.R. 75, to provide for exceptions to the rules of navigation in certain cases; and H.R. 4300, to amend the inland and western rivers rules concerning anchor lights and fog signals required in special anchorage areas.

Prior to taking action on the measures the subcommittee held an open hearing and heard testimony from departmental witnesses (all measures) and a public witness (H.R. 75 and 4300).

CIVIL SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5569, to amend the Civil Service Retirement Act to permit the recovery by the Government of amounts due the Government in the settlement of claims under such act.

Prior to taking action on the measure an open hearing was held on H.R. 5390 and 5569, similar bills (title above). Testimony was given by Representative Pool; and departmental and District of Columbia officials.

TROTTERS SHOALS RESERVOIR

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control held a hearing on Trotters Shoals Reservoir, Savannah River, Ga. and S.C., projects, and heard testimony from Representatives Dorn and Stephens; a Corps of Engineers official; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, April 24.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Recessed until Wednesday, April 24.

Joint Committee Meetings

STEEL INDUSTRY

Joint Economic Committee: Committee began a series of hearings to inquire into the question of steel prices, profits, production, unit labor costs, raw material costs, and the effects of foreign competition, having as its witnesses Philip Arnow and Leon Greenberg, both of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor. The witnesses' testimony centered mainly on labor costs per unit of output and related data.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL BUDGET

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Statistics began a series of hearings on the subject of the Federal budget and its uses as an economic document, having as its witnesses George Break, professor of economics, University of California; E. Cary Brown, professor of economics, MIT; Arthur Okun, professor of economics, Yale University; and Carl Shoup, professor of economics, Columbia University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Wednesday, April 24, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated question of confirmation of 14 incorporators of the Communications Satellite Corp.

House passed health professions educational assistance bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6931–6971, 7030

Bills Introduced: 14 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1347–1360; and S. Res. 128. **Page 6933**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Study of the Federal Judicial System" (S. Rept. 153);

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Revision and Codification" (S. Rept. 154); and

H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, with amendments (S. Rept. 155). **Page 6933**

Courts: Senate passed without amendment S. 980, to provide additional places for holding Federal court in the district of Vermont at Montpelier and St. Johnsbury. **Page 6932**

Actors' Equity Week: S.J. Res. 39, designating the week of May 20–26, 1963, as National Actors' Equity Week, was passed without amendment. **Page 6932**

Supplemental Appropriations: Senator Pastore presented three notices of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing amendments to H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963. **Pages 6943–6944**

Communications Satellite Corp.: Senate considered question of confirmation of the 14 reported nominations on the Executive Calendar to be incorporators of the Communications Satellite Corp., but did not reach vote thereon. **Pages 6971–6983, 6986–7022**

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Roger Hilsman, Jr., of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; George C. McGhee, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Federal Republic of Germany; Brewster H. Morris, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Chad; David Elliott Bell, of Massachusetts, to be Alternate Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank; three judicial; and two to a U.N. group. **Page 7031**

Nominations: The nomination of Adm. Jerauld Wright, USN (retired), of D.C., to be Ambassador to China, and numerous Coast Guard nominations, were received. **Page 7031**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPACE

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee began hearings in connection with certain technical and scientific aspects of the Nation's space program preparatory to holding hearings on proposed fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Witnesses heard were James E. Webb, Administrator, Dr. Hugh L. Dryden, Deputy Administrator, Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, and Dr. Homer E. Newell, Jr., Director, Office of Space Sciences, all of NASA.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Dr. Newell will resume testifying.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments

H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide a total of $1,486,096,841, an increase of $47,405,335 over the House-passed figure of $1,438,691,506.

Also, the committee adopted a new title 4 to the bill entitled "Philippine Rehabilitation Act Amendments of 1963."

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony from Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara; Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chief of Staff, Army, who represented Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; and Charles J. Hitch, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller).

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Secretary Hitch, and from officials of the Air Force.

CUBAN MILITARY BUILDUP

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session to discuss the Cuban military buildup, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

INTERNATIONAL HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued its hearing on international housing problems, especially such problems of the friendly underdeveloped nations of the world. Today's session consisted of panel discussions as follows: (1) Robert L. Davison, Pratt Institute, New York; Rudard A. Jones, University of Illinois; Paul Burkhard, a homebuilder of Glendale, Calif.; Don L. Dise, National Association of Home Builders; Willard Garvey, World Homes, Inc., Wichita; and Stephen C. A. Paraskevopoulos, University of Michigan, all of whom discussed types of assistance-development of building materials industry, homebuilding techniques, and the U.S. investment guarantee program; and (2) Wallace J. Campbell, Nationwide Mutual Insurance Companies, Columbus, Ohio; David L. Krooth, Foundation for Cooperative Housing, Washington, D.C.; and Lawrence M. Cox, Norfolk Redevelopment & Housing Authority, Virginia, all of whom discussed aided self-help cooperative housing.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FISHERY LEGISLATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries began hearings on S. 627, to promote State fishery research and development; S. 744, authorizing construction of two stern-ramp trawlers for research in commercial fishing; and S. 978, to restore medical care to fishing boat owners. Testimony was received from Senator Monroney; Donald L. McKernan, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, who was accompanied by his associates; David H. Hart, Chairman, Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission; Will G. Caffey, Jr., Chairman, Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commission, who was accompanied by his associates; Roy A. Stafford, Director, Oklahoma State Wildlife Conservation Department; Boisfeuillet Jones, Special Assistant for Health and Medical Affairs, Department of HEW; and Earl W. Clark, Labor-Management Maritime Committee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONSERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee held hearings on S. 784 and S. 793, bills to promote the conservation of migratory waterfowl within the Pacific flyway, with testimony from Senator Engle; Max N. Edwards, Legislative Counsel, and Daniel H. Janzen, Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, both of the Department of the Interior; Richard Henzel and George H. Proctor, both of the Klamath Drainage District; Lester M. Cushman and Alvin Landis, both of the Tulelake Irrigation District; Thomas L. Kimball, National Wildlife Federation; C. R. Gutermuth, Wildlife Management Institute; and Ben Glading, California Fish & Game Commission.

Several written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record.

MINERALS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Minerals, Materials, and Fuels Subcommittee ordered favorably reported to the full committee S. 1066, a private bill relating to reinstatement of a Wyoming oil lease, and S. 73, a private bill relating to U.S. mineral interest in certain Florida land. Subcommittee ordered reported to the full committee without recommendation H.R. 3845, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act so as to assure that only small producers will receive benefits, and S.J. Res. 7, to determine the susceptibility of minerals to electrometallurgical processes.

Prior to this action, subcommittee heard testimony as follows:

On S. 1066—Senator McGee; Miles Scull, Jr., who presented a statement in behalf of Senator Holland; Harold Mai, E. L. K. Oil Co., who was accompanied by his associates; and Jerry O'Callaghan, Assistant Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior;

On H.R. 3845—Representative Edmondson; and George Fumich, Jr., Office of Minerals Exploration, Department of the Interior;

On S.J. Res. 7—Senator McGee; and Joe Rosenbaum, Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior; and

On S. 73—Jerry O'Callaghan.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Charles B. Fulton, to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of Florida.

Prior to this action, subcommittee held hearings on this nomination, favoring testimony being received from Senators Holland and Smathers. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

"TRUTH IN PACKAGING"

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee (Senator Hart, chairman) resumed its hearings on S. 387, to prohibit restraints of trade carried into effect through use of unfair and deceptive methods of packaging or labeling, having as its witnesses D. B. Manischewitz, representing the National Association of Manufacturers; Joseph A. Beirne, Communications Workers of America; E. S. Pattison, Soap & Detergent Association, New York City; Thomas F. Baker, American Bottlers of Carbonated Beverages, of Washington, D. C.; and William Heckendom, American Seed Trade Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs continued its hearings on S. 5, proposed Cold War Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act, with testimony from Senator Morse; Carl Gallo, president, Gallo Electronics, New York City; and Lt. Comdr. Fred J. Scanlon, USN (retired), who represented the Fleet Reserve Association.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 7.

MIGRATORY LABOR

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Migratory Labor Subcommittee concluded its hearings on six pending bills relating to various migratory labor matters (S. 521–526), after receiving testimony from Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation; Richard Shipman, National Farmers Union; Richard O'Connell, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives; Edith E. Lowry, National Council of the Churches of Christ; Fred W. Burrows, International Apple Association; and Arnold Mayer, Amalgamated Meat Cutters & Butcher Workmen's Union, AFL–CIO.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of L. J. Andolsek, to be a member of the Civil Service Commission; and 229 postmaster nominations.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony, in behalf of Mr. Andolsek was received from Senator McCarthy and Representative Blatnik. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 5835–5852; 7 private bills, H.R. 5853–5859; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 388–390, H. Con. Res. 141, and H. Res. 324, were introduced. **Pages 6929–6931**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of the Special Study Mission to Europe of the Committee on Foreign Affairs entitled "Conditions Behind the Iron Curtain and in Selected Countries of Western Europe" (H. Rept. 234); and

H.R. 4152, authorizing the addition of certain donated lands to the administrative headquarters site, Isle Royale National Park (H. Rept. 235). **Pages 6929–6930**

Health Professions Educational Assistance: By a record vote of 288 yeas to 122 nays the House passed H.R. 12, to increase the opportunities for training of physicians, dentists, and professional public health personnel. Prior to passage of the bill a recommittal motion designed to delete the student-loan provisions had been rejected by a record vote of 171 yeas to 239 nays.

Adopted amendments to—

Bar use of any Federal funds for construction of facilities for sectarian instruction or for religious worship and to provide for recapture of payments if subsequent violations occur; and

Prevent duplication of student loans under this bill and the National Defense Education Act and to delete the "forgiveness" feature of student loans provided by this legislation.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Delete the student-loan provisions;

Limit application of loans to schools that do not discriminate regarding entrance of pupils; and

Limit total Federal share in all school construction under this bill to 50 percent. Pages 6872–6900

President of Israel: Adopted H. Res. 324, expressing the profound sorrow of the House of Representatives on the death of President Izhak Ben-Zvi, of the State of Israel. Page 6929

Bills Referred: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 6927

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 3928, and related bills, regarding potato marketing quotas, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, April 25.

REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate and Construction met in executive session and approved several Army, Navy, and Air Force real estate projects. Heard testimony from various departmental witnesses.

INSURANCE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 5130, to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act and title IV of the National Housing Act (relating to the insurance of savings and loan accounts) with respect to the maximum amount of insurance which may be provided thereunder. Heard testimony from Erle Cocke, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; and Joseph P. McMurray, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board. Hearings continue Thursday, April 25.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from various public witnesses on vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

EQUAL PAY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 3861, to prohibit discrimination on account of sex in the payment of wages by employers engaged in commerce. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

LIBRARY SERVICES

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4879, to amend the Library Services Act to increase the Federal assistance for the improvement of public libraries.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963, and heard testimony from David E. Bell, Administrator, Agency for International Development. Recessed until Thursday, April 25.

INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements held a hearing on H.J. Res. 387 and 347, to amend the constitution of the International Labor Organization. Heard testimony from George L-P Weaver, Assistant Secretary of Labor for International Labor Affairs; Richard N. Gardner, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN SERVICE ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session to continue hearings on Foreign Service Act amendments. Heard William J. Crockett, Assistant Secretary of State for Administration.

MALAYA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific, in executive session, held an informal meeting with the Deputy Prime Minister of Malaya.

MATS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations held a hearing on Military Air Transport Service commercial augmentation policies and practices. Heard testimony from Joseph S. Imirie, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Materiel); Edward J. Driscoll, Deputy for Transportation and Communications, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Materiel); Brig. Gen. Donald W. Graham, Deputy Chief of Staff (Materiel), MATS; and Col. Lester R. Ferriss, Jr., Directorate of Transportation, USAF.

EXECUTIVE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 4638, to promote the orderly transfer of executive power in connection with the expiration of term of office of a President and the inauguration of a new President. Heard testimony from Representatives Fascell and Staebler; Elmer B. Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; the executive assistant to chairman of the Democratic National Committee; and a former Executive Director, President's Commission on Campaign Costs.

A statement was received from Representative Miller, chairman, Republican National Committee.

HOUSE ADMINISTRATION

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.J. Res. 245 (amended), to provide that Members of Congress shall be limited to per diem allowances and necessary transportation costs in connection with travel outside the U.S.;

S. Con. Res. 6, to accept the statue of the late John Burke, of North Dakota, and tendering the thanks of Congress therefor;

S. Con. Res. 7, to authorize the temporary placement in the rotunda of the Capitol of a statue of the late John Burke, of North Dakota, and holding of ceremonies incident thereto;

S. Con. Res. 8, to print the proceedings in connection with the acceptance of the statue of the late John Burke, of North Dakota;

S. Con. Res. 9, for ceremonies in the rotunda in connection with the statue of the late Joseph Ward, of South Dakota;

S. Con. Res. 10, to tender thanks of Congress to South Dakota for the statue of Joseph Ward, to be placed in Statuary Hall; and

S. Con. Res. 11, to print as a Senate document the proceedings at the acceptance of the statue of Joseph Ward.

MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held a hearing on H.R. 5766, to amend the authorization to appropriate money for the maintenance and operation of three experimental stations of the Interior Department; and reviewed the contract between Office of Coal Research and Ralph M. Parsons Co. regarding proposed Consolidation Coal Co. project; and current information as to status of negotiations for contract between the Office of Coal Research and the Consolidation Coal Co. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety continued hearings on H.R. 2410, regarding Public Health Service reorganization. Heard testimony from Luther L. Terry, Surgeon General, Public Health Service, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, and other departmental witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, April 25.

QUALITY STABILIZATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 3669, and similar bills, the Quality Stabilization Act. Heard testimony from Lee Loevinger, Assistant Attorney General (Antitrust Division), Department of Justice; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, April 25.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony from Representative Westland on H.R. 2647, to provide for payment of interest on overtime compensation owing to employees of the Alaska Railroad; also took testimony on private claim bills.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2838, relating to transcripts furnished by court reporters for the district courts; and H.R. 2985 (amended), relating to venue generally.

CANAL ZONE CODE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on the Panama Canal heard testimony from governmental officials and a public witness on H.R. 3999, to amend the Canal Zone Code. Hearings continue Thursday, April 25.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Heard testimony from Joseph Campbell, Comptroller General, and Agency for International Development officials regarding manpower utilization.

POSTAL OPERATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations resumed hearings on the work measurement system of the Post Office Department. Testimony was given by various Post Office Department officials. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TROTTERS SHOALS RESERVOIR

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control continued hearings on Trotters Shoals Reservoir, Savannah River, Ga. and S.C., project, and heard testimony from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, April 25.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; William E.

Lilly, Director, Program Review and Resources Management; and George Low, Deputy Director for Programs, all of NASA.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences resumed hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, Office of Space Sciences; and Dr. Raymond L. Bisplinghoff, Director, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, both of NASA.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Recessed until Thursday, April 25.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation held executive hearings on classified sections of proposed fiscal 1964 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, having as its witnesses A. R. Luedecke, General Manager, Maj. Gen. A. W. Betts, Director, Division of Military Application, and other officials of the AEC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL BUDGET

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Statistics continued its series of hearings on the subject of the Federal budget and its uses as an economic document, receiving testimony from William Butler, vice president, Chase Manhattan Bank; David Novick, cost analysis department, the Rand Corp.; and Murray Weidenbaum, Stanford Research Institute.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

STEEL INDUSTRY

Joint Economic Committee: The committee continued its hearings to inquire into the question of steel prices, profits, production, unit labor costs, raw material costs, and the effects of foreign competition, receiving testimony from Philip Arnow and Arnold E. Chase, both of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor. Today's testimony was directed mainly to the costs of raw materials which enter into the manufacture of steel.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Thursday, April 25, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate confirmed nominations of 14 incorporators of Communications Satellite Corp.

House passed bill extending feed grain program.

House committee approved bill amending Area Redevelopment Act.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7059–7085

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1361–1375; and S. Res. 129.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 4549, to allow the Chief Medical Director of the Veterans' Administration to hold another salaried office (S. Rept. 156);

H.R. 199, providing additional compensation for veterans having service-incurred disability of deafness of both ears (S. Rept. 157);

H.R. 211, to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to children and parents of deceased veterans (S. Rept. 158);

H.R. 214, providing additional compensation for veterans suffering from complete loss of speech (S. Rept. 159);

H.R. 2053, providing a 3-year suspension of duty on corkboard insulation and cork stoppers, with amendments (S. Rept. 160);

Report on "Operations of Small Business Investment Companies," with individual views (S. Rept. 161); and

S. Res. 128, to provide additional funds of $25,000 for Committee on Appropriations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

Pages 7060–7061

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 7059**

Communications Satellite Corp.: After further consideration, Senate confirmed the nominations of the 14 reported nominations to be incorporators of the Communications Satellite Corp. as follows: Edgar J. Kaiser, of California; David M. Kennedy, of Illinois; Sidney J. Weinberg, of New York; Bruce G. Sundlun, of Rhode Island; A. Byrne Litschgi, of Florida; Beardsley Graham, of Kentucky; Leonard Woodcock, of Michigan; Sam Harris, of New York; George Feldman, of New York; Leonard Marks, of the District of Columbia; John T. Connor, of New Jersey; George L. Killion, of California; Leo D. Welch, of New York; and Joseph V. Charyk, of California.

Prior to this action, Senate debated Morse point of order against the constitutionality of the basic law requiring confirmation of nominations to the Communications Satellite Corp. on the ground that they are officers of a private corporation rather than a governmental body, and when the question, under the rules of the Senate, was referred to the Senate for decision it was decided, by vote of 75 yeas to 15 nays, that the consideration and confirmation of the nominations is in accordance with the Constitution.

A Gruening motion to refer the 14 nominations to Committee on the Judiciary with instructions to hold hearings and report back at the end of 1 month with respect to the constitutionality of the Senate's confirmation of such nominations, was rejected. **Pages 7085–7090**

Bankruptcy: The following two bills amending provisions of the Bankruptcy Act were passed without amendment and cleared for President:

H.R. 2833, to permit a court on its own motion to examine attorney fees paid in a bankruptcy proceeding; and

H.R. 2849, to permit the deposit of funds of the bankrupt's estate in interest-bearing accounts. **Pages 7091, 7093**

Federal Register: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 2837, to maintain in a more up-to-date fashion the Code of Federal Regulations. **Page 7092**

Crimes: H.R. 2842, amending the Federal Criminal Code in connection with offenses committed out of the jurisdiction of any State or district, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. **Pages 7092–7093**

Private Bills: Senate passed four private bills, as follows: S. 1196, 787, 495, and 732. **Pages 7091, 7093–7094**

Senate Schedule: By unanimous consent it was agreed that when Senate adjourns on Friday, April 26, it will be to meet at 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 30. **Pages 7090–7091**

Confirmations: In addition to the 14 incorporators of the Communications Satellite Corp., listed above as confirmed today, Senate also confirmed the following nominations: L. J. Andolsek, of Minnesota, to be a Civil Service Commissioner, one judicial, and numerous postmasters. **Pages 7099–7100**

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Glenn T. Seaborg, of California, to be a member of the AEC, and Arnold Ordman, of Maryland, to be General Counsel of the NLRB. **Page 7099**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPACE

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued hearings in connection with certain technical and scientific aspects of the Nation's space program preparatory to holding hearings on proposed fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Testimony was heard from Dr. Homer E. Newell, Jr., Director, Office of Space Sciences, and Dr. Raymond L. Bisplinghoff, Director, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, both of NASA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving further testimony from Charles J. Hitch, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller). Testimony in behalf of funds for their department was received from Secretary Eugene M. Zuckert and Chief of Staff Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, who were accompanied by other Air Force officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNATIONAL HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing concluded its current series of hearings on international housing problems, especially such problems of the friendly underdeveloped nations of the world. Today's session consisted of panel discussions as follows: (1) Norman P. Mason, American International Corp., New York; Vance Brand, International Investment Co., Washington, D.C.; William Butler, Chase Manhattan Bank, New York; and Rodman P. Rockefeller, International Basic Economy Corp., New York, all of whom discussed the development of effective home financing techniques and procedures and the extent of participation by private enterprise; and (2) Morton Bodfish, of Chicago; William K. Divers, Savings & Loan Foundation, Washington, D.C.; and Oscar Kreutz, all of whom discussed the development of savings and loan systems abroad, and the establishment of an International Home Loan Bank.

FISHERY LEGISLATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries continued hearings on S. 627, to promote State fishery research and development; S. 744, authorizing construction of two stern-ramp trawlers for research in commercial fishing; and S. 978, to restore medical care to fishing boat owners, receiving testimony from Senators Saltonstall, Kennedy, Gruening, and Brewster; Peter I. Tack, department of fisheries and wildlife, Michigan State University; Forest V. Durand, Tennessee Game & Fish Commission; Tom V. Binmore, a shellfish technician, Camden, Maine; Jeff Kibre, International Longshoremen's & Warehousemen's Union; Harold E. Lokken, Fishing Vessel Owners Association, Seattle; Charles E. Jackson, National Fisheries Institute; Eugene Cronin, Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission; and Donald L. McKernan, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 211, to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to children and parents of deceased veterans; H.R. 199, providing additional compensation for veterans having service-incurred disability of deafness of both ears; H.R. 214, providing additional compensation for veterans suffering from complete loss of speech; H.R. 2053, providing a 3-year suspension of duty on corkboard insulation and cork stoppers (amended); and the nomination of Alfred C. Dumouchel, to be collector of customs, with headquarters at Providence, R.I.

Also, committee approved title II of H.R. 5389, relating to the repeal of tax on transfers of silver bullion, which bill is pending before the Senate Committee on Banking and Currency.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

CANYONLANDS NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands concluded its hearings on S. 27, providing for the establishment of the Canyonlands National Park in Utah, after receiving testimony from Senator Bennett; Representative Burton; Max N. Edwards, Legislative Counsel, Department of the Interior; Spencer M. Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; Charles Eggert, Barrytown, N.Y.; Michael Nadel, Wilderness Society; William Powell, Independent Petroleum Association of America; Nancy Machler, National Parks Association; and Robert Dennis, Izaak Walton League.

"TRUTH IN PACKAGING"

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee (Senator Hart, chairman) continued its hearings on S. 387, to prohibit restraints of trade carried into effect through use of unfair and deceptive methods of packaging or labeling, receiving testimony from Senator Neuberger; Gilbert Weil and Jerome Greene, both of the Association of National Advertisers; Gilbert Miles and Fuller Holloway, Toilet Goods Association, Washington, D.C.; Neva Bradley, Cosmetics Career Women, Hartford, Conn.; Sylvia Schur, Creative Food Services, Inc., New York City; and John D. Connor, who read the statement of Paul T. Truitt, National Plant Food Institute, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VA MEDICAL DIRECTOR

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee ordered favorably reported H.R. 4549, to allow the Chief Medical Director of the Veterans' Administration to hold another salaried office.

NOMINATION

Committee on Public Works: Committee announced that it had ordered favorably reported the nomination of Frank E. Smith, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 33 public bills, H.R. 5860–5892; 11 private bills, H.R. 5893–5903; and 5 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 142 and 143, and H. Res. 325–327, were introduced.

Pages 7158–7159

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 245, to provide that Members of Congress shall be limited to per diem allowances and necessary transportation costs in connection with travel outside the United States, amended (H. Rept. 236);

H. Res. 325, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the Export-Import Bank of Washington may exercise its functions (H. Rept. 237);

H. Res. 326, closed rule waiving points of order against and providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 4655, reduction of temporary additional Federal unemployment tax and authorization of employment security administrative expenses (H. Rept. 238);

H.R. 5175, authorizing issuance of certificates of citizenship in the Canal Zone (H. Rept. 239);

S. Con. Res. 6, accepting the statue of the late John Burke, of North Dakota and tendering thanks of Congress therefor (H. Rept. 240);

S. Con. Res. 7, authorizing temporary placement in the rotunda of the Capitol of a statue of the late John Burke, of North Dakota, and the holding of ceremonies incident thereto (H. Rept. 241);

S. Con. Res. 8, to print the proceedings in connection with the acceptance of the statue of the late John Burke, of North Dakota (H. Rept. 242);

S. Con. Res. 9, relating to ceremonies in the rotunda of the Capitol in connection with the statue of the late Joseph Ward, of South Dakota (H. Rept. 243);

S. Con. Res. 10, to tender thanks of Congress to South Dakota for the statue of Joseph Ward to be placed in Statuary Hall (H. Rept. 244);

S. Con. Res. 11, to print as a Senate document the proceedings at the acceptance of the statue of Joseph Ward to be placed in Statuary Hall (H. Rept. 245); and

H.R. 5888, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 246). **Page 7158**

Military Procurement: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Vinson, Rivers of South Carolina, Philbin, Hébert, Arends, Gavin, and Norblad. **Page 7100**

Feed Grains: By a record vote of 208 yeas to 195 nays the House passed H.R. 4997, to extend the feed grain program. Prior to this action a motion to recommit the bill had been rejected by a record vote of 196 yeas to 205 nays.

Adopted amendments to—

Limit diversion payments to 20 percent of the fair market value of any diverted acres;

Permit adjustment by the Secretary of Agriculture of feed grain bases of some farms under certain conditions; and

Require justification of appropriations for administrative expenses in connection with administration of the program.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Delete direct-payment authority of the Secretary of Agriculture;

Abolish price supports on all feed grains; and

Insert the following: "*provided, however,* That the authority contained in this section to make payments, for not growing grains, to farmers who never grew feed grains, shall only be effective if and when Congress authorizes such payments to residents of urban areas who are willing not to grow feed grains."

H. Res. 320, the open rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 7101–7143**

Adjournment: Agreed to House adjournment from Thursday to Monday. **Page 7143**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of May 1. **Page 7143**

Bills Referred: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 7157–7158**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture: Concluded hearings on H.R. 3928, and related bills, regarding potato marketing quotas, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5888, the Labor-Health, Education, and Welfare appropriations bill for fiscal year 1964.

INSURANCE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 5130, to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act and title IV of the National Housing Act (relating to the insurance of savings and loan accounts) with respect to the maximum amount of insurance which may be provided thereunder. Heard testimony from C. Canby Balderston, Vice Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; and public witnesses.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4996 (amended), the Area Redevelopment Act amendments.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 heard testimony from D.C. officials on various bills regarding crime and law enforcement in the District of Columbia.

LIBRARY SERVICES

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and considered H.R. 4879, to amend the Library Services Act to increase the Federal assistance for the improvement of public libraries. Recessed until Friday, April 26.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from Gen. Lucius D. Clay (retired), Chairman, President's Commission To Strengthen the Security of the Free World.

MATS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on Military Air Transport Service commercial augmentation policies and practices. Heard testimony from Joseph S. Imirie, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Materiel); Edward J. Driscoll, Deputy for Transportation and Communications, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Materiel); Brig. Gen. Donald W. Graham, Deputy Chief of Staff (Materiel), MATS; Robert T. Murphy, Vice Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; and Col. Lester R. Ferriss, Jr., Directorate of Transportation, USAF.

WATER RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on policies and procedures applicable to the planning of water resources development projects with emphasis on the benefits and allocations to fish and wildlife and to recreation. Heard testimony from Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary (Water and Power), Department of Interior. Hearings continue Friday, April 26.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety continued hearings on H.R. 2410, regarding Public Health Service reorganization. Heard testimony from James A. Shannon, Assistant Surgeon General, and Director of the National Institutes of Health. Hearings continue Friday, April 26.

QUALITY STABILIZATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 3669, and similar bills, the Quality Stabilization Act. Heard testimony from Representative Alger; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, April 26.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony on private claim bills.

CANAL ZONE CODE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on the Panama Canal met in executive session and heard testimony from governmental officials on H.R. 3999, to amend the Canal Zone Code.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization heard testimony from William J. Crockett, Assistant Secretary of State for Administration, regarding manpower utilization.

TROTTERS SHOALS RESERVOIR

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control continued hearings on Trotters Shoals Reservoir, Savannah River, Ga. and S.C., project, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, April 26.

TAXES

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule, waiving points of order, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 4655, regarding the reduction of temporary additional Federal unemployment tax and authorization of employment security administrative expenses.

Representatives Mills and Byrnes were heard on the request for a rule.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 3872, relating to the extension of the Export-Import Bank Act.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Patman, Pelly, and Harvey of Michigan.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation continued, in executive session, its hearings on classified sections of proposed fiscal 1964 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, with further testimony from A. R. Luedecke, General Manager, Maj. Gen. A. W. Betts, Director, Division of Military Application, and other officials of the AEC.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

STEEL INDUSTRY

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings to inquire into the question of steel prices, profits, production, unit labor costs, raw material costs, and the effects of foreign competition, receiving testimony from Richard Holton, Assistant Secretary for Economic Affairs, and Louis J. Paradiso, Office of Business Economics, both of the Department of Commerce, who directed their remarks to capital per unit of output and related investment data.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL BUDGET

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Statistics continued its hearings on the subject of the Federal budget and its uses as an economic document, having as its witnesses George Bell, director of the budget, State of Vermont; James Bibb, director of the budget, State of Kansas; Fred Schuckman, director of the budget, State of Connecticut; and Paul Wileden, director of the budget, State of Michigan.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 30.

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Friday, April 26, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate took up bill carrying supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7167–7187

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1376–1394; S.J. Res. 71–73; and S. Res. 130–131. Pages 7169–7170

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 1003, private bill (S. Rept. 162). Page 7169

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 7167

Crimes: Senator Dirksen entered a motion to reconsider passage on April 25 of H.R. 2842, amending the Federal Criminal Code in connection with offenses committed out of the jurisdiction of any State or district. Page 7181

Federal Register: Senator Mansfield entered a motion to reconsider passage on April 25 of H.R. 2837, to maintain in a more up-to-date fashion the Code of Federal Regulations. Page 7188

Military Procurement: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964, agreed to hold conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Russell, Stennis, and Saltonstall. Page 7188

Veterans' Administration: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for White House H.R. 4549, to allow the Chief Medical Director of the Veterans' Administration to hold another salaried office. Pages 7167–7168

Tariff: H.R. 2053, providing a 3-year suspension of duty on corkboard insulation and cork stoppers, was passed with committee amendments. Page 7188

Supplemental Appropriations: Senate considered H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, adopting all committee amendments en bloc, which were thereafter considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Senator Javits submitted two notices of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing amendments to H.R. 5517. Pages 7174–7177, 7188, 7192–7202

Confirmations: Senate confirmed two civilian nominations, including that of Frank E. Smith, of Mississippi, to be a member of the Board of Directors, TVA. Page 7217

Nomination: One judicial nomination was received. Page 7217

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPACE

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued hearings in connection with certain technical and scientific aspects of the Nation's space program preparatory to holding hearings on proposed fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Witnesses heard were Leonard Jaffe, Director of Communications Systems, Edmond C. Buckley, Office of Tracking and Data Acquisition, and D. Brainerd Holmes, Office of Manned Space Flight, all of NASA.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 29.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Vice Adm. W. R. Smedburg III, Chief of Naval Personnel; and Maj. Gen. Alpha L. Bowser, Assistant Chief of Staff, G–1, and Brig. Gen. Ronald R. Van Stockum, Director of Reserves, both of the Marine Corps.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 29.

MITCHEL FIELD LAND

Committee on Government Operations: Committee, in executive session, adopted a motion requesting the General Services Administration to postpone the operation of the contract of sale with Nassau County, N.Y., relative to disposal of Mitchel Field land until further consideration may be given same by the Departments of the Interior and Health, Education, and Welfare.

Also, committee referred to its Intergovernmental Relations Subcommittee the following three bills—S. 1090 and S. 1300, bills relating to the disposal of Ellis Island, in New York Harbor, and S. 915, requiring coordination of land-use projects in development of metropolitan areas prior to making Federal loans or grants thereon.

SLEEPING BEAR DUNES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands concluded its hearings on S. 792, to establish the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, Mich., after receiving testimony from Conrad Wirth, Director, and Allen T. Edmunds, both of the National Park Service; Spencer Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources, Washington, D.C.; and Joseph Penfold, Izaak Walton League.

Several written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record.

"TRUTH IN PACKAGING"

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee (Senator Hart, chairman) concluded its series of hearings on S. 387, to prohibit restraints of trade carried into effect through use of unfair and deceptive methods of packaging or labeling, after receiving testimony from William R. Tincher, Purex Corp., Lakewood, Calif.; Frederick M. Rowe, U.S. Chamber of Commerce; Lloyd E. Skinner, president, National Small Business Association, Omaha; and Robert H. North, International Association of Ice Cream Manufacturers.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, April 29, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURE

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 3850, and similar bills, to establish the Office of Assistant Secretary of Agriculture. Heard testimony from Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; Representative White; and public witnesses.

A statement was presented for the record by Representative Olsen of Montana. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

INSURANCE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 5130, to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act and title IV of the National Housing Act (relating to the insurance of savings and loan accounts) with respect to the maximum amount of insurance which may be provided thereunder. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from public witnesses on vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on juvenile delinquency, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for a briefing on the Agency for International Development program for Africa. Heard testimony from G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs; and Edmond C. Hutchinson, Assistant Agency for International Development Administrator for Africa-Europe.

IRRIGATION—RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4062 (amended), to amend the act authorizing the transmission and disposition of electric energy generated at Falcon Dam on the Rio Grande to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to also market power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande.

Continued briefings by Department of the Interior officials on policies and procedures applicable to the planning of water resources development projects with emphasis on the benefits and allocations to fish and wildlife and to recreation.

QUALITY STABILIZATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance heard testimony from Representative Holifield, and public witnesses, on H.R. 3669, and similar bills, the Quality Stabilization Act. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety continued hearings on H.R. 2410, regarding Public Health Service reorganization. Heard testimony from George P. Larrick, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration; and representatives of the Public Health Service. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TROTTERS SHOALS RESERVOIR

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control concluded hearings on Trotters Shoals Reservoir, Savannah River, Ga. and S.C., project. Testimony was given by Charles Leavy, Administrator, Southeastern Power Administration; Charles E. Daniel, former U.S. Senator from South Carolina; and other public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; William E. Lilly, Director, Program Review and Resources Management; and George Low, Deputy Director for Programs, all of NASA.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Dr. Raymond L. Bisplinghoff, Director, Office of Advanced Research and Technology; and Dr. John Clark, Associate Director and Chief Scientist, Office of Space Sciences, all of NASA.

DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to consider the national debt limit. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC BRIEFING

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on various activities of the Atomic Energy Commission from AEC Chairman Glenn T. Seaborg, who was accompanied by his associates.

STEEL INDUSTRY

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings to inquire into the question of steel prices, profits, production, unit labor costs, raw material costs, and the effects of foreign competition, receiving testimony from Philip Arnow and Arnold E. Chase, both of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor, whose testimony related to prices of finished steel products.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 29.

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Monday, April 29, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed bill reducing Federal unemployment tax.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Tuesday, April 30, at 11 a.m.

Committee Meetings

SPACE

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee resumed hearings in connection with certain technical and scientific aspects of the Nation's space program preparatory to holding hearings on proposed fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, having as its witnesses Roswell L. Gilpatric, Deputy Secretary of Defense, and John H. Rubel, Deputy Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from officials of the AEC.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from

Secretary of the Army Cyrus R. Vance; Army Chief of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler; Secretary of the Navy Fred Korth; Chief of Naval Operations Adm. George W. Anderson; and Marine Corps Commandant Gen. David M. Shoup.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SILVER BULLION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee held and concluded hearings on H.R. 5389, relating to the repeal of tax on transfers of silver bullion, having as its witnesses Senator Church; Representative White; C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury; William McC. Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Rear Adm. Donald J. Ramsey, USN (retired), Silver Users Association; Robert N. Krementz, Manufacturing Jewelers & Silversmiths of America, Inc.; William C. Babbitt, National Association of Photographic Manufacturers, Inc.; A. J. Teske, Idaho Mining Association; and Elgin Groseclose, Groseclose, Williams & Associates, Washington, D.C.

UNIFORM TIME

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 1033, S. 1195, and S. 1394, establishing a uniform system of time standards and measurement for the U.S. and requiring observance of such standards for all purposes, having as its witnesses Robert Ramspeck, chairman, Committee for Time Uniformity, who was accompanied by Robert E. Redding, Transportation Association of America; Richard A. Trice, who represented the National Association of Motor Bus Owners, National Trailways Bus System, and the National Bus Traffic Association; P. M. Roeper, Pennsylvania Railroad, Philadelphia; Hollis M. Seavey, National Association of Broadcasters; Sam B. Lyons, Association of Stock Exchange Firms; and D. L. Manion, American Short Line Railroad Association.

Several written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FREEDOM ACADEMY, AND ACADEMY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S. 414, to create a Freedom Commission and a Freedom Academy, and S. 865, to establish a National Academy of Foreign Affairs, receiving testimony from Senators Mundt and Douglas; Walter Judd, former Member of Congress; Sidney Hook, All-University Department of Philosophy, New York University; Oscar H. Steiner, Shaker Heights, Ohio; Stefan Possony, International Political Studies Program, the Hoover Institution, Stanford University; William R. Kintner, Foreign Policy Research Institute, University of Pennsylvania; and Richard H. Stephens, Bethesda, Md.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 1.

INDIAN HEIRSHIP LAND PROBLEM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on S. 1049, providing for the partition or sale of Indian land held in trust or restricted status, with testimony from Philleo Nash, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, and numerous Indians and representatives of Indian organizations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education began hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, receiving testimony from Senators Williams (New Jersey), Hartke, and Bartlett; and Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary, who was accompanied by Wilbur J. Cohen and Francis Keppel, all of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Taxes began hearings to receive testimony on the impact upon small business concerns of the President's recommendations for tax cuts and reforms, having as its witnesses John E. Horne, Administrator, Small Business Administration; Joel Barlow, Covington & Burling, attorneys at law, Washington, D.C.; Maurice E. Peloubet, National Small Business Association; George D. Webster, American Apparel Manufacturers Association, Inc.; George J. Burger, National Federation of Independent Business; and James W. Howard, National Association of Small Business Investment Companies.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 34 public bills, H.R. 5904–5937; 7 private bills, H.R. 5938–5944; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 391 and 392, and H. Con. Res. 144 and 145, were introduced. Pages 7276–7278

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2293, a private bill (H. Rept. 247);

H.R. 3200, redesignating the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument and revising the boundaries thereof, amended (H. Rept. 248);

H.R. 3887, authorizing the acceptance of donations of land in State of North Carolina for construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park, amended (H. Rept. 249);

H.R. 4893, relating to age limits in connection with appointments to the U.S. Park Police (H. Rept. 250);

H.R. 4151, directing the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain public lands in Nevada to the County of Lincoln, State of Nevada, amended (H.Rept. 251);

H.R. 4588, providing for the withdrawal and reservation for Department of the Navy of certain U.S. public lands at Mojave B Aerial Gunnery Range, San Bernardino County, Calif., for defense purposes, amended (H. Rept. 252);

Report of the Committee on Foreign Affairs entitled "Report on Hearings on Captive European Nations" (H. Rept. 253);

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 254); and

Thirteen private bills, H.R. 1206, 1237, 1275, 1322, 1366, 1393, 1518, 1734, 1736, 3629, S. 74, H.R. 1560, and 3218 (H. Repts. 255–267, respectively). Page 7276

President's Message—Federal Salaries: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the annual comparison of Federal salaries with the salaries paid in private enterprise and recommended adjustment of the Federal statutory salary schedules pursuant to the Federal Salary Reform Act of 1962. The message was referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 108). Pages 7224–7225

Unemployment Tax Reduction: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 4655, to amend title IX of the Social Security Act with respect to the amount authorized to be made available to the States out of the employment security administration account for certain administrative expenses, and to reduce the rate of Federal unemployment tax for calendar year 1963.

H. Res. 326, the open rule providing for the consideration of, and the waiving of points of order against, H.R. 4655, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 7225–7227, 7229–7232

Outdoor Recreation Programs Coordination: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 1762, to promote the coordination and development of effective programs relating to outdoor recreation. A motion to recommit the bill had been rejected earlier by a division vote of 18 yeas to 183 nays.

The passage of H.R. 1762 was subsequently vacated and S. 20, a similar bill, was passed in lieu after having been amended to contain the House-passed text.

A separate vote on a Griffin amendment to require the Secretary of the Interior to file annual reports itemizing the source, value, purpose, and use of each donation accepted or used in connection with this program resulted in its adoption by a record vote of 292 yeas to 50 nays.

Also adopted an amendment that placed a ceiling of $2.5 million on expenses of the program.

Rejected an amendment that sought to create an independent agency to be known as United States Outdoor Recreation Agency in lieu of Bureau of Outdoor Recreation in the Department of the Interior.

H. Res. 306, the open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1762, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 7227–7228, 7232–7247

Lead-Zinc: By a voice vote the House passed with a committee amendment H.R. 3120, to simplify administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act of October 3, 1961. H. Res. 308, the open rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 7228–7229, 7247–7248

Committees To Sit: The Committee on Armed Services was authorized to sit during general debate of the House session on Tuesday. Similar permission was granted to Subcommittee No. 3 of the Committee on the Judiciary for Thursday and Friday. Page 7260

Bills Referred: Four Senate-passed bills were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Page 7275

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved four pending watershed projects.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education resumed hearings on Public Law 87-274, regarding juvenile delinquency, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from Edmond C. Hutchinson, Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Africa-Europe; and G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs. Recessed until Tuesday, April 30.

INSULAR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 3198, to promote the economic and social development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. Heard testimony from Harlan Cleveland, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs, and John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Interior. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 30.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Testimony was given by Gen. Bernard A. Schriever, Commander, Air Force Systems Command.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Dr. Raymond L. Bisplinghoff, Director, Office of Advanced Research and Technology; John L. Sloop, Director, Propulsion and Power Generation; Eugene B. Konecci, Director, Biotechnology and Human Research; and Milton B. Ames, Director, Space Vehicles, all of Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA. Hearings continue Tuesday, April 30.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Recessed until Tuesday, April 30.

Joint Committee Meetings

STEEL INDUSTRY

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed its hearings to inquire into the question of steel prices, profits, production, unit labor costs, raw material costs, and the effects of foreign competition, having as its witness Louis J. Paradiso, Office of Business Economics, Department of Commerce. The witness directed his remarks to profits and related financial data.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Tuesday, April 30, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate continued on supplemental appropriations bill.
House passed Labor-HEW appropriations bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7286–7337

Bills Introduced: 33 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1395–1427; and S.J. Res. 74–75. **Pages 7293–7294**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 874, to authorize construction and equipping of buildings in connection with Bureau of the Mint operations (S. Rept. 163); and

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Constitutional Rights," with individual views (S. Rept. 164). **Page 7289**

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 7286**

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of S. 1336, respecting price to be charged by Coast and Geodetic Survey for sale of radio and avigation charts, and the bill was then rereferred to Committee on Commerce. **Page 7304**

President's Message: President transmitted first annual report comparing Federal employee salaries with salaries paid in private enterprise, pursuant to the Federal Salaries Reform Act of 1962—referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **Pages 7372–7373**

President's Communication—Taxes: Communication was received from President transmitting draft of proposed legislation to allow deduction or credit against taxes for contributions to national and State political committees—referred to Committee on Finance. **Page 7286**

Public Works Committee: Senator McNamara, Chairman, announced that Committee on Public Works has formed a special subcommittee to deal with air and water pollution legislation. **Page 7304**

Printing—Appropriation Bills Origination: Summary and analysis of certain debates and actions of the Constitutional Convention of 1787 entitled "The Authority of the Senate to Originate Appropriation Bills" was ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 17. **Page 7304**

Supplemental Appropriations: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963.

Pending at adjournment was Saltonstall amendment to reduce amounts for "Public Works Acceleration" from $450 million to $250 million, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

A Douglas notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to H.R. 5517, was filed. **Pages 7305–7307, 7337, 7352–7372, 7373, 7383–7387**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPACE

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee concluded its hearings in connection with certain technical and scientific aspects of the Nation's space program preparatory to holding hearings on proposed fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, after receiving testimony from the following officials of the Atomic Energy Commission: Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman; Dr. Frank K. Pittman, Director, Division of Reactor Development; Richard L. Kirk, Director of the SNAP Program; and Harold B. Finger, Manager, Joint AEC–NASA Nuclear Propulsion Office.

Committee adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their department from Lt. Gen. James L. Richardson, Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, Col. John W. Yow, Deputy Chief of Reserve Personnel, and Maj. Gen. Donald W. McGowan, Chief of the National Guard Bureau, all of the Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Production and Stabilization began a series of hearings on S. 1163, proposed Area Redevelopment Act Amendments of 1963, receiving testimony from Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Commerce, and William L. Batt, Administrator, Area Redevelopment Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UNIFORM TIME

Committee on Commerce: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1033, S. 1195, and S. 1394, establishing a uniform system of time standards and measurement for the U.S. and requiring observance of such standards for all purposes, after receiving testimony from Clarence D. Martin, Under Secretary for Transportation, Department of Commerce; and Lawrence Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries held and concluded hearings on the following four bills:

S. 1036, to amend the inland and western rivers rules concerning anchor lights and fog signals, with testimony from Rear Adm. Oscar C. Rohnke, Chief, Office of Merchant Marine Safety, U.S. Coast Guard; and Braxton B. Carr, the American Waterways Operators;

S. 1194, to remove percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted personnel of the Coast Guard, with testimony from Rear Adm. James A. Alger, Jr., Chief of Staff, U.S. Coast Guard;

S. 1263, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to provide for the reimbursement of certain vessel construction expenses, with testimony from Donald W. Alexander, Administrator, Maritime Administration; Ira L. Ewers, representing the Moore-McCormack Lines, Inc.; W. Lyle Bull, American Export Lines, Inc., New York; and Peter N. Tighe, American President Lines, Ltd., San Francisco; and

S. 1172, authorizing amendment of contracts between shipowners and the U.S. dealing with vessels whose life has been extended by Public Law 86–518, with testimonv from Donald W. Alexander; Peter N. Tighe; and A.J. Pessel, Matson Navigation Co., Washington, D.C.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Chester Bowles, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to India; E. Allan Lightner, Jr., of Maine, to be Ambassador to Libya; Adm. Jerauld Wright, USN (Ret.), of the D.C., to be Ambassador to China; Henry A. Byroade, of Indiana, Aaron S. Brown, of New Hampshire, Fulton Freeman, of California, and Graham A. Martin, of Florida, to be career ministers; and a list of promotions and appointments in the Foreign Service.

INDIAN HEIRSHIP LAND PROBLEM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs concluded its hearings on S. 1049, providing for the partition or sale of Indian land held in trust or restricted status, after receiving testimony from numerous Indians and representatives of Indian organizations.

ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure held an executive meeting after which it announced that it had agreed to give priority for study to the following three areas of legislation: (1) automatic authority for members of the bar of the highest State courts to practice before Federal agencies and departments, (2) establishment of a permanent administrative conference similar to the Judicial Conference of the U.S., and (3) freedom of information.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, receiving testimony from Senators Goldwater, Case, Inouye, and Proxmire; and W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Taxes concluded its hearings to receive testimony on the impact upon small business concerns of the President's recommendations for tax cuts and reforms, having as its witnesses Henry Bison, National Association of Retail Grocers; Rolph H. Berg, National Tool, Die & Precision Machining Association, Cleveland; James B. Wold, Associated Industries of Alabama; James P. Wesberry, Georgia Chamber of Commerce, Atlanta; William C. McCamant, National Association of Wholesalers; Armistead W. Gilliam, Jr., representing the Western Forest Industries Association; and Henry H. Fowler, Under Secretary of the Treasury.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 33 public bills, H.R. 5945-5977; 7 private bills, H.R. 5978-5984; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 328, were introduced. **Pages 7474-7475**

Resolution Reported: One report was filed: H.J. Res. 390, a private resolution (H. Rept. 268). **Page 7474**

Subcommittee To Sit: The Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program of the Committee on Public Works was authorized to sit during general debate of the House session today and the balance of the week. **Page 7402**

Labor-HEW Appropriations: By voice votes the House rejected a recommital motion and passed H.R. 5888, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies for fiscal year 1964.

Adopted amendments to—

Cut $7,000 from $14,000 provided for reception and representation expenses for International Social Security Association meeting; and

Bar use of funds to pay salaries of study group for creation of a domestic peace corps or the National Service Corps.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Prevent payments to school districts for schools in impacted areas that practice discrimination;

Bar use of funds for hospital construction where segregation is practiced; and

Add $10 million to funds provided for grants for waste treatment works construction.

The bill provides appropriations totaling $5,449,988,000, of which $384,884,000 is provided for the Department of Labor, $5,035,549,000 for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; with the balance divided among several related agencies. The total amount provided is $118,810,600 below the 1963 figure and $309,501,000 under the budget estimates. **Pages 7424-7441**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RICE—PEANUTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 101, to extend for 2 years the definition of "peanuts" which is now in effect under the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938.

H.R. 3742, to amend the provisions of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, relating to the transfer of producer rice acreage allotments; and

H.R. 5497, to amend title V of the Agricultural Act of 1949.

The committee will continue, in executive session, Wednesday, May 1.

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held a hearing on pending watershed projects. Heard testimony from Representative Brooks; Agriculture Department officials; and public witnesses.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Testimony was given by Department of Air Force witnesses. Recessed until Wednesday, May 1.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on conflicts of interest between Federal and State banking laws, and heard testimony from various public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 1.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 held a hearing on various D.C. crime bills. Heard testimony from Representative Dingell; Walter N. Tobriner, President, D.C. Board of Commissioners; Robert V. Murray, Chief of Police, Metropolitan Police Department; and the Chief of Police of Cincinnati, Ohio.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 405, regarding equal employment opportunities, and heard testimony from Representative Joelson; and public witnesses.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on Public Law 87–274, regarding juvenile delinquency. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from Wilbur J. Cohen, Assistant Secretary (for Legislation), Department of Health, Education and Welfare, on vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from James P. Grant, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; and William S. Gaud, Assistant Administrator, Near East and South Asia, Agency for International Development. Recessed until Wednesday, May 1.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements heard testimony from the president, AFL–CIO, on Winning the Cold War: The U.S. Ideological Offensive. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 1.

MATS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations heard testimony regarding the Military Air Transport Service from Dr. E. Grosvenor Plowman, Deputy Under Secretary for Transportation; and C. K. Faught, Deputy Director of Emergency Transportation, both from Department of Commerce.

REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 3496, to amend the Reorganization Act of 1949, and heard testimony from Representative Meader.

Following the hearing met in executive session and considered the bill. No announcements were made.

PACIFIC ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session on H.R. 3198, to promote the economic and social development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. Heard testimony from Harlan Cleveland, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs; John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Interior; Frank K. Sloan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; Maurice W. Goding, High Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; and Irvin Shrode, Assistant Director, Immigration and Naturalization Service. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Resumed hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 1.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and approved monetary authorizations for sundry river basins.

The committee also approved a navigation resolution for collection and removal of sources of drift in New York harbor.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program heard testimony from subcommittee personnel; and an Arizona Highway Department inspector, on highway construction practices in Arizona. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 1.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition resumed hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Dr. Raymond L. Bisplinghoff, Director, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 1.

ORGANIZATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care met in executive session for organizational purposes.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

FEDERAL BUDGET

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Statistics concluded its hearings on the subject of the Federal budget and its uses as an economic document, after receiving testimony from Charles L. Schultze, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget; Gerhard Colm, chief economist, National Planning Association; Roye L. Lowry, Federal Statistics Users' Conference; Michael Levy, research economist, National Industrial Conference Board; and Emerson P. Schmidt, director, Economic Research Department, U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

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Wednesday, May 1, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed supplemental appropriations bill.
House passed bills on Export-Import Bank and Foreign Service buildings.
See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7512–7554

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1428–1437; and S.J. Res. 76.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Antitrust and Monopoly Activities, 1962," with individual views (S. Rept. 165); and

S. 762, providing for increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California, with amendment (S. Rept. 166).

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Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee.

Page 7512

Veterans: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President the following three bills respecting veterans:

H.R. 199, providing additional compensation for veterans having service-incurred disability of deafness of both ears;

H.R. 211, to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to children and parents of deceased veterans; and

H.R. 214, providing additional compensation for veterans suffering from complete loss of speech.

Pages 7519–7520

Private Bill: Senate passed without amendment S. 1003, private bill.

Page 7521

Outdoor Recreation: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 20, to provide for the development of Federal and State outdoor recreation programs, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Anderson, Bible, Kuchel, and Allott.

Pages 7518–7519

Supplemental Appropriations: Senate passed with amendments H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, after taking the following further actions on amendments:

Adopted: Ribicoff amendment (motion to reconsider tabled), to provide $1 million for maternal and child welfare, Children's Bureau; Saltonstall amendment to make funds for public works acceleration available until January 31, 1964, instead of June 30, 1964; Humphrey amendment to provide $1.5 million for construction of educational TV facilities, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and Humphrey amendment to add $65,000 for contribution to U.N. for International Peace Corps secretariat; and

Rejected: By 26 yeas to 60 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Saltonstall amendment to reduce amounts for "public works acceleration" from $450 million to $250 million; and by 18 yeas to 65 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Young (Ohio) amendment to eliminate language providing $30 million for research, Civil Defense; and by 26 yeas to 58 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), McCarthy amendment as substitute for title IV of the bill entitled "Philippine Rehabilitation Act Amendments of 1963."

The following amendments were in effect rejected when motions to table them were adopted: By 47 yeas to 38 nays, Javits amendment to withhold funds for a rural housing program for the elderly in which there is racial or religious discrimination (Church motion to table), and Douglas amendment to add a new section to the bill entitled "Federal Elections Act of 1963" (Pastore motion to table).

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Pastore, Holland, Hayden, Russell, Ellender, Hill, Young (North Dakota), Saltonstall, and Mundt. **Pages 7554–7588**

Senate Meeting: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when Senate adjourns on Thursday, May 2, it will be until noon Monday, May 6. **Page 7588**

Legislative Reorganization: Senate made its unfinished business S. 537, to amend the Legislative Reorganization Act to provide for more effective evaluation of the executive agencies of the Federal Government. **Page 7589**

Confirmations: Numerous Diplomatic and Foreign Service nominations were confirmed, including those of Adm. Jerauld Wright, USN (retired), of D.C., to be Ambassador to China; Chester Bowles, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to India; and E. Allan Lightner, Jr., of Maine, to be Ambassador to Libya. **Page 7594**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 762, providing for increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California (amended); and the following eight watershed projects: Istokpoga Marsh, Fla.; Jumper Creek, Fla.; Held watershed, Iowa; Callahan Creek, Mo.; Apache-Brazito-Mesquite, New Mexico; Conetoe Creek, N.C.; Upper Little Minnesota River, S. Dak.; and Harmon Creek, W. Va. and Pa.

Also, committee announced that it had scheduled hearings as follows: (1) On pending feed grain legislation (H.R. 4997), to begin on Friday, May 3, and to continue into the following week through May 8, (2) on pending dairy legislation, to begin before a subcommittee on Tuesday, May 14, and (3) on pending cotton legislation, to begin on Monday, May 20.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony from Maj. Gen. Henry G. Thorne, Jr., Director of Personnel Planning, Air Force; Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Deputy Chief, National Guard Bureau; and J. A. Wylie, Director of Budget and Finance, Office of the Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY-POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 5366, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of the Treasury and Post Office, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies.

It was announced that the full committee would consider this bill on Friday, May 3.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Production and Stabilization continued its hearings on S. 1163, proposed Area Redevelopment Act Amendments, receiving testimony from Representative Gray; Jerome Cavanagh, mayor of Detroit, representing the U.S. Conference of Mayors; Joseph W. Barr, Jr., mayor of Oil City, Pa., representing the American Municipal Association; Hulett C. Smith, Commissioner of Commerce, State of West Virginia; Paul Crabtree, special assistant to the Governor of West Virginia; George M. Stephens, Jr., special assistant to the Governor of North Carolina; Frank M. Kirk, Board of Economic Development, State of Illinois; Robert R. Wolf, Department of Commerce and Industry, State of Oklahoma; and James H. Nutter, Commissioner, Department of Commerce, State of Kentucky.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FREEDOM ACADEMY, AND ACADEMY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on S. 414, to create a Freedom Commission and a Freedom Academy, and S. 865, to establish a National Academy of Foreign Affairs, receiving testimony from Senators Proxmire, Case, Miller, and Dominick; Walt W. Rostow, Counselor and Chairman of the Policy Planning Council, Department of State; Dr. Leo Cherne, Research Institute of America, New York City; Henry Mayers, Cold War Council, Los Angeles; Alan Grant, Jr., technical consultant to the sponsors of S. 414, Orlando, Fla.; Morris I. Leibman, American Bar Association's Standing Committee on Education Against Communism, Chicago; Dr. James Atkinson, Center for Strategic Studies, Georgetown University; Capt. J. C. Webb, Gaithersburg, Md.; and R. Smith Simpson, Annandale, Va.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth, having as its witnesses Arnett Burrow and Thomas Nunnally, General Accounting Office investigators, assigned to the subcommittee's staff; Robert E. Dunne, assistant subcommittee counsel; and Joseph Campbell, Comptroller General, and Robert Keller, General Counsel, who were accompanied by other representatives of the GAO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on S. 143, granting Federal consent for any State to assume jurisdiction over Indian territory as agreed between the Indian tribe and the State, receiving testimony from representatives of several Indian organizations.

MAIL-ORDER GUNS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee resumed its hearings in connection with interstate shipment of firearms to juveniles, having as its witnesses Lawrence W. Pierce, Deputy Commissioner, New York City Police Department; James W. Slusser, Superintendent of Police, Pittsburgh; and Robert C. Hendon, Railway Express Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, receiving testimony from the following panel of witnesses: Dr. Walter W. Heller, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers; Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission; Dr. Edward L. Katzenbach, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Education); Dr. Alan T. Waterman, Director, National Science Foundation; James E. Webb, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and Dr. Jerome B. Wiesner, Director, Office of Science and Technology.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 14.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration the following projects: (1) An office building for the Department of Labor, in the D.C., at a site to be acquired, at an estimated cost of $47.6 million, (2) a National Science Foundation building, at an estimated cost of $4.5 million, (3) a building for the U.S. Patent Office, on a site to be donated or acquired in Howard or Anne Arundel Counties, Md., at an estimated cost of $48.2 million, and (4) a Post Office and Federal office building at Edwardsville, Ill., at an estimated cost of $507,900, and (5) a Post Office and Federal office building at Horicon, Wis., at an estimated cost of $219,700.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 5985-6001; 7 private bills, H.R. 6002-6008; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 393, and H. Res. 329 and 330, were introduced.

Pages 7511–7512

Export-Import Bank Act Extension: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the Export-Import Bank of Washington may exercise its functions.

Adopted an amendment that provided for financing the bank through direct appropriations in lieu of "back-door" financing.

The bill extends the life of the bank 5 years, increases its lending authority by $2 billion, and increases its authorization for insurance and guarantees from $1 billion to $2 billion.

H. Res. 325, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 7486–7495**

Committee To Sit: The Committee on Banking and Currency was authorized to sit during general debate of the House session on Thursday. **Page 7496**

Foreign Service Buildings: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 5207, amending the Foreign Service Buildings Act of 1926, to authorize additional appropriations.

H. Res. 312, the open rule providing for the consideration of the legislation had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 7496–7501**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 40, to assist the State to provide additional facilities for research at the State agricultural experiment stations.

DAIRY

Committee on Agriculture: Dairy Subcommittee heard testimony from Charles S. Murphy, Under Secretary of Agriculture, regarding pending dairy legislation. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from Department of Air Force witnesses. Recessed until Thursday, May 2.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on conflicts of interest between Federal and State banking laws, and heard testimony from various public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, May 2.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 heard testimony from public witnesses on various D.C. crime bills.

EQUAL PAY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5970 (amended, a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 3861), the equal pay bill.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session to discuss the vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from Seymour M. Peyser, Assistant Administrator, Office of Development Finance and Private Enterprise, Agency for International Development. Recessed until Thursday, May 2.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements heard testimony from public witnesses on Winning the Cold War: The U.S. Ideological Offensive.

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations held a hearing on the status of the Bell report recommendations on Government contracting for research and development. Testimony was given by Elmer B. Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; and other departmental witnesses.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, May 2.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 ordered adversely reported to the full committee H.R. 2647, to provide for payment of interest on overtime compensation owing to employees of the Alaska Railroad; also took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 1897, to promote the orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from the president of the Teamster's Union. Hearings continue Thursday, May 2.

FOURTH-CLASS MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Held a hearing on H.R. 5795, to repeal the provisions of law relating to the fixing of rates of postage on fourth-class mail. Heard testimony from various Post Office Department officials. Hearings continue Thursday, May 2.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program heard testimony from public witnesses on highway construction practices in Arizona. Hearings continue Thursday, May 2.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Dr. Raymond L. Bisplinghoff, Director, Office of Advanced Research and Technology, NASA. Hearings continue Thursday, May 2.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Testimony was given by D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; William E. Lilly, Director, Program Review and Resources Management; George Low, Deputy Director for Programs; and Joseph F. Shea, Deputy Director for Systems, Office of Manned Space Flight, all of NASA. Hearings continue Thursday, May 2.

DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the public debt limit. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, May 2.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through April 30, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	56	47	..
Time in session	287 hrs., 12′	144 hrs., 49′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	4,509	2,551	7,060
Appendix	..	..	2,638
Public bills enacted into law	2	13	15
Private bills enacted into law	..	3	3
Bills in conference	..	1	..
Bills through conference	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	167	224	..
Senate bills	52	3	..
House bills	20	121	..
Senate joint resolutions	2	..	..
House joint resolutions	3	3	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	12	4	..
House concurrent resolutions	6	6	..
Simple resolutions	72	87	159
Measures reported, total	*212	*253	..
Senate bills	60	1	..
House bills	23	172	..
Senate joint resolutions	2	..	..
House joint resolutions	3	7	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	14	9	..
House concurrent resolutions	5	5	..
Simple resolutions	105	59	164
Special reports	16	15	..
Conference reports	..	..	..
Reported measures not acted on	9	64	..
Measures introduced, total	1,671	6,849	8,620
Bills	1,427	5,984	7,411
Joint resolutions	75	392	467
Concurrent resolutions	38	145	183
Simple resolutions	131	328	459
Quorum calls	25	16	..
Yea-and-nay votes	38	18	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 155 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 268 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through April 30, 1963

Postmaster nominations, totaling 739, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	462
Withdrawn	2
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	275

Army nominations, totaling 3,596, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	3,590
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	6

Air Force nominations, totaling 10,073, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	8,119
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	1,954

Navy nominations, totaling 15,158, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	14,171
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	987

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,382, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	3,252
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	130

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 1,660, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	1,134
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	523

Summary

Total nominations received	34,608
Total withdrawn	5
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	3,875
Total confirmed	30,728

Thursday, May 2, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7597–7631

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1438–1450; S.J. Res. 77; and S. Res. 132–133. **Pages 7598–7599**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: Report of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare entitled "Migratory Farm Labor Problem in the U.S.," with individual views (S. Rept. 167). **Page 7598**

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 7597**

Wheat: Senate passed with committee amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 762, providing for increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California. **Pages 7634–7636**

Legislative Reorganization: Senate debated S. 537, to amend the Legislative Reorganization Act to provide for more effective evaluation of the executive agencies of the Federal Government. **Page 7631**

Confirmation: One nomination in the rank of general was confirmed. **Page 7667**

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, Francis T. P. Plimpton, of New York, Charles W. Yost, of New York, Jonathan B. Bingham, of New York, and Sidney R. Yates, of Illinois, all to be representatives to the Fourth Special Session of the U.N. General Assembly; and 149 postmasters. **Pages 7666–7667**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony from Maj. Gen. Robert Hackett, Director of the Army Budget; Maj. Gen. Donald W. McGowan, Chief of the National Guard Bureau, Army; Maj. Gen. Leonard F. Chapman, Jr., Naval Examining Board (Marine Corps); and Vice Adm. John Sylvester, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Logistics.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Production and Stabilization continued its hearings on S. 1163, proposed Area Redevelopment Act Amendments, receiving testimony from Representative Hawkins; Irvine H. Sprague, department of finance, State of California; William Schnitzler, AFL–CIO; and Clyde T. Ellis, general manager, William E. Murray, rural area development specialist, and Robert D. Partridge, legislative representative, all of the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INLAND WATERWAYS CORPORATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1031, to repeal the Inland Waterways Corporation Act and provide for the liquidation of the affairs of the Corporation.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth, having as its witnesses William M. Allen, president, Edward Wells, vice president, and other officials of the Boeing Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Boeing officials.

MAIL-ORDER GUNS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee concluded its series of hearings on interstate shipment of firearms to juveniles, after receiving testimony from Franklin L. Orth, National Rifle Association of America; Howard Carter, Jr., representing the National Shooting Sports Foundation; and Robert S. Carr, representing the Ohio Gun Collectors' Association.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Rights Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 935, relating to constitutional rights of the mentally ill, with testimony from Judge Alexander Holtzoff, U.S. district judge for the D.C.; Colman B. Stein, D.C. Association for Mental Health, Inc.; Richard Arens, a D.C. attorney; and Dr. Zigmond Levensohn, representing the Washington Psychiatric Society, Medical Society for the D.C., and the American Psychiatric Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration a committee bill combining amended versions of S. 755, proposed Community Mental Health Centers Act, and S. 756, proposed Mental Retardation Facilities Construction Act.

SENATE RESTAURANT

Committee on Rules and Administration: Subcommittee on the Restaurant held an executive meeting to discuss certain administrative matters and also to meet with the manager of the Senate restaurant and representatives of the Office of the Architect of the Capitol to discuss various matters affecting service to Members, staff, and visitors.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 6009–6033; 7 private bills, H.R. 6034–6040; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 394–396, H. Con. Res. 146, and H. Res. 331 and 332, were introduced. Pages 7675, 7716

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5569, to permit the recovery by the Government of amounts due the Government in the settlement of claims under the Civil Service Retirement Act (H. Rept. 269);

H. Res. 331, providing for the consideration of and the waiving of points of order against H.J. Res. 245, to provide that Members of Congress shall be limited to per diem allowances and necessary transportation costs in connection with travel outside the United States (H. Rept. 270);

H.R. 40, to assist the States to provide additional facilities for research at the State agricultural experiment stations (H. Rept. 271);

H.R. 101, to extend for 2 years the definition of "peanuts" which is now in effect under the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 (H. Rept. 272); and

H.R. 3742, to amend the provisions of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, relating to the transfer of producer rice acreage allotments (H. Rept. 273). Pages 7715–7716

Supplemental Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Thomas, Kirwan, Cannon, Bow, and Wilson of Indiana. Pages 7674–7675

Committee Resignation: Read and accepted Representative Burkhalter's letter of resignation from membership on the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Page 7675

Committee Elections: Adopted H. Res. 332, electing Representative Burkhalter to membership on the Committee on Armed Services; and Representative Roybal to membership on the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Page 7675

Late Reports: The Committee on Banking and Currency was granted permission to file reports on sundry bills by midnight Saturday; similar authority was granted the Committee on Ways and Means to file a report by midnight Monday, May 6, on H.R. 6009, to provide for the periods ending June 30, 1963, and August 31, 1963, temporary increases in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act. Page 7675

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of May 8. Page 7678

Bill Referred: S. 1003, a private bill, passed by the Senate on May 1, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Page 7715

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CHECKOFF PRIVILEGES—LIVESTOCK

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5860, to amend section 407 of the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921, relating to checkoff privileges in connection with the marketing of livestock.

Prior to taking action held an open hearing on H.R. 5860 and 5861 (identical bills) (title above), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from Department of Air Force witnesses. Recessed until Friday, May 3.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on conflicts of interest between Federal and State banking laws, and heard testimony from various public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, May 3.

D.C. SECURITIES ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing regarding the D.C. Securities Act. Heard testimony from William L. Cary, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission; the U.S. Attorney General for D.C.; several D.C. officials; and public witnesses.

DAVIS-BACON ACT—EQUAL PAY

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered clean bills introduced for reporting to the House in lieu of H.R. 404, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act to include fringe benefits, and H.R. 5970, the equal pay bill.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session for markup of vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from Harlan Cleveland, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 641, to approve an order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling and deferring certain irrigation charges, and eliminating certain tracts of non-Indian-owned land under the Wapato Indian irrigation project, Washington; S. 247, to authorize survey and establishment of a townsite for Juneau Indian Village of Alaska; H.R. 2905, to donate certain federally owned land to the Devil's Lake Sioux Tribe of the Fort Totten Indian Reservation, N. Dak.; and H.R. 2467 (amended), to authorize sale and exchange of isolated tracts of tribal land on Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak.

Held a hearing on H.R. 981, to make loans to finance the testimony of expert witnesses before the Indian Claims Commission; H.R. 3278 and 3306, to establish a revolving fund to make loans to finance the procurement of expert assistance by Indian tribes in cases before the Indian Claims Commission.

Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fisheries products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

COPYRIGHTED MUSIC

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 5174, to provide for payment of royalties for public performance of copyrighted musical compositions by means of coin-operated machines. Heard testimony from Representative Celler; Abraham Kaminstein, Registrar of Copyrights; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, May 3.

ACTORS' EQUITY WEEK

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.J. Res. 230, to designate the week of May 20–26, 1963, as National Actors' Equity Week.

In open hearing heard testimony from Representative Lindsay on the measure.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from the president of the Teamsters Union. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: In executive session ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5569, to amend the Civil Service Retirement Act to permit the recovery by the municipal government of the District of Columbia of amounts due such government in the adjudication of claims under such act.

Held a hearing on H.R. 5795 and 2525, to repeal the provisions of law relating to the fixing of rates of postage on fourth-class mail. Heard testimony from Post Office Department officials.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Federal-Aid Highway Program heard testimony from public witnesses on highway construction practices in Arizona.

COMMITTEE TRAVEL

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, waiving points of order against the bill and committee amendments to H.J. Res. 245, to provide that Members of Congress shall be limited to per diem allowances and necessary transportation costs in connection with travel outside the U.S.

Representatives Burleson and Schenck were heard on the request for a rule.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on NASA authorization. Heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; William E. Lilly, Director, Program Review and Resources Management; George Low, Deputy Director for Programs; and Dr. Joseph F. Shea, Deputy Director of Systems, Office of Manned Space Flight, all of NASA.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition heard testimony from Ernest W. Brackett, Director, Procurement and Supply Division, NASA, on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6009, regarding temporary increases in the public debt limit.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation resumed its hearings on H.R. 5036 and S. 1159, AEC authorizations for fiscal year 1964, receiving testimony from Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, James T. Ramey, and Leland J. Haworth, members, A. R. Luedecke, General Manager, and other officials of the AEC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

STEEL INDUSTRY

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded its current series of hearings to inquire into the question of steel prices, profits, production, unit labor costs, raw material costs, and the effects of foreign competition, after receiving testimony from Walther Lederer, Office of Business Economics, Department of Commerce; Leroy F. Fuller, Bureau of Foreign Regulation, Lloyd Tibbott, Office of International Affairs, and William A. Stigler, Deputy Executive Director, all of the Federal Maritime Commission; and James H. Lewis and David Ernst, both of the Department of State.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

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Monday, May 6, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed 17 miscellaneous bills.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7737–7779

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1451–1457. **Page 7738**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 5366, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of the Treasury and Post Office, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 168)—reported on May 3 during Senate adjournment, by prior authority. **Page 7737**

Legislative Reorganization: Senate continued debate on S. 537, to amend the Legislative Reorganization Act to provide for more effective evaluation of the executive agencies of the Federal Government. **Page 7779**

Authority To Meet: Committee on Government Operations was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Wednesday, May 8. **Page 7779**

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, as Chief of Staff of Air Force; Adm. David Lamar McDonald, to be Chief of Naval Operations; one judicial; two Marine Corps; and numerous Army nominations. **Pages 7780–7800**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAIN PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 4997, proposed Feed Grain Act of 1963, with testimony from Senator Morse; Representative Findley; L. Alton Denslow, National Grange; Reuben L. Johnson, National Farmers Union; Don F. Magdanz and B. H. Jones, both of the National Livestock Feeders' Association, Omaha; Richard R. Ammon, Northeastern Poultry Producers Council, Trenton, N.J.; and Ralph Cole, National Corn Growers' Association, Lincoln, Nebr.

On Friday, May 3, committee began hearings on this proposed legislation, receiving testimony from Secretary Orville L. Freeman, and other officials of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY-POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, May 3, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 5366, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of the Treasury and Post Office, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide a total of $6,074,216,250, an increase of $77,190,250 over the House-passed figure of $5,997,026,000.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION REPROGRAMING

Committee on Appropriations: The Military Construction Subcommittee received testimony from officials of the Navy and Air Force relative to the reprograming of funds for certain classified construction by their respective departments.

On Friday, May 3, subcommittee received testimony on the reprograming of funds for repair of typhoon damage on Guam, and on certain classified construction projects.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Production and Stabilization concluded its current series of hearings on S. 1163, proposed Area Redevelopment Act amendments, after receiving testimony from Senators Smathers and Moss; Representative Fascell; Frank G. Roche, Florida State Federation of Labor Council, Miami; Wendell Rollason, Inter-American Affairs Commission of Miami; and Irving McNayr, county manager, who was accompanied by Arthur Patten, a county commissioner, both of Dade County, Fla.

On Friday, May 3, subcommittee received testimony on this bill from Robert S. Nickoloff, representing Gov. Karl Rolvaag, of Minnesota; Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation; Edwin P. Neilan, president, and James E. Mooney, Jr., both of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce; and Wendell Phillips, Northern National Bank, Presque Isle, Maine.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee began hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses Walter K. Cabot, representing the U.S. Chamber of Commerce; Durward Seals, Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Association, Washington, D.C.; Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation; and Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CHANCERIES IN THE D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Friday, May 3, Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on S. 646, prohibiting the location of chanceries or other business offices of foreign governments in certain residential areas in the D.C. Testimony was received from Senators Fulbright and Saltonstall; Pedro San Juan, Director of Special Protocol Services, Department of State; Brig. Gen. F. J. Clarke, Engineer Commissioner, and Warren Stewart, Department of Licenses and Inspections, both of the D.C. government; and numerous D.C. citizens, most of whom represented various citizens' organizations.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

BOARD OF PUBLIC LAND APPEALS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings on S. 758, to establish in the Office of the Secretary of the Interior a Board of Public Land Appeals, having as its witnesses Senators Bartlett and Gruening; and John A. Carver, Assistant Secretary of the Interior (Public Lands Management).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, May 3, the Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 935, relating to constitutional rights of the mentally ill, having as its witnesses John Duncan, member of the D.C. Board of Commissioners; Dr. Terrell Davis, New Jersey State director of mental health; Gladys Harrison, League of Women Voters of the D.C.; Dr. Dale C. Cameron, Superintendent of St. Elizabeths Hospital, who represented the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and Henry Weihofen, Mental Competency Study Group, George Washington University.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 8.

EQUAL PAY FOR WOMEN

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 1409, to prohibit discrimination based on sex in wages paid for employment in interstate commerce.

MIGRATORY LABOR

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, May 3, Subcommittee on Migratory Labor, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration the following bills: S. 521, providing financial assistance to States to improve educational opportunities for migrant agricultural workers and their children; S. 522, to assist States in providing for day care services for children of migratory workers; S. 523, to extend the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to certain children employed in agriculture (amended); S. 524, proposed Farm Labor Contractor Registration Act; S. 525, to establish a 15-member National Advisory Council on Migratory Labor; and S. 526, to establish a program to assist farmers in providing more adequate sanitation facilities for migratory workers.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 50 public bills, H.R. 6041–6090; 16 private bills, H.R. 6091–6106; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 397–399; H. Con. Res. 147 and 148; and H. Res. 333, were introduced. **Pages 7847–7849**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5497, to amend title V of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended relative to continuation of Mexican farm labor program (H. Rept. 274);

Conference report on H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1963 (H. Rept. 275);

H.R. 4996, to increase authorizations to more fully achieve purposes of Area Redevelopment Act (H. Rept. 276); and

H.R. 6009, to provide for the periods ending June 30, 1963, and August 31, 1963, temporary increases in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act (H. Rept. 277). **Page 7847**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Pacific Islands—public lands: H.R. 2072, assuring payment of just compensation for the use and occupancy of certain lands on Kwajalein and Dalap Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands;

Isle Royale National Park: H.R. 4152, authorizing the addition of certain donated lands to the administrative headquarters site, Isle Royale National Park; and

Canal Zone citizenship: H.R. 5175, authorizing issuance of certificates of citizenship in the Canal Zone.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Big Hole Battlefield National Monument: S. 138 (in lieu of H.R. 3200), redesignating the Big Hole National Monument, and revising the boundaries thereof;

Nevada—public lands: S. 873 (in lieu of H.R. 4151), to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain public lands in the State of Nevada to the county of Lincoln, Nev.;

Robert S. Kerr Seaway: H.J. Res. 82, designating the navigation channel and canal portion of the Arkansas River navigation and multiple-purpose project as the "Robert S. Kerr Seaway";

Alcatraz Island disposal: H.R. 1709, to establish a Federal commission on the disposition of Alcatraz Island;

Submerged lands jurisdiction: H.R. 2073, placing certain submerged lands under the jurisdiction of the governments of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa; and

California—public lands: H.R. 4588, providing for withdrawal and reservation for the Department of the Navy of certain U.S. public lands at Mojave B Aerial Gunnery Range, San Bernardino County, Calif., for defense purposes.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Statues: S. Con. Res. 6, accepting the statue of the late John Burke, of North Dakota, and tendering thanks of Congress therefor;

Statues: S. Con. Res. 7, authorizing temporary placement of the statue of the late John Burke in the rotunda of the Capitol;

Printing: S. Con. Res. 8, to print the proceedings in connection with the acceptance of the statue of the late John Burke;

Statues: S. Con. Res. 9, authorizing temporary placement in the rotunda of the Capitol of a statue of the late Joseph Ward, of South Dakota;

Statues: S. Con. Res. 10, to tender thanks of Congress to South Dakota for the statue of the late Joseph Ward; and

Printing: S. Con. Res. 11, to print as a Senate document the proceedings at the acceptance of the statue of the late Joseph Ward.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 228, 1819, 3517, 3887, 4893, and 5042. **Pages 7803–7812**

Bill Rereferred: The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 5342, to authorize the Association of Universalist Women to consolidate with the Alliance of Unitarian Women, and the bill was rereferred to the Committee on the District of Columbia. **Page 7812**

Suspension Passages: The House considered and passed, under suspension of the rules, the following bills:

Great Smoky Mountains National Park: H.R. 3887, authorizing acceptance of donations of land in North Carolina for construction of an entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park, amended (by a voice vote). Pages 7812–7813

Agricultural Research: H.R. 40, to assist the States to provide additional facilities for research at the State agricultural experiment stations (by a record vote of 275 yeas to 30 nays). Pages 7815–7820

Peanuts for Boiling: After considerable debate a motion to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 101, to extend for 2 years the definition of "peanuts" now in effect under Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, was withdrawn and no action taken on the bill. Pages 7813–7815

Bill Referred: S. 762, providing for increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California, passed by the Senate on May 2, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture. Page 7847

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was authorized to sit during general debate of the House sessions on Wednesday and Thursday next. Page 7846

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LIVESTOCK—ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

Committee on Agriculture: In executive session ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5860, to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921, relating to checkoff privileges in connection with the marketing of livestock; also approved four watershed projects.

In an open hearing heard testimony from Representative White, and public witnesses, on H.R. 5126 and 5139, to establish the Office of Assistant Secretary of Agriculture. A statement was submitted for the record by Representative Hansen.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from various Air Force officials.

On May 3 heard testimony in executive session on this subject from Gen. Thomas S. Power, Chief, Strategic Air Command; and other Air Force officials. Hearings continue Tuesday, May 7.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on conflicts of interest between Federal and State banking laws. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

On May 3, heard testimony from James J. Saxon, Comptroller of the Currency, on this subject.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs; and Edmond C. Hutchinson, Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Africa-Europe, Agency for International Development. Recessed until Tuesday, May 7.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 18, to change the name of the Harpers Ferry National Monument to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park.

Heard testimony on H.R. 1803 and 2884, to provide for the establishment of the Ozark National Rivers in the State of Missouri, from John Baker, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; and other departmental witnesses.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: On May 3 continued hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural, and fisheries products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 heard testimony from Representative Kyl; D.C. officials; and public witnesses on various bills regarding crime and law enforcement in D.C.

D.C. HORIZONTAL PROPERTY ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Heard testimony from D.C. officials and public witnesses on H.R. 4276, to amend the D.C. Code, to provide for the creation of horizontal property regimes and the regulation thereof.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Education and Labor: On May 3 General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 405, the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education held a hearing regarding juvenile delinquency and heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned hearings subject to call of the Chair.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session regarding higher education. Ordered a clean bill (H.R. 4797) introduced in the House.

COPYRIGHTED MUSIC

Committee on the Judiciary: On May 3 Subcommittee No. 3 concluded hearings on H.R. 5174, to provide for payment of royalties for public performance of copyrighted musical compositions by means of coin-operated machines. Heard testimony from Representative Miller of California; and public witnesses.

CANAL ZONE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3050, to expand the authority of the Canal Zone government to settle claims for injury to or loss of property or personal injury or death arising from activities of the government; and H.R. 3999 (amended), to amend the Canal Zone Code.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization heard testimony from departmental witnesses regarding manpower utilization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization and heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director; and Brig. Gen. C. H. Roadman, Director, Aerospace Medicine, both of Office of Manned Space Flight, NASA.

On May 3 the subcommittee heard D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; William E. Lilly, Director, Program Review and Resources Management; George Low, Deputy Director for Programs; Rodolfo A. Diaz, Assistant Director for Facilities, Office of Program Review and Resources Management; and Stanley M. Smolensky, Deputy Director, Launch Vehicles and Propulsion Directorate, Office of Manned Space Flight, all of NASA, on NASA authorization bill. Hearings continue Tuesday, May 7.

TRAVEL—U.S. CITIZENS

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee held a hearing to determine whether legislative action is needed on travel of U.S. citizens to Communist countries; also considered the necessity of further amendments to the Foreign Agents Registration Act. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made.

On May 3 also met in executive session on this subject.

RETAILER JOINT ADS

Select Committee on Small Business: On May 3 held a hearing on the Federal Trade Commission ruling on retailer joint ads. Testimony was given by Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Lee Loevinger, Assistant Attorney General (Antitrust Division), Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963.

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Tuesday, May 7, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed congressional foreign travel bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Wednesday, May 8, at 11 a.m.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAIN PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee concluded its hearings on H.R. 4997, proposed Feed Grain Act of 1963, after receiving testimony from Charles B. Shuman, American Farm Bureau Federation, who was accompanied by Howard E. Hill, Iowa Farm Bureau Federation, and B. C. Mangum, North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation; Glen L. Bayne, National Association of Wheat Growers, Prosser, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Simmerman, South Solon, Ohio; Cushman S. Radebaugh, American National Cattlemen's Association, and also representing the Florida

Cattleman's Association; John W. Johnston, Kissimmee, Fla.; T. K. McClane, Jr., Florida Farm Bureau Federation; and Herman Jones, a poultryman, Jacksonville, Fla.

Committee announced that it will hold an executive meeting to consider this bill on Thursday, May 9.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony in behalf of funds for the National Institutes of Health from Assistant Surgeon General James A. Shannon, Director, who was accompanied by other NIH officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony from Brig. Gen. Jackson Graham, Director of Civil Works, and Maj. Gen. W. W. Lapsley, division engineer, North Pacific Division, both of the Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing from William C. Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency of the U.S.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Small Business began hearings on S. 757, relating to Government contract set-asides for small business, with testimony from John E. Horne, Administrator, Small Business Administration; William A. Schmidt, Public Buildings Service, who was accompanied by Paul Barron, Special Assistant to the General Counsel, and Henry Levy, Office of the Administrator, all of the General Services Administration; and George J. Burger, National Federation of Independent Business.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FISHING VESSELS CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1006, proposed U.S. Fishing Fleet Improvement Act, with testimony from Senators Saltonstall and Kennedy; Frank P. Briggs, Assistant Secretary, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; Edward F. Harrington, mayor of New Bedford, Mass.; Otis H. Smith, National Fisheries Institute, Inc.; Gov. Endicott Peabody, of Massachusetts; Andrew Pettis, International Union of Marine & Shipbuilding Workers of America; Jeff Kibre, ILWU; J. E. Caldwell, Aleutian Development Co., Inc.; Robert Kinney, Gorton's of Gloucester, Inc., Massachusetts; Charles R. Carry, California Fish Canners Association; Thomas Anthony Fulham, Fulham Bros., Inc., Boston; Ralph B. O'Maley, mayor of Gloucester; Octavio A. Modesto, Seafood Producers Association, New Bedford; August Felando, American Tunaboat Association; Howard W. Nickerson, New Bedford Fishermen's Union; David E. Harrison, member of the house of representatives, and Antone Silva, State senator, both of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; Berthold Putnam, of New Bedford; and James Ackert, Atlantic Fishermen's Union, Boston.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses Floyd Johnson, representing W. Herbert Smith Co., Inc., Clover, S.C.; Albert P. Heiner, Kaiser Steel Corp., Oakland, Calif.; Don F. Magdanz, who read the statement of B. H. Jones, National Livestock Feeders Association, Omaha; Harry A. Osterhart, Gerber Products Co., Fremont, Mich.; C. B. Culpepper, Atlanta Freight Bureau, Georgia; and William Augello, National Fisheries Institute.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MATTER

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary held hearings on S. 1227, authorizing Association of Universalist Women to consolidate with the Alliance of Unitarian Women, with testimony from Gilbert Gimble, Assistant Corporation Counsel, and Peter S. Ridley, Recorder of Deeds, both of the D.C. government; John Fisher, a D.C. citizen; and Robert E. McLaughlin, representing the Association of Universalist Women.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S.J. Res. 60, providing for the acceptance by the U.S. of an instrument for the amendment of the constitution of the International Labor Organization, and the International Coffee Agreement (Ex. H, 87th Cong., 2d sess.).

Committee received testimony from Assistant Secretary of State for Administration William J. Crockett and Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Foreign Buildings James R. Johnstone in connection with H.R. 5207, to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act so as to authorize additional appropriations.

BOARD OF PUBLIC LAND APPEALS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands concluded its hearings on S. 758, to establish in the Office of the Secretary of the Interior a Board of Public Land Appeals, after receiving testimony from Frank J. Barry, Solicitor, Department of the Interior.

DIXIE PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee held hearings on S. 26, authorizing construction and operation of the Dixie project, Utah, with testimony from the following witnesses: Senator Bennett; Representatives Burton and Lloyd; Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary for Water and Power, accompanied by William I. Palmer, Assistant Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, and A. B. West, Regional Director, Boulder City, all of the Department of the Interior; William Barlocker, mayor of St. George, Utah; J. Bingham, Utah Water & Power Co.; Wayne Criddle, Utah State engineer; and Northcutt Ely and Dallas Cole, both of the Colorado River Board of California.

It was announced that today's session concluded hearings in Washington, but that further hearings on this bill would be held in the field.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs concluded its series of hearings on S. 5, proposed Cold War Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act, after receiving testimony from Senator Hart; Dr. James W. Miller, president, Western Michigan University, representing Michigan Council of State College Presidents; Dr. R. E. Summers, dean of admissions and records, University of Minnesota; Selma Borchardt, American Federation of Teachers, AFL–CIO; and Francis W. Stover, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U.S.

Written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record by Senators Humphrey, Kefauver, Bartlett, Cannon, Hartke, Moss, Williams of New Jersey, Burdick, Inouye, and McGovern.

It was announced that the record would remain open until Tuesday, May 14, for inclusion of additional written material.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session to consider prospectuses for acquisition of D.C. lands for the future site of a Federal building, and for the construction of a U.S. Tax Court building on a site to be acquired in the D.C. Subcommittee took no action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 6107–6131; 6 private bills, H.R. 6132–6137; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 400, H. Con. Res. 149, and H. Res. 334–336, were introduced. **Pages 7909–7910**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S.J. Res. 39, designating the week of May 20–26, 1963, as National Actors' Equity Week (H. Rept. 278);

H. Res. 334, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 950, to amend the Internal Security Act of 1950 (H. Rept. 279); and

H. Res. 335, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 5555, to increase the rates of basic pay of members of the uniformed services (H. Rept. 280). **Page 7909**

Subcommittees To Sit: The Special Subcommittee on Federal-Aid Highway Program of the Committee on Public Works and the Subcommittee on Bank Supervision of the Committee on Banking and Currency were authorized to sit today and the balance of the week during general debate of the House sessions. Similar permission was granted Subcommittee No. 4 of the Select Committee on Small Business for May 8 and 9. **Pages 7866, 7867, 7870**

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 394.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1206, 1393, 1395, 2268, 2751, 4811, and 4965.

Sent to the Senate, amended: S. 74, H.R. 1275, 1332, 1366, 1518, 1734, 1736, 2726, 2753, 3629, and 4773.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1237, 2262, 2300, 2706, and 2728.

Pursuant to a unanimous-consent request further call of the calendar was dispensed with following item No. 72. **Pages 7870–7874**

Congressional Foreign Travel: By a record vote of 387 yeas to 2 nays the House passed H.J. Res. 245, to provide that Members of Congress shall be limited to per diem allowances and necessary transportation costs in connection with travel outside the United States. H. Res. 331, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 7874–7883**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN AGRICULTURE OPERATIONS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Foreign Agriculture Operations held an open and executive hearing on H.R. 5380 and 4914, to make available counterpart funds for international agricultural conferences; use of P.L. 480 funds in connection with U.N. operations; and proposed regulations on interest rates in connection with loans under title IV of P.L. 480. Heard testimony from Representatives McFall, Sisk, and Martin of California; representatives of the State Department, Bureau of the Budget, and Agriculture Department; and public witnesses.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from various Air Force witnesses. Recessed until Wednesday, May 8.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Insurance held a hearing on H.R. 729, to establish the Federal Deposit and Savings Insurance Board; and H.R. 4253, to establish a Federal Banking Commission to administer all Federal laws relating to the examination and supervision of banks. Heard testimony from Joseph P. McMurray, Chairman, and other Federal Bank Board officials.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 heard testimony from public witnesses on bills relating to crime and law enforcement in D.C.

NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from Francis Keppel, U.S. Commissioner of Education, on the National Defense Education Act.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 405, the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act, and heard testimony from Representative Dingell; and public witnesses.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 3000, regarding quality education. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from Frank M. Coffin, Deputy Administrator for Operations, Agency for International Development.

INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.J. Res. 387, relating to amendment of the constitution of the International Labor Organization.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in informal executive session with Dr. E. B. S. Lumu, Minister of Health of Uganda.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks ordered reported favorably to the full committee H. Con. Res. 61 (amended), to express the sense of Congress in respect to the Lewis and Clark Trail from St. Louis, Mo., to the Pacific Northwest; and H.R. 1162 (amended), to consolidate Vicksburg National Military Park and to provide for certain adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fisheries products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 8.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S.J. Res. 39 (amended), designating the week of May 20–26, 1963, as National Actors' Equity Week;

H.R. 2838, to permit Federal court reporters to charge either party for trial transcripts; and

H.R. 2985, to permit civil actions on tort claims to be brought in the district court of the district where the act or omission occurred.

WORK MEASUREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held a hearing on the work measurement system of the postal service. Testimony was given by Representatives Olsen and Addabbo; and public witnesses.

Statements were filed for the record by Representatives Stinson, Hansen, Horan, Karth, Gilbert, Pelly, Powell, Rodino, and Farbstein.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program heard testimony from public witnesses on highway construction practices in Arizona. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 8.

MILITARY PAY

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 5555, the military pay increase bill.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Rivers of South Carolina, and Bates.

INTERNAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 950, to amend the Internal Security Act.

Representatives Willis, Tuck, and Johansen were heard on the request for a rule.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, and heard testimony from Brig. Gen. C. H. Roadman, Director, Aerospace Medicine, Office of Manned Space Flight; George Low, Deputy Director for Programs; Dr. George Knauth, Deputy Director, Aerospace Medicine, Office of Manned Space Flight; and Richard Johnston, Associate Chief, Crew Systems Division, Aerospace Medicine, Office of Manned Space Flight, all of NASA. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 8.

TRAVEL—U.S. CITIZENS

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee continued hearings to determine whether legislative action is needed on travel of U.S. citizens to Communist countries; also considered the necessity of further amendments to the Foreign Agents Registration Act. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, May 8.

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Wednesday, May 8, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed Treasury-Post Office appropriations bill and took up bill to provide building for Bureau of the Mint.

House passed military pay increase bill and recommitted conference report on supplemental appropriations.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7920–7991

Bills Introduced: 37 bills and 7 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1458–1494; S. Con. Res. 39; and S. Res. 134–139. **Pages 7927–7929**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Con. Res. 30, to reprint copies of a committee print entitled "Part 1 of Concentration Ratios in Manufacturing Industry, 1958" (S. Rept. 169);

S. Con. Res. 37, to print additional copies for Committee on the Judiciary of a report and hearings on "State Department Security" (S. Rept. 170);

S. Res. 131, to print as a Senate document "Documents on International Aspects of Exploration and Use of Outer Space," with amendment (S. Rept. 171);

S. Res. 137, authorizing employee of the Committee on Government Operations to comply with subpena for delivery of certain documents to the United States attorney at Newark, N.J. (without written report);

S. Res. 128, to provide additional funds of $25,000 for Committee on Appropriations (no written report); and

S. Res. 139, authorizing payment of gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee (no written report). **Page 7927**

Bills Referred: 25 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 7920**

Senate Employee Subpena: Senate adopted S. Res. 137, authorizing employee of the Committee on Government Operations to comply with subpena for delivery of certain documents to the United States attorney at Newark, N.J. **Page 7927**

Big Hole Battlefield: Senate concurred in House amendment to and cleared for President S. 138, to redesignate the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument and revise the boundaries thereof. **Page 7953**

Crimes: By unanimous consent, Senator Dirksen withdrew his motion of April 26 to reconsider passage on April 25 of H.R. 2842, amending the Federal crime code in connection with offenses committed out of jurisdiction of any State or district. Page 7969

Legislative Reorganization: Senate resumed consideration of S. 537, to amend the Legislative Reorganization Act to provide for more effective evaluation of the executive agencies of the Federal Government, but the bill was temporarily put aside for the consideration of other business. Page 7991

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: Senate passed with amendments H.R. 5366, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of the Treasury and Post Office, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc, which were thereafter considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; modified Proxmire amendment to reduce by $4.75 million funds for Post Office facilities; and

Rejected: By 29 yeas to 57 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Clark amendment to increase by $20.8 million funds for salaries and expenses, Internal Revenue Service.

Also, in effect rejected, was the following Williams (of Delaware) motion when Robertson tabling motion was adopted by 60 yeas to 23 nays: to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to amend title I so that the total funds therein (exclusive of funds to administer the public debt) will not exceed the total amount of corresponding funds in the Treasury-Post Office Appropriations Act for fiscal year 1963, and to report the bill to the Senate in that form at the earliest practicable date.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Robertson, McClellan, Monroney, McGee, Hayden, Johnston, Case, Allott, and Cotton. Pages 8005, 8009–8011, 8018–8031

Federal Buildings: Senate took up S. 874, to authorize construction and equipping of buildings in connection with Bureau of the Mint operations. Page 8031

Authority To Meet: Committees on Agriculture and Forestry and on Labor and Public Welfare were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Thursday, May 9. Page 8031

Treaty Received: International agreement on maintenance of certain lights in the Red Sea, open for signature February 20–August 19, 1962, on behalf of U.S. and seven other countries (Ex. F, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), was received; referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 7945

Nominations: One civilian and one Navy nomination were received. Page 8035

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee held executive hearings to receive testimony on personnel administration of the Agency for International Development from AID Administrator David E. Bell.

Hearings will continue on Friday, May 10.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with further testimony in behalf of funds for the National Institutes of Health from Assistant Surgeon General James A. Shannon, Director, who was accompanied by other NIH officials.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony on funds for projects in his area from Brig. Gen. A. H. Frye, Jr., Division Engineer, South Pacific Division, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: The Small Business Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 757, relating to Government contract set-asides for small business concerns, with testimony from Dr. John T. Dunlop, Department of Economics, Harvard University; Paul Askew, National Union of Operating Engineers; William Dunn, Associated General Contractors of America, Inc.; and Ancel C. Tester, National Small Business Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FISHERMEN

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1135, clarifying fishermen's organizations' bargaining right in the exvessel sale of fish on which the livelihood of their members depend. Testimony was received from George Johansen, Alaska Fishermen's Union, Seattle; Duane Vance, Seattle; John Hawk, Seafarer's International Union of North America, San Francisco; Lester Balinger, Seafarer's International Union, San Diego; Howard W. Nickerson, New Bedford Fishermen's Union, Massachusetts; James Ackert, Atlantic Fishermen's Union, Boston; John Calise, Seine & Line Fishermen's Union, San Pedro, Calif.; and George Issell, United Industrial Workers of North America, San Francisco.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses M. W. Wells, Sr., representing the Florida Fruit & Vegetable Association and the Growers & Shippers League of Florida; Ernest R. May, Wyoming Stockgrowers Association, Cody; D. H. Wilson, representing the Millers' National Federation; and Francis P. Pusateri, Potato Growers Association of California, Inc., Bakersfield.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp. of Fort Worth, receiving testimony from Thomas A. Nunnally, a member of the subcommittee's staff; Roger Lewis, president, General Dynamics Corp.; Frank Davis, president, General Dynamics, Fort Worth; William T. Alvis, also of the General Dynamics Corp.; and E. Clinton Powl, president, and Corwin H. Meyer, Aircraft Development Division, both of Grumman Aircraft Engineering Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OREGON DUNES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands began hearings on S. 1137, providing for the establishment of the Oregon Dunes National Shorelands, Oreg., receiving testimony from Senator Neuberger; Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall, who was accompanied by George Hartzog, Jr., Acting Director of the Park Service; Carleton Whitehead, chairman for the Committee for Oregon Dunes; N. D. Price, port of Siuslaw, Florence, Oreg.; Wilbur Ternyik, Siuslaw Soil Conservation District, Oregon; and George L. Beard, assistant chief engineer, Pacific Power & Light Co., Portland, Oreg.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Rights Subcommittee concluded its series of hearings on S. 935, relating to constitutional rights of the mentally ill, after receiving testimony from Charles B. Murray, director, Legal Aid Agency for the D.C.; Hyman Smollar, chairman, Committee on Mental Health of the D.C. Bar Association; Miss Elyce Zenoff, representing the American and National Capital Area Civil Liberties Unions; and Hugh J. McGee, a D.C. attorney.

Subcommittee will begin hearings on Tuesday, May 21, on bills to extend the Commission on Civil Rights.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. Res. 128, providing additional funds for expenditure by the Committee on Appropriations; S. Con. Res. 30, to reprint copies of a committee print entitled "Part 1 of Concentration Ratios in Manufacturing Industry, 1958"; S. Con. Res. 37, to print additional copies for Committee on the Judiciary of a report and hearings on "State Department Security"; S. Res. 131, to print as a Senate document "Documents on International Aspects of Exploration and Use of Outer Space" (amended); and an original resolution (S. Res. 139) authorizing payment of gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee.

SENIOR CITIZENS

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held an executive organizational meeting and agreed to establish Subcommittees on (1) Housing, (2) Retirement Income and Employment Opportunities for Senior Citizens, (3) Federal, State, and Community Services for Senior Citizens, (4) Health of the Elderly (under the chairmanship of Senator McNamara), and (5) Frauds and Misrepresentations Affecting Older Citizens (under the chairmanship of Senator Williams, of New Jersey). Completion of appointments to subcommittee membership will be accomplished in the near future.

Committee announced that it will continue the tenure of its Subcommittee on Involuntary Relocation of the Elderly, pending submission of its final report, which is expected in the near future.

Committee also announced that it had established an ad hoc Subcommittee on Rules to formulate rules of procedure for operation of the committee and its subcommittees and to report its findings to the full committee at an early date.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 41 public bills, H.R. 6138–6178; 16 private bills, H.R. 6179–6194; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 401 and 402, H. Con. Res. 150, and H. Res. 337–339 were introduced.

Pages 8114–8116

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce entitled "Television Network Program Procurement" (H. Rept. 281); and

H. Res. 337, closed rule waiving points of order against and providing for the consideration of and 4 hours of debate on H.R. 6009, to provide for the periods ending June 30, 1963, and August 31, 1963, temporary increases in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act (H. Rept. 282). **Page 8114**

Actors Equity Week: The House passed with an amendment and returned to the Senate S.J. Res. 39, designating the week of May 20-26, 1963, as National Actors' Equity Week. **Page 8036**

Supplemental Appropriations: By a record vote of 207 yeas to 190 nays the House recommitted the conference report on H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, with instructions for the House conferees to insist on disagreement to Senate amendment No. 47. The amendment provides funds for World Food Congress and a contribution of $65,000 to the International Peace Corps Secretariat. **Pages 8038–8043**

Military Pay Increase: By a teller vote of 293 yeas to 10 nays the House passed H.R. 5555, to increase the rates of basic pay for members of the uniformed services. A motion to recommit the bill had been rejected by a voice vote.

Adopted amendments that provide for—

Recomputation of retirement pay by retirees who retired prior to June 1, 1958; and

Combat duty pay of $55 per month, retroactive to January 1, 1961.

Rejected an amendment to provide that retired officers with 80-percent disabilities shall be considered to have served a minimum of 6 years.

H. Res. 335, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 8043–8082**

Late Reports: The Committee on the District of Columbia was granted permission to file reports on sundry bills by midnight Saturday. **Pages 8093–8094**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:43 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN AGRICULTURE OPERATIONS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Foreign Agriculture Operations continued open and executive hearings on H.R. 5380 and 4914, to make available counterpart funds for international agricultural conferences; use of Public Law 480 funds in connection with U.N. operations; and proposed regulations on interest rates in connection with loans under title IV of Public Law 480. Heard testimony from departmental; and public witnesses.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization. Heard testimony from various Air Force witnesses. Recessed until Thursday, May 9.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 729, to establish a Federal Deposit and Insurance Board; and H.R. 4253, to establish a Federal Banking Commission. Heard testimony from William McC. Martin, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; and other Board members.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and approved joint hearings on D.C. fiscal measures (other than tax bills).

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 3000, regarding quality education. Heard testimony from Francis Keppel, U.S. Commissioner of Education. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from public witnesses on the National Defense Education Act.

COLLEGE FACILITIES

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on H.R. 4797, the Higher Education Facilities and Student Loan Assistance Act.

MIGRANT LABOR

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5060 (amended), to provide for the registration of contractors of migrant agricultural workers.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from Frank M. Coffin, Deputy Administrator for Operations, Agency for International Development: Recessed until Thursday, May 9.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements heard testimony from public witnesses regarding Winning the Cold War—The U.S. Ideological Offensive.

HAITI-DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing on the situation in Haiti and the Dominican Republic. Heard testimony from Sterling J. Cottrell, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; and Ward Allen, Director, Office of Inter-American Regional Political Affairs.

INDIANS—NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 641, to cancel and defer certain irrigation charges and provide for the removal of certain assessable land from the Wapato Indian irrigation project, Washington;

S. 247, to authorize the survey and establishment of a townsite for the Juneau Indian Village in Alaska;

H.R. 2905, to donate to the Devils Lake Sioux Tribe of the Fort Totten Indian Reservation, N. Dak., 275 acres of federally owned land;

H.R. 2467 (amended), to authorize the sale and exchange of isolated tracts of tribal land held in trust on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak.;

S. 18, to change the name of Harpers Ferry National Monument to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park;

H. Con. Res. 61 (amended), to express the sense of Congress in respect to the Lewis and Clark Trail from St. Louis, Mo., to the Pacific Northwest; and

H.R. 1162 (amended), to consolidate Vicksburg National Military Park and to provide for certain adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road.

Passed over without prejudice H.R. 4062, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fisheries products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony, and in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4839, to relieve, in connection with the fraud at Parks Air Force Base, Calif., persons held liable to repay the U.S. by reason of negotiation of a forged or fraudulent check who negotiated such check without knowledge of the infirmity; and H.R. 5495, for the relief of the city of Binghamton, N.Y.; also took action on several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 heard testimony on bills relating to civil rights from Senator Keating; and Representatives Celler, McCulloch, Rodino, Lindsay, Cahill, Derounian, and Taft.

OCEANOGRAPHY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography met in executive session for organizational purposes.

FOURTH-CLASS MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Held a hearing on H.R. 5795 and 2525, to set rates of postage for fourth-class mail. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway construction practices in Arizona. Testimony was given by public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, May 9.

DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule, waiving points of order, with 4 hours of debate on H.R. 6009, regarding a temporary increase in the public debt limit.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Mills and Byrnes of Wisconsin.

Also ordered reported a resolution granting authority to certain members of Committee on Education and Labor to attend the International Labor Organization meeting in Geneva in June 1963.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; and Dr. Joseph F. Shea, Deputy Director for Systems, Office of Manned Space Flight, both of NASA. Hearings continue Thursday, May 9.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences heard testimony from Melvin N. Gough, Director, Aircraft Development Service, Federal Aviation Agency, on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, May 9.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing regarding dual distribution (when an independent businessman's supplier is also his competitor). Heard testimony from Dr. Richard Holton, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs; and public witnesses.

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Thursday, May 9, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed bill amending Internal Security Act of 1950.

Senate committees reported bills on feed grains and equal pay rights for women.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8183–8201

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1495–1507; and S. Con. Res. 40.

Pages 8184–8185

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 4997, proposed Feed Grain Act of 1963, with minority views (S. Rept. 172);

S. 1359, to provide for an additional Assistant Secretary of the Treasury (S. Rept. 173); and

H.R. 4655, reduction of temporary additional Federal unemployment tax and authorization of employment security administrative expenses, with amendment (S. Rept. 174). **Page 8184**

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 8183, 8201**

Resolutions Adopted: The following five resolutions were taken from calendar and adopted as indicated:

Committee expenses: S. Res. 128, to provide additional funds of $25,000 for Committee on Appropriations;

Printing: S. Con. Res. 30, to reprint copies of a committee print entitled "Part 1 of Concentration Ratios in Manufacturing Industry, 1958";

Printing: S. Con. Res. 37, to print additional copies for Committee on the Judiciary of a report and hearings on "State Department Security";

Printing: S. Res. 131, to print as a Senate document "Documents on International Aspects of Exploration and Use of Outer Space" (with committee amendment); and

Gratuity: S. Res. 139, authorizing payment of gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee.

Pages 8190–8191

Federal Buildings: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 874, to authorize construction and equipping of buildings in connection with Bureau of the Mint operations, after adopting modified Proxmire amendment authorizing appropriations for any fiscal year prior to July 1, 1973, of sums not in excess of $30 million to carry out purposes of the act. **Pages 8201–8205**

Actors' Equity Week: Senate concurred in House amendment to S.J. Res. 39, designating the week of May 20–26, 1963, as National Actors' Equity Week. This action cleared the bill for the President. **Page 8205**

Legislative Reorganization: Senate resumed its consideration of S. 537, to amend the Legislative Reorganization Act to provide for more effective evaluation of the executive agencies of the Federal Government.

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Authority To Report: Committee on Foreign Relations was granted authority to file during Senate adjournment report on International Coffee Agreement (Ex. H, 87th Cong., 2d sess.), with individual views.

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Treaty Received: Conventions concerning the International Exchange of Publications and Documents adopted by General Conference of UNESCO at Paris on December 3, 1958 (Ex. G, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), was received and referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Pages 8213–8214**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: 3 civilians, including that of Leland J. Haworth, of New York, to be Director of the National Science Foundation; and 40 in the Public Health Service.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEED GRAIN PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 4997, proposed Feed Grain Act of 1963.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony from Judge Homer Ferguson, U.S. Court of Military Appeals; J. Robert Loftus, Administrative Assistant to the Secretary of Defense, on funds for Defense agencies; Brig. Gen. William O. Blandford, Office of the Secretary of Defense, on funds for educational programs for Defense agencies; Rear Adm. Joseph M. Lyle, Deputy Director, Defense Supply Agency; John A. Wylie, Director of Budget and Finance, DOD, on funds for military claims; Col. John Lee, Jr., U.S. Army, on funds for National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice; Maj. Gen. John G. Merrell, Air Force Budget Officer, on funds for Air Force operations and maintenance; and Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Deputy Chief, National Guard Bureau.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 13.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony from Col. L. J. Goodsell, Assistant Director of Civil Works for Midwestern Division, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing on arms control and disarmament matters from Maj. Gen. J. F. Rodenhauser, Chief of Air Force Technical Applications Center.

Subcommittee made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Small Business Subcommittee concluded its series of hearings on S. 757, relating to Government contract set-asides for small business concerns, after receiving testimony from Graeme C. Bannerman, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Supply and Logistics), who was accompanied by Richard Webb, Director of Small Business Policy, OASD (Installations and Logistics); Jerome O. Hendrickson, National Association of Plumbing, Heating, Cooling Contractors, accompanied by Harvey W. Hottel, Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Contractors Association; Fred Kaplan, MSI Corp.; David T. Eisen, Eisen Magers Construction Co.; Gus Speros, Speros Construction Co.; Charles W. Grinnell, Smaller Business Association of New England, Inc.; and Stanford Adelstein, Northwest Construction Co., who was introduced to the subcommittee by Senator Mundt.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses C. J. Harriss, Continental Grain Co., New York City; James P. Haynes, Louisville Chamber of Commerce; and Ben E. Tate, National Independent Coal Operators Association, Pikeville, Ky.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on the following two bills:

S. 995, granting the D.C. the right to close streets in urban renewal areas under certain circumstances, with testimony from Brig. Gen. F. J. Clarke, Engineer Commissioner, D.C. Board of Commissioners, who was accompanied by John S. Crocker, D.C. Urban Renewal Office, and Phil Doyle, D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency; and

S. 628, authorizing the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency to undertake urban renewal processes in nonresidential areas, with testimony from Brig. Gen. F. J. Clarke, accompanied by John S. Crocker; Neville Miller, D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency, accompanied by Phil Doyle; Gordon Howard, Housing and Home Finance Agency; Robert H. Levi and Knox Banner, both of the National Capital Downtown Committee, Inc.; Peter Glicker, D.C. Federation of Citizens Associations; and Rubin Clark, Washington Planning & Housing Association.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1359, to provide for an additional Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; H.R. 4655, reduction of temporary additional Federal unemployment tax and authorization of employment security administrative expenses (amended); and the nomination of Frank H. Tuohy, to be comptroller of customs, with headquarters at New York City.

Committee, by a vote of 10 to 3, agreed to await the tax bill from the House before holding hearings thereon.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Thomas A. Nunnally, a member of the subcommittee's staff; Roger Lewis, president, General Dynamics Corp.; Frank Davis, president, General Dynamics-Fort Worth; William T. Alvis, also of the General Dynamics Corp.; and E. Clinton Powl, president, and Corwin H. Meyer, Aircraft Development Division, both of Grumman Aircraft Engineering Corp.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

OREGON DUNES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands continued its hearings on S. 1137, providing for the establishment of the Oregon Dunes National Shorelands, Oreg., having as its witnesses Judson T. Klingberg, International Paper Co., Longview, Wash.; J. H. Lenahan, Coos Bay Chamber of Commerce, Coos Bay, Oreg.; and E. C. Manders, manager, Pulp & Paper Division, Menasha Corp.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MINERALS INDUSTRY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels began hearings to explore various aspects of the domestic minerals industry, receiving testimony from Senator Allott; Representative Edmondson; John M. Kelly, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Mineral Resources; G. Griffith Johnson, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; Herbert Waters, Assistant Administrator for Material Resources, Agency for International Development; Robert S. Palmer, Colorado Mining Association; and Samuel Williston, American Quicksilver Institute, Strategic Metals Committee, and the American Mining Congress.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Leland J. Haworth, of New York, to be Director of the National Science Foundation; Arnold Ordman, of Maryland, to be General Counsel for the National Labor Relations Board; and routine nominations to the Public Health Service; S. 331, to extend grants-in-aid to the Republic of the Philippines for hospitalization of Commonwealth Army veterans; S. 384, prohibiting eviction of dependents of military personnel where monthly rental does not exceed $135; S. 412, authorizing VA to waive or release claims following default and loss of property by the borrower veteran under certain conditions; S. 449, authorizing up to $1,600 for purchase of automobiles for certain disabled cold war veterans (amended); S. 625, including within the definition of "VA facilities" private hospitals under contract to the VA in States without such facilities (Alaska and Hawaii) (amended); S. 521, providing financial assistance to States to improve educational opportunities for migrant agricultural workers and their children (amended); S. 522, to assist States in providing for day care services for children of migratory workers (amended); S. 523, to extend the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to certain children employed in agriculture (amended); S. 524, to provide for the registration of contractors of migrant agricultural workers (amended); S. 525, to establish a 15-member National Advisory Council on Migratory Labor (amended); S. 526, to establish a program to assist farmers in providing more adequate sanitation facilities for migratory workers; and S. 1409, to prohibit discrimination based on sex in wages paid for employment in interstate commerce (amended).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 32 public bills, H.R. 6195–6226; 7 private bills, H.R. 6227–6233; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 403 and 404, H. Con. Res. 151 and 152, and H. Res. 340–343, were introduced. **Pages 8181–8183**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 340, granting additional travel authority to the Committee on Education and Labor (H. Rept. 283);

H.R. 5860, to amend section 407 of the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921, regarding producer livestock programs (H. Rept. 284);

H.R. 3191, to exempt life insurance companies from the act of February 4, 1913, regulating loaning of money on securities in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 285);

H.R. 4273, authorizing suspension or dismissal of students in D.C. schools (H. Rept. 286);

H.R. 4274, authorizing the reasonable use of force by principals and teachers to maintain order in D.C. public schools (H. Rept. 287); and

H.R. 4276, proposed Horizontal Property Act of the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 288). **Page 8181**

Security: By a record vote of 340 yeas to 40 nays the House passed without amendment H.R. 950, to amend the Internal Security Act of 1950, to provide for maximum personnel security in the National Security Agency. A motion to recommit the bill had been rejected earlier by a voice vote.

Rejected three amendments that sought to provide methods of appeal for those employees whose employment is terminated by the Secretary of Defense.

Also rejected an amendment to require the Secretary of Defense to personally authorize the termination of employment of officers and employees and not to delegate such authority.

H. Res. 334, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 8127–8156**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of May 15. **Page 8156**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TOBACCO

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Tobacco, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5930, to extend for 2 years the provisions permitting the lease and transfer of tobacco acreage allotments; and H.J. Res. 389 (a clean resolution to be introduced), to extend the time by which a lease transferring a tobacco acreage allotment may be filed.

Held an open hearing with testimony from Representatives Matthews and Fuqua, and departmental witnesses, on H.R. 5930 (title above) and H.J. Res. 389 (title above).

A statement was presented for the record by Representative Lankford.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from various Air Force officials.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 729, to establish a Federal Deposit and Insurance Savings Board; and H.R. 4253, to establish a Federal Banking Commission. Heard testimony from Erle Cocke, Sr., Chairman, Board of Directors, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; and a member of the Corporation Board. Hearings continue Friday, May 10.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on urban renewal, and heard testimony from D.C. officials, and public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, May 10.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6041, to amend the prevailing wage section of the Davis-Bacon Act; and related sections of the Federal Airport Act; and the National Housing Act; and

H.R. 6060, to prohibit discrimination on account of sex in the payment of wages by employers engaged in interstate commerce.

Considered, but took no final action on H.R. 6143, to authorize assistance to public and other nonprofit institutions of higher education.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Testimony was given by William P. Bundy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (International Security Affairs); and Gen. Robert J. Wood, Director of Military Assistance (Internal Security Affairs), Department of Defense.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2461 (amended), to convey to the city of Henderson, Nev., at fair market value, certain public lands in the State of Nevada.

Considered but took no final action on H.R. 5498, and related bills, to provide general authority for sale of public lands.

Heard testimony from John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

POVERTY POINT NATIONAL MONUMENT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks held a hearing on H.R. 1694, to provide for the establishment of the Poverty Point National Monument in the State of Louisiana. Heard testimony from Representative Passman; and George B. Hartzog, Jr., Acting Director, National Park Service.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fisheries products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, May 10.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on bills relating to civil rights. Heard testimony from Senator Javits; and Representatives Joelson, Vanik, Ryan, Schwengel, McClory, Osmers, and Mathias.

COAST GUARD

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 73, to provide for the merger of certain Coast Guard appropriations for operating expenses, Reserve training, and retired pay.

In open session heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses on H.R. 73 (title above); H.R. 5540, to remove percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted men of the Coast Guard; and H.R. 6012, to proclaim regulations for preventing collisions at sea.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway construction practices in Arizona, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from D. Brainerd Holmes, Director, Office of Manned Space Flight; Dr. Joseph F. Shea, Deputy Director for Systems, Office of Manned Space Flight, both of NASA; and a public witness.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition continued hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Testimony was given by John H. Rubel, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering; and Brig. Gen. Paul T. Cooper, Assistant Director, Range and Space Ground Support, Department of Defense.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings regarding dual distribution (when an independent businessman's supplier is also his competitor), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

ARMY REACTOR PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation continued, in executive session, its hearings on the Army reactor program, receiving testimony from Dr. Frank K. Pittman, Director, Division of Reactor Development, AEC; and representatives of the Army and Navy.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from AEC contractors.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a second conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963.

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Monday, May 13, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate adopted conference report on military procurement and took up feed grain bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8263–8295

Bills Introduced: 20 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1508–1527; and S.J. Res. 78. **Pages 8264–8265**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 5389, relating to the repeal of tax on transfers of silver bullion (S. Rept. 175); and

S. 1409, to prohibit discrimination based on sex in wages paid for employment in interstate commerce, with amendments (S. Rept. 176); and

S. 1227, authorizing Association of Universalist Women to consolidate with the Alliance of Unitarian Women, with amendments (S. Rept. 177). **Page 8264**

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. **Page 8263**

D.C.: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 1227, authorizing Association of Universalist Women to consolidate with the Alliance of Unitarian Women. **Page 8274**

Military Procurement: Conference report on H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964, was adopted. **Pages 8327–8328**

Feed Grain: Senate began consideration of H.R. 4997, proposed Feed Grain Act of 1963. **Pages 8295–8298, 8302–8327**

Legislative Reorganization: Senate resumed consideration of S. 537, to amend the Legislative Reorganization Act to provide for more effective evaluation of the executive agencies of the Federal Government, but the bill was put aside when Senate proceeded to consideration of H.R. 4997, proposed Feed Grain Act of 1963.

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Authority To Meet: Subcommittee of the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, handling dairy legislation, was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Tuesday, May 14. Page 8328

Treaty Reported: International Coffee Agreement (Ex. H, 87th Cong., 2d sess.) was reported (Ex. Rept. 1).

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Nominations: The following nominations were received: Robert C. Strong, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Iraq; and numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations. Pages 8328–8329

Recess: Recessed at 5:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on personnel administration of the Agency for International Development, having as its witness Seymour R. Janow, Assistant Administrator for Far East, AID.

On Friday, May 10, committee heard further testimony on this subject from AID Administrator David E. Bell.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 16.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. Alfred D. Starbird, Director, Defense Communications Agency; Lt. Gen. William W. Quinn, Deputy Director, Defense Intelligence Agency; Maj. Gen. R. H. Booth, Chief, Defense Atomic Support Agency; J. R. Loftis, Administrative Assistant to the Secretary of Defense; Paul R. Ignatius, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Installations and Logistics; and Lt. Gen. R. W. Colglazier, Jr., Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Army.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call of the chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, having as its witness Brig. Gen. P. C. Hyzer, Division Engineer, New England Division, Corps of Army Engineers.

On Friday, May 10, subcommittee received testimony from Brig. Gen. J. C. Dalrymple, Division Engineer, North Atlantic Division, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS, AND SILVER BULLION

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, May 10, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of John P. Lewis, of Indiana, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers, and Manuel F. Cohen, to be a member of the Securities and Exchange Commission; and H.R. 5389, relating to the repeal of tax on transfers of silver bullion.

Prior to this action, committee held hearings on the nomination of Mr. Lewis, with favoring testimony from Senators Hartke and Bayh. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, with testimony from Sidney Zagri, International Brotherhood of Teamsters; L. James Harmanson, Jr., National Council of Farmer Cooperatives; and Otis H. Ellis, National Oil Jobbers Council, Inc.

On Friday, May 10, subcommittee received testimony on this subject from Lawrence E. Ernst, National Star Route Mail Carriers Association; Dr. Leon Moses, Northwestern University; and Roy R. Scott, representing Grower-Shipper Vegetable Association of Central California.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. NOMINATIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Richard R. Atkinson, to be a member of the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency; Orman W. Ketcham, of Maryland, to be associate judge of the juvenile court of the D.C.; and Edmond T. Daly, to be associate judge of the D.C. Court of General Sessions.

Prior to this action, committee held hearings on these nominations, with testimony (1) on Mr. Atkinson from Andrew J. Howard, Jr., judge, D.C. Court of General Sessions; Dr. R. Frank Jones, medical director, Freedmen's Hospital; Oliver Gasch, a D.C. attorney; John D. Fauntleroy, Washington Bar Association; and Neville Miller, Chairman, Board of Directors, D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency; (2) on Judge Ketcham from E. Barrett Prettyman, judge, U.S. Court of Appeals; Mrs. G. Lyle Belsley; Thomas S. Jackson, president, who was accompanied by Frederick A. Ballard, chairman, both of the Judicial Selections Committee, D.C. Bar Association; John D. Fauntleroy; and Oliver Gasch; and (3) on Judge Daly from Thomas S. Jackson and Frederick A. Ballard; David Acheson, U.S. attorney for the D.C.; Joseph L. Rauh, Democratic Central Committee; John D. Fauntleroy; and Oliver Gasch.

The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs held hearings on the following bills:

S. 1082, to establish in the Treasury a correctional industries fund for the D.C., with testimony from Irving Bryan, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; and Henry L. Lindsay, Department of Corrections, D.C.;

S. 485, requiring $1 fee for every reinspection of a motor vehicle subsequent to the initial reinspection, with testimony from George England, Director, Department of Motor Vehicles, D.C.; and Washington I. Cleveland, American Automobile Association;

H.R. 5081 (S. 1000), permitting sale of a right-of-way across the District Training School to the Baltimore Gas & Electric Co., with testimony from Irving Bryan, who was accompanied by Walcott Anders of the Baltimore Gas & Electric Co.; and James McAllister, Property Office, D.C.;

S. 1002, to authorize certain expenses in the D.C. government on a continuing basis, with testimony from Irving Bryan; and R. H. Harris, Deputy Budget Officer, D.C.; and

S. 1401, authorizing the D.C. Commissioners to construct and operate a public offstreet parking facility, with testimony from William D. Heath, Director, Motor Vehicle Parking Agency, D.C., who was accompanied by Gilbert Gimble, Assistant Corporation Counsel; Washington I. Cleveland; and Alfred Stein, Columbia Heights Businessmen's Association.

HAITI

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on the situation in Haiti from Under Secretary of State George W. Ball.

MINERALS INDUSTRY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, May 10, the Minerals, Materials, and Fuels Subcommittee concluded its hearings to explore various aspects of the various minerals industry, after receiving testimony from Dr. James Boyd, representing the American Mining Congress; Clark Wilson, Emergency Lead and Zinc Committee; Marling J. Ankeny, Director, Bureau of Mines; and Dr. Thomas B. Nolan, Director of the U.S. Geological Survey.

It was announced that the record would remain open for 1 week for the inclusion of additional written material.

In executive session subcommittee approved for full committee consideration S. 164, to establish a national mining and minerals policy, and S. 1429, relating to authorizations for the operation of three experimental stations of the Department of the Interior.

NEVADA LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, May 10, Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings on S. 346, authorizing the sale of certain Nevada land to the city of Henderson, Nev., with testimony from James F. Doyle, Assistant Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and Wilbur Hardy, city councilman, Henderson.

PUBLIC DEFENDERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee began hearings on S. 63 and S. 1057, authorizing U.S. district courts to appoint public defenders to represent indigent defendants in criminal proceedings, with testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy; former Attorney General William Rogers, who is currently a D.C. attorney; and Judge E. J. Dimock, U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 20.

PAN AMERICAN HIGHWAY CONGRESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee met jointly with the House Committee on Public Works to receive delegates of the Ninth Pan American Highway Congress.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 6234–6254; 13 private bills, H.R. 6255–6267; and 4 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 153–155, and H. Res. 344, were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 289);

Conference report on H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year ending June 30, 1963 (H. Rept. 290);

S. 18, changing the name of Harpers Ferry National Monument to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park (H. Rept. 291);

H.R. 1162, consolidating Vicksburg National Military Park and providing for certain adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road, amended (H. Rept. 292); and

H. Con. Res. 61, expressing the sense of Congress in respect to the Lewis and Clark trail from St. Louis, Mo., to the Pacific Northwest, amended (H. Rept. 293). Pages 8360–8361

Outdoor Recreation Programs Coordination: House insisted on its amendments to S. 20, to promote the coordination and development of effective programs relating to outdoor recreation; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Aspinall, O'Brien of New York, Morris, Saylor, and Chenoweth. Page 8330

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up, considered, and passed:

Insurance loans: H.R. 3191, to exempt life insurance companies from the act of February 4, 1913, regulating loaning of money on securities in the District of Columbia (amended and passed by a voice vote).

Pupil suspensions: H.R. 4273, to amend D.C. Code to permit suspension or dismissal of unruly pupils in the District of Columbia (amended and passed by a voice vote).

School discipline: H.R. 4274, to amend D.C. Code to permit principals and teachers in D.C. schools to use reasonable force in maintaining order in schools (amended and passed by a record vote of 278 yeas to 53 nays).

Horizontal property: H.R. 4276, to provide for the creation of horizontal property regimes in the District of Columbia (passed by a voice vote). Pages 8332–8344

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was authorized to sit during general debate of the House sessions on May 15, 16, and 17. Page 8376

Bills Referred: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 8380

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from various Air Force witnesses. Recessed until Tuesday, May 14.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 729, to establish a Federal Deposit and Insurance Savings Board; and H.R. 5874, to establish a Federal Banking Commission. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

On May 10 the subcommittee also heard public witnesses on these bills. Hearings continue Tuesday, May 14.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: May 10, Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on urban renewal. Testimony was given by D.C. officials.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and resumed hearings on vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 6010, to amend and extend the National Defense Education Act. Heard testimony from public witnesses; on Friday, May 10, also heard testimony from public witnesses on this subject.

HIGHER EDUCATION—MIGRANT LABOR

Committee on Education and Labor: On May 10 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6143 (amended), to authorize assistance to public and nonprofit institutions of higher education in financing the construction, rehabilitation, or improvement of needed academic and related facilities in undergraduate and graduate institutions.

The committee approved H.R. 6158, to provide for the registration of contractors of migrant agricultural workers (a clean bill to be introduced).

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Testimony was given by William P. Bundy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (International Security Affairs); and Phillips Talbot, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs. Recessed until Tuesday, May 14.

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities met in executive session regarding a survey of selected activities in the Department of the Interior.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5222, to provide for the withdrawal and reservation for the Navy Department of certain public lands of the U.S. at Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range, Imperial County, California, for defense purposes. Prior to taking action on the measure heard testimony from departmental witnesses; and public witnesses.

On May 10 heard testimony from Representative Rhodes of Arizona on H.R. 5498 and related bills (title above).

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: On May 10 continued hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fisheries products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

WORK MEASUREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held a hearing on the work measurement system of the postal service, and heard testimony from Representatives Halpern, Karth, Tollefson; and various public witnesses.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization held a hearing to analyze the following manpower items: The effects of civilian ceilings, use of contractors, wage board pay procedures, and equal employment opportunity programs. Heard testimony from Paul B. Fay, Jr., Under Secretary of the Navy.

BACK PAY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: May 10, Subcommittee on Administration met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4837, to provide for the payment of back pay to certain Government officers and employees who were improperly deprived thereof by unwarranted personnel action. Testimony was given by John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission; and public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Heard testimony from Edmond C. Buckley, Director, Office of Tracking and Data Acquisition.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations.

May 10 the committee also met in executive session on this subject. No announcements were made. Recessed until Tuesday, May 14.

Joint Committee Meetings

ARMY REACTOR PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: On Friday, May 10, Subcommittee on Legislation continued, in executive session, its hearings on the Army reactor program, receiving testimony from representatives of the General Motors Corp. and Aerojet General.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AIRCRAFT, MISSILES, AND VESSELS

Conferees, on Friday, May 10, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report (R. Rept. 280) on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964.

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Tuesday, May 14, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate reached agreement to limit debate on consideration of feed grain bill.

House cleared military procurement bill for the President and disagreed to Senate amendment on Philippine war claims.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8391–8433

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1528–1536; S.J. Res. 79–80; S. Con. Res. 41; and S. Res. 140. **Page 8394**

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 8391**

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Manpower and Employment of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized to meet while Senate is in session Monday, May 20, through Thursday, May 23. **Page 8441**

Treasury Department: Senate passed S. 1359, to provide for an additional Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. Page 8451

Unemployment Tax: H.R. 4655, reduction of temporary additional Federal unemployment tax and authorization of employment security administrative expenses, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 8460–8461

Feed Grain: Senate considered H.R. 4997, proposed Feed Grain Act of 1963, agreeing to limit further debate to the following extent: Beginning with the close of morning business on Wednesday, May 15, further debate will be limited to 1 hour on each amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), with the proviso that there be 2 hours' debate on the Hickenlooper amendment to limit direct payments under the program to those in effect under the present program, and with the further proviso that no nongermane amendments will be accepted, it being agreed that the Senate will consider as germane two Curtis amendments (1) on agricultural imports and (2) use of agricultural surpluses, and the Dirksen amendment to require use by CCC of private commercial storage facilities.

Pending at recess was Hickenlooper amendment to prohibit local, county, and State committees from influencing farmers regarding congressional legislation and voluntary programs of the Agriculture Department. Pages 8405–8407, 8433–8434, 8451–8472

Lead and Zinc: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs reports S. 1534, stabilization of domestic lead and zinc industry, it be referred to Committee on Finance. Pages 8394–8396

Treaty Received: Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations together with the Optional Protocol concerning the Compulsory Settlement of Disputes, signed at Vienna April 18, 1961 (Ex. H, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), were received. Pages 8391–8392

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: John Prior Lewis, of Indiana, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers; Manuel Frederick Cohen, of Maryland, to be a member of SEC; and Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, Francis T. P. Plimpton, of New York, Charles W. Yost, of New York, Jonathan B. Bingham, of New York, and Sidney R. Yates, of Illinois, to be U.S. representatives to the Fourth Special Session of the U.N. General Assembly. Pages 8499–8500

Nominations: Senate received 33 Army and 5,758 Air Force nominations. Pages 8478–8499

Recess: Recessed at 5:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DAIRY PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices began hearings on pending dairy legislation, including S. 1317, to encourage adjustments in milk marketing, having as its witnesses Gilbert Rohde, Wisconsin Farmers Union, and Edwin H. Christianson, Minnesota Farmers Union, both representing the National Farmers Union; Patrick B. Healy, National Milk Producers Federation; Otie M. Reed, National Creameries Association; and William C. Eckles, Pure Milk Products Cooperative, Fond du Lac, Wis.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, receiving testimony on funds for medical research from several public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony on funds for projects in their respective areas from Brig. Gen. C. H. Dunn, Division Engineer, Southwestern Division, and Col. R. C. Marshall, South Atlantic area, both of the Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Small Business began hearings on S. 298, to broaden the lending power of the SBA so as to encourage the growth of small business investment companies, and S. 1309, proposing several amendments to the Small Business Act, having as its witness John E. Horne, Administrator, Small Business Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 969, to provide medical care for certain Coast and Geodetic Survey retired ships' officers and crew members and their dependents (amended); S. 1036, to amend the inland and western rivers rules concerning anchor lights and fog signals in special anchorage areas; S. 1194, to remove the percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted personnel of the Coast Guard; H.R. 79, to require authorization for certain appropriations for the Coast Guard (amended); S. 583, making present provisions of law for transferring in a national emergency personnel and equipment of the Coast and Geodetic Survey to the Army and Navy equally applicable to the Air Force (amended); S. 978, to restore medical care to fishing boat owners; S. 1031, to repeal the Inland Waterways Corporation Act and provide for the liquidation of its affairs (amended); and 330 nominations in the U.S. Coast Guard.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, with testimony from E. C. Lasher, North American Car Corp., Chicago; John D. Cannon, representing the Railway Progress Institute; Charles R. Seal, Virginia State Ports Authority, Norfolk; Chellis E. Bellew, Illinois Territory Industrial Traffic League, Chicago; Irvin A. Hoff, U.S. Cane Sugar Refiners Association, Washington, D.C.; and Joseph E. Moody, National Coal Policy Conference, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration the following bills: S. 346, authorizing the sale of certain Nevada land to the city of Henderson, Nev. (amended); S. 535, extending the principles of equitable adjudication to sales under the Alaska Public Sale Act; S. 1122, authorizing exchange of lands between the town of Powell, Wyo., and the Presbyterian Retirement Facilities Corp. (amended); S. 1185, authorizing exchange of certain lands between the U.S., the State of Oregon, and the C&B Livestock Co. (amended); S. 1204, to convey certain public lands in Kansas to the Kansas Forestry, Fish, and Game Commission (amended); H.J. Res. 180, authorizing continued use of certain lands in Sequoia National Park by portions of an existing hydroelectric project in California; and H.R. 3574, providing for the withdrawal and use of public lands at Cuddeback Lake Air Force Range, California, by the Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, subcommittee received testimony as follows:

On S. 1122, from Senators McGee and Simpson; and Karl S. Landstrom, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior;

On S. 1185, from Senator Morse; and Karl S. Landstrom;

On S. 1204, from Senator Carlson; Karl S. Landstrom; and F. G. Spoden, Jr., Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior;

On H.J. Res. 180, from Frank E. Harrison, National Park Service; and

On H.R. 3574, from Karl S. Landstrom; and George Robinson, Office of the Special Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Installations.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education resumed its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, receiving testimony from Senator Burdick; Dr. Mason Gross, Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges and the State Universities Association; Robert H. Wyatt, National Education Association; Philip L. Heckhaus, International Association of Evening Student Councils; Dr. Willis Dugan, who was accompanied by Arthur A. Hitchcock, both of the American Personnel and Guidance Association, and Dennis Trueblood, American College Personnel Association; Paul H. Robbins, National Society of Professional Engineers; Dr. John F. Gummere, National Association of Independent Schools; and W. Dennis Shaul, U.S. National Student Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement held hearings on S. 176, providing for retirement on full annuity at age 55 after 30 years of Government service. Testimony was received from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, who was accompanied by Andrew E. Ruddock, Bureau of Retirement and Insurance, both of the Civil Service Commission, and Phillip S. Hughes, Assistant Director for Legislative Reference, accompanied by David McAfee, Personnel Management Branch, both of the Bureau of the Budget, all of whom opposed the proposed legislation; and James Rademacher, National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO, Max Jordan, National Rural Letter Carriers Association, and C. L. Dorson, Retirement Federation of Civil Service Employees of the U.S. Government, all of whom favored the proposal.

Several written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 37 public bills, H.R. 6268-6304; 16 private bills, H.R. 6305-6320; and 26 resolutions, H.J. Res. 405-427, H. Con. Res. 156 and 157, and H. Res. 345.
Pages 8544–8546

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 247, authorizing survey and establishment of a townsite for Juneau Indian Village in Alaska (H. Rept. 294);

H.R. 641, to approve an order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling and deferring certain irrigation charges, eliminating certain tracts of non-Indian owned land under the Wapato Indian irrigation project, Washington (H. Rept. 295);

H.R. 2467, authorizing the sale and exchange of isolated tracts of tribal land on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak., amended (H. Rept. 296);

H.R. 2905, donating to Devils Lake Sioux Tribe of Fort Totten Indian Reservation, N. Dak., approximately 275.74 acres of federally owned land (H. Rept. 297); and

H.R. 4223, uniform audit requirements for federally chartered corporations (H. Rept. 298).
Page 8544

Printing: Concluded legislative action on, by agreeing to Senate amendments to, H. Con. Res. 119, to print as a House document the Constitution of the United States.
Page 8500

Supplemental Appropriations: By a record vote of 242 yeas to 129 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963. Twelve amendments were reported in disagreement and on which the House voted to:

Recede from disagreement and to concur in Senate amendments Nos. 10, 12, 30, 34, 41, 42, 43, 44, and 56.

On Senate amendments Nos. 11 and 27, the House voted to recede and concur with amendments.

On amendment No. 76, relating to Philippine claims, the Chair sustained a point of order against an amendment to concur with an amendment which provided for criminal penalties. A preferential motion to recede and concur in Senate amendment 76 was then made and was on demand divided. After agreeing to recede from disagreement, a preferential motion to concur therein with an amendment was offered. The House, by a record vote of 168 yeas to 207 nays refused to order the previous question on this motion and subsequently the House rejected by voice votes both the motion to concur with an amendment and the motion to concur in amendment No. 76. A motion to disagree to Senate amendment No. 76 was then adopted by a voice vote.
Pages 8503–8511

Military Procurement: The House by a voice vote adopted conference report on H.R. 2440, authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964, and thus cleared the legislation for Presidential action.
Pages 8511–8512

Church Women's Consolidation: By a voice vote the House passed S. 1227, authorizing Association of Universalist Women to consolidate with the Alliance of Unitarian Women, and thus concluded legislative action on the bill.
Page 8512

Committee Travel: H. Res. 340, to authorize travel outside U.S. continental limits by members of the House Committee on Education and Labor, failed of passage by a record vote of 153 yeas to 217 nays.
Pages 8512–8520

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LIVESTOCK

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains held a hearing on H.R. 1706, to prohibit the retail sale of meats and meat products, dairy products, poultry, and eggs by certain packers. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

A statement was presented for the record by Senator McGovern.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Testimony was given by Department of Defense witnesses. Recessed until Wednesday, May 15.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Savings Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 729, to establish the Federal Deposit and Savings Insurance Board; and H.R. 5874, to establish the Federal Banking Commission. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 15.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 continued hearings on various bills regarding crime in the District of Columbia. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

IMPACTED AREAS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on legislation regarding impacted areas. Recessed until Wednesday, May 15.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act. Recessed until Wednesday, May 15.

FOREIGN AID

Commmittee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Testimony was given by Roger Hilsman, Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs; Seymour J. Janow, Assistant Administrator; and James R. Fowler, Deputy Assistant Administrator, both for Far Eastern Affairs, Agency for International Development; Robert W. Barnett, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Economic Affairs; Adm. H. D. Felt, commander in chief, Pacific; and Rear Adm. Luther C. Heinz, Director, Far East Region, International Security Affairs.

REORGANIZATION ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3496, to extend the Reorganization Act of 1949 until June 1, 1965.

IRRIGATION—RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5312 (amended), to increase the authorization for appropriation for continuing work in the Missouri River Basin by the Secretary of the Interior.

Testimony was given by Representatives Hansen, Westland, and White on H.R. 994, and related bills, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region, and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations heard testimony from Bureau of the Census officials regarding broadcast rating services. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 15.

QUALITY STABILIZATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 3669, and related bills, regarding quality stabilization. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety held a hearing on H.R. 2410, regarding the reorganization of the Public Health Service. Testimony was given by Boisfeuillet Jones, Special Assistant to the Secretary (Health and Medical Affairs), Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 827, regarding the operation of vehicles by disabled persons; and H.R. 2906, regarding towing in emergencies. Testimony was given by Representative Nygaard (H.R. 2906); and Abe McGregor Goff, Commissioner, Interstate Commerce Commission (both measures).

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Resumed hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Testimony was given by public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 15.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization held a hearing to analyze the following manpower items: the effects of civilian ceilings, use of contractors, wage board pay procedures, and equal employment opportunity programs. Heard testimony from Department of Air Force officials.

ARCHITECT'S OFFICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 5369 and 5377, to correct an inequity in the application of the Civil Service Retirement Act to the Architect of the Capitol and his employees. Testimony was given by Representative Henderson; John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, accompanied by another Civil Service Commission official; and an employee of the Architect of the Capitol.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway construction practices in Arizona. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 15.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NURSING CARE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care held a hearing on provision of nursing-type care for veterans. Heard testimony from representatives of the Veterans' Administration. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 15.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, May 16.

Joint Committee Meetings

N.Y. CHEMICAL REPROCESSING PLANT

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held hearings on proposed arrangements for the construction and operation of a chemical reprocessing facility in New York State, receiving testimony from Dr. Robert E. Wilson, member, who was accompanied by other officials of the Atomic Energy Commission; Oliver Townsend, chairman, New York State Atomic Research and Development Authority; and Charles Runion, president, Nuclear Fuel Services, Inc., New York.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

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Wednesday, May 15, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on feed grain bill.

Temporary debt limit increase bill passed by House.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8625–8633, 8763–8764

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and 4 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1537–1546; S.J. Res. 81; S. Con. Res. 42; and S. Res. 141–142. **Pages 8627, 8764**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows:

H.R. 5207, proposed Foreign Service Buildings Act Amendments, with amendment (S. Rept. 178). **Page 8763**

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. **Page 8625**

Outdoor Recreation: Senator Jordan, of Idaho, was substituted for Senator Allott as a conferee on S. 20, to provide for the development of Federal and State outdoor recreation programs. **Page 8642**

Supplemental Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on and cleared for President H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963, when it took the following additional actions thereon: Concurred in House amendments to Senate amendments No. 11 ($15 million for research, Department of Defense), and No. 27 ($10,000 for Commission on International Rules of Judicial Procedure), and receded from its amendment No. 76 (Philippine war damage claims). **Pages 8674–8688**

Feed Grain: Senate worked on H.R. 4997, proposed Feed Grain Act of 1963, rejecting the following amendments thereto:

By 37 yeas to 50 nays, Hickenlooper amendment to prohibit local, county, and State committees from influencing farmers regarding congressional legislation and voluntary programs of the Agriculture Department; by 38 yeas to 52 nays, Aiken amendment providing that the differentials in wheat grain prices that have existed historically between various geographic areas shall be observed by CCC in evaluation of feed grains released under the legislation; by 28 yeas to 61 nays, Curtis amendment to impose a special duty of 25 percent on imports of livestock and meat products when they exceed level of such imports during 1957; by 30 yeas to 61 nays, Dominick amendment (for himself and Senator Allott) exempting Moravian barley from operation of the legislation; by 31 yeas to 58 nays, Simpson amendment to add new section to impose a special duty on imported beef per hundredweight in excess of annual quotas; by 27 yeas to 57 nays, Miller amendment to bar designation of soybeans as a crop not in surplus supply; and, by 34 yeas to 48 nays, Williams (Delaware) amendment to add new section providing that Secretary of Agriculture shall not require any of his employees, including elected county committeemen, to sign any pledge to support the program he is called upon to administer. Motions to reconsider the rejection of each of the above amendments were tabled.

Also in effect rejected was Cotton amendment to add new section to eliminate differentials between prices paid by domestic and foreign processors of raw upland cotton. By 44 yeas to 36 nays, Mansfield motion to table this amendment was adopted (motion to reconsider tabled).

Pending at recess was Dirksen amendment to require use by CCC of private commercial storage facilities.

Pages 8667–8674, 8689–8728

Confirmations: Numerous Coast Guard nominations were confirmed. **Pages 8766–8767**

Recess: Recessed at 8:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DAIRY PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices concluded its hearings on pending dairy legislation, including S. 1317, to encourage adjustments in milk marketing, after receiving testimony from Hugh Perrow, Cameron, S.C.; James Williams, Norway, S.C.; and Heyward Dantzler, Holly Hill, S.C. A statement was submitted for inclusion in the record by a representative of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

It was announced that the record would remain open through Monday, May 20, for the inclusion of additional written material.

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee met in executive session and agreed to recommend that the Senate recede from Senate amendment No. 76 (relating to Philippine war damage claims) to the bill H.R. 5517, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony from public witnesses on funds for the National Heart Institute and for medical research.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 5279, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies.

It was announced that the full committee would meet in executive session to consider this bill on Wednesday, May 22.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony from Maj. Gen. E. I. Davis, president, Mississippi River Commission, and division engineer, Lower Mississippi Valley Division, Corps of Army Engineers, who discussed funds for projects in the Mississippi River Basin.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing on arms control and disarmament matters from Franklin A. Long, Assistant Director, Science and Technology Bureau, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, U.S.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Small Business concluded its hearings on S. 298, to broaden the lending power of the SBA so as to encourage the growth of small business investment companies, and S. 1309, proposing several amendments to the Small Business Act, after receiving testimony from James W. Howard, Federal Capital, Inc., Cleveland; Irving H. Dale, Federated Capital Corp., New York; William E. Francis, Regional Investment Corp., Bloomfield Hills, Mich.; Stewart W. Devore, Fort Worth Capital Corp.; William L. Mosenson, Pennsylvania Growth Investment Corp., Pittsburgh; and George A. McCurrach, Florida Capital Corp., Palm Beach, all representing the National Association of Small Business Investment Companies.

INTERNATIONAL AIRLINE RATES

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on the recent controversy over international airline rates. Witnesses heard were Alan S. Boyd, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; and Abram Chayes, Legal Adviser, who was accompanied by Edward A. Bolster, Bureau of Economic Affairs, both of the Department of State.

Hearings will continue tomorrow.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, with testimony from William H. Ott, representing the National Industrial Traffic League; Herbert E. Bixler, Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce; Ralph C. Lally, National Banana Association, New Orleans; William T. Callahan, Transportation Rate Service of Charleston County, S.C.; R.C. Tyler, Chemetron Corp., Louisville, Ky.; and John C. White, Private Truck Council of America.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS, AND PHILIPPINE WAR DAMAGE CLAIMS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment H.R. 5207, proposed Foreign Service Buildings Act amendments. The amendment adopted would add a new section 3 to the bill which would have the effect of reinstating earlier language approved by the committee and the Senate Committee on Appropriations authorizing lump-sum payment of $73 million to the Philippine Government upon assurances that (1) this would be in full settlement of all war damage claims, and (2) that no part of the sum would be paid directly or indirectly to any former Commissioner or employee of the Philippines War Damage Commission.

INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee (Senator Dodd, acting chairman) resumed hearings to investigate the operations of foreign insurance companies, having as its witnesses J. Edwin Larson, insurance commissioner, State of Florida; Walter Roundtree, general counsel, Florida Insurance Commission; Thomas J. Guilfoil, attorney at law, St. Louis; and Luke D. Lynch, attorney at law, New York City.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, receiving testimony from Senator Gruening; Dr. Logan Wilson, American Council on Education; Calvert N. Ellis, Juniata College; David W. Mullins, University of Arkansas; Donald E. Deyo, American Association of Junior Colleges; Dr. Horace T. Morse, Association of Higher Education (NEA); Dr. Richard Logsdon, Association of Research Libraries; and William Gillard, Catholic Library Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 52 public bills, H.R. 6321–6372; 13 private bills, H.R. 6373–6385; and 16 resolutions, H.J. Res. 428–438; and H. Res. 346–350, were introduced. Pages 8556, 8623–8625

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6016, authorizing additional appropriations for prosecution of projects in certain river basin plans for flood control and navigation (H. Rept. 299);

Report of Eighth NATO Parliamentarian's Conference (H. Rept. 300);

H.R. 4638, to promote the orderly transfer of executive power in connection with the expiration of the term of office of a President and the inauguration of a new President, amended (H. Rept. 301);

H. Res. 350, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 5497, Mexican farm labor bill (H. Rept. 302); and

Conference report on S. 20, to promote the coordination and development of effective programs relating to outdoor recreation (H. Rept. 303). Page 8623

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 5366, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies for fiscal year 1964; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Gary, Passman, Cannon, Pillion, and Conte. Page 8556

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 346, electing Representative Roudebush to membership on the Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 8556

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 4 of the Select Committee on Small Business was authorized to sit during general debate of the House session on Thursday. Page 8556

Temporary Public Debt Limits: By a record vote of 213 yeas to 204 nays the House passed H.R. 6009, to provide, for the periods ending June 30, 1963, and August 31, 1963, temporary increases in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act. A recommital motion designed to continue temporarily the present $305 billion public debt limit had been rejected by a record vote of 195 yeas to 222 nays.

The bill provides a temporary debt limitation of $307 billion for the remainder of this fiscal year and a temporary debt limitation of $309 billion for July and August of 1963.

H. Res. 337, the closed rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 8557–8597

Bill Referred: S. 1359, to provide for an additional Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. Page 8623

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session on H.R. 6196, to encourage increased consumption of cotton, to maintain the income of cotton producers, and to provide a special research program designed to lower costs of production.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from representatives of North American Air Defense Command. Recessed until Thursday, May 16.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Savings Insurance heard testimony from James J. Saxon, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of Justice, on H.R. 729, to establish the Federal Deposit and Savings Insurance Board; and H.R. 5874, to establish a Federal Banking Commission.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on the vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act. No announcements were made.

IMPACTED AREAS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4878 (amended), to extend for 1 year the Federal program of assisting in the training of teachers of the deaf and the Federal programs of aiding education in federally impacted areas.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963, and heard testimony from Teodoro Moscoso, U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress and Assistant Administrator for Latin America; Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; Herbert K. May, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; Lt. Gen. Andrew P. O'Meara, commander in chief, Caribbean; Col. T. M. Ashton, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense, International Security Affairs; and other departmental witnesses. Recessed until Thursday, May 16.

REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered favorably reported to the House H.R. 4638 (amended), the Presidential Transition Act; and H.R. 3496, to further amend the Reorganization Act of 1949, so that such act will apply to reorganization plans transmitted to Congress any time before June 1, 1965; also approved parts III and IV of a report entitled "Efficiency and Economy Report of the Civil Service Commission."

INTERIOR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4062 (amended), to amend the act authorizing the transmission and disposition of electric energy generated at Falcon Dam on the Rio Grande, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to also market power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande;

H.R. 2461 (amended), to convey to the city of Henderson, Nev., at fair market value, certain public lands in the State of Nevada;

H.R. 5312 (amended), to increase the authorization for appropriation for continuing work in the Missouri River Basin; and

H.R. 5222, to provide for the withdrawal and reservation of certain public lands of the U.S. at Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range, Imperial County, Calif., for the Department of the Navy for defense purposes.

ELECTRIC ENERGY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation resumed hearings on H.R. 994, and related bills, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region, and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority. Heard testimony from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; and another departmental witness.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings regarding broadcast rating services. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

QUALITY STABILIZATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on H.R. 3669, and related bills, regarding quality stabilization. Testimony was given by Representative Dent and public witnesses.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety held a hearing on H.R. 2410, to amend the Public Health Service Act to delegate certain reorganization functions to the Surgeon General. Heard testimony from Elmer B. Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 4646, to declare a portion of Benton Harbor Canal, Benton, Mich., a nonnavigable stream; and H.R. 6254, to authorize the conveyance of certain real property of the U.S. heretofore granted to the city of Grand Prairie, Tex., for public airport purposes. Testimony was given by Representatives Hutchinson (H.R. 4646), and Wright (H.R. 6254), and public witnesses (both measures).

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 resumed hearings on bills relating to civil rights. Heard testimony from Richard M. Scammon, Director, Bureau of the Census; Milton P. Semer, General Counsel, Housing and Home Finance Agency; and Abe McGregor Goff, Vice Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission.

IMMIGATION—POPULATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 resumed hearings on immigration and population study. Heard testimony from representatives of the Immigration and Naturalization Service on administrative operations.

JUROR AND WITNESS FEES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5905, to increase the per diem and subsistence, and limit mileage allowances of grand and petit jurors; and H.R. 5907 (amended), to authorize the payment of witness' fees in habeas corpus cases, and in proceedings to vacate sentence for persons who are authorized to proceed in forma pauperis.

Prior to the executive session heard testimony from Harry E. Watkins, chief judge, U.S. District Court, Northern District of West Virginia (H.R. 5905); and John Biggs, Jr., chief judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit (H.R. 5907).

OCEANOGRAPHY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography met in executive session on H.R. 13, and related bills, to provide for a comprehensive, long-range national program in oceanography. No announcements were made.

FOURTH-CLASS MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 5795 and 2525, to set rates of postage for fourth-class mail.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway construction practices in Arizona. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, May 16.

MEXICAN LABOR

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 5497, the Mexican farm labor bill.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Gathings, Udall, Rosenthal, and Teague of California.

EXPORT CONTROL ACT

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H. Res. 25, and related resolutions, to create a select committee to investigate the Export Control Act of 1949. Heard testimony from Representatives Lipscomb, Rogers of Florida, Latta, Gibbons, Patman, Barrett, and Widnall.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NURSING CARE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans. Heard testimony from a representative of the Bureau of the Budget. Hearings continue Thursday, May 16.

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Thursday, May 16, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate cleared for White House the feed grain bill and took up equal pay for women.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8801–8813, 8867

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and 4 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1547–1558; S.J. Res. 82; S. Con. Res. 43–44; and S. Res. 143. **Pages 8801–8802, 8864, 8867**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S.J. Res. 60, providing for acceptance by the U.S. of an instrument for the amendment of the constitution of the International Labor Organization, with individual views (S. Rept. 179). **Page 8801**

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 8801

Outdoor Recreation: Senate adopted conference report on S. 20, to provide for the development of Federal and State outdoor recreation programs. This action cleared the bill for the White House. Page 8827

Feed Grain: By 45 yeas to 35 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 4997, proposed Feed Grain Act of 1963, after rejecting further amendments as follows:

By voice vote, modified Dirksen amendment to require use by CCC of private commercial storage facilities; by 36 yeas to 57 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hickenlooper amendment to limit direct price support payments on feed grains to any one producer to $2,500; by 31 yeas to 58 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hickenlooper amendment providing that the base period for determining the adjusted average yield in the case of payments for 1964 crop shall be the 5-year period 1956-60 rather than the 4-year period 1959-62; by 35 yeas to 57 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hickenlooper amendment to revert to 1958 price supports on corn and providing that the level of price support for any crop of corn shall be not less than 65 percent of the parity price; by 27 yeas to 65 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Miller amendment prescribing procedures, including notice and hearing, to be followed in determining whether the supply of any feed grain is "adequate," "excessive," or "in surplus"; by 36 yeas to 48 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hickenlooper amendment providing that the portion of the support price for any feed grain included in the acreage diversion program shall not exceed the portion that was made available through payments in kind for the 1963 crop of any feed grain; by 34 yeas to 48 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hickenlooper amendment of a technical corrective nature; and by 34 yeas to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hickenlooper amendment to restrict the program to the 1964 crop rather than 1964 and 1965. Pages 8814–8848, 8853–8864

Astronaut Cooper: S. Res. 143, sponsored by the entire membership of the Senate, and expressing profound congratulations to Maj. L. Gordon Cooper on his heroic accomplishment of 22 orbitings of the earth in space capsule *Faith 7*, was adopted. Pages 8864–8865

Public Lands—Nevada: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 873, authorizing the sale of certain public lands in Nevada to Lincoln County, clearing bill for President. Pages 8865–8866

Equal Pay for Women: Senate took up S. 1409, to prohibit discrimination based on sex in wages paid for employment in interstate commerce. Page 8866

Confirmations: One judicial and two civilian nominations were confirmed. Page 8868

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee resumed its executive hearings to receive testimony on personnel administration of the Agency for International Development, having as its witness William S. Gaud, Assistant Administrator for Near East and South Asia, AID.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with further testimony from public witnesses on funds for medical research.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony from Col. L. J. Goodsell, Assistant Director of Civil Works for Midwestern Divisions, Corps of Army Engineers, who discussed funds for projects in the North Central Division, and Maj. Paul Dennison, Executive Officer of the Civil Works Division, who testified on remaining items.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNATIONAL AIRLINE RATES

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings in connection with the recent controversy over international airline rates, having as its witness John C. Leslie, administrative vice president, Pan American Airlines.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 20.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee held an executive session, and announced that it had agreed to hold further hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, the date of which hearings is as yet unannounced.

D.C. POLICE TRAINING

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary held hearings for the purpose of investigating the adequacy of the training of officers of the Metropolitan Police Department, having as its witnesses Maj. Robert V. Murray, Chief of Police, D.C., who was accompanied by Inspector Alexander Douglas, Jr., Director, and Lt. William Couperthwaite, Training Officer, both of the Training School, D.C.; and Capt. Jerry Wilson, Budget Officer, Headquarters, Metropolitan Police Department.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CHEMICAL POISON CONTROL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations began a study of "Interagency Coordination in Environmental Hazards," having as its witness today Dr. Jerome B. Wiesner, Special Assistant to the President, and Director of the Office of Science and Technology. Dr. Wiesner testified with regard to Federal programs and policies concerned with the control of chemical poisons.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 22.

GUAM REHABILITATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs held hearings on S. 1495, to provide for the rehabilitation of Guam, receiving testimony from Senator Inouye; Manuel F. L. Guerrero, Governor of Guam; George Engling, Director of Finance for Guam; Antonie B. Won Pat, Speaker of the Guam Legislature; Richard F. Taitano, Director, who was accompanied by Chester B. Leedom, Staff Assistant, and Samuel Heller, Administrative Officer, all of the Office of Territories, Department of the Interior; and Robert Y. Phillips, Office of Emergency Planning.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, receiving testimony from Miss Germaine Krettik, American Library Association; Edmon Low, librarian, Oklahoma State University; Cora Paul Bomar, American Association of School Librarians, and School Library Services, North Carolina; Dr. John A. Howard, Rockford College, Rockford, Ill.; Dr. Landrum Bolling, Earlham College, Richmond, Ind.; Dr. J. O. Edmunds, Stetson University, Florida; Roy R. Torcaso, American Humanist Association; Dr. Walter E. Hager, Unitarian Fellowship for Social Justice; and Dr. C. Stanley Lowell, Protestants and Other Americans United for Separation of Church & State.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 6386–6413; and 3 private bills, H.R. 6414–6416, were introduced. **Pages 8799–8800**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 5312, increasing the authorization for appropriation for continuing work in the Missouri River Basin by the Secretary of the Interior, amended (H. Rept. 304). **Page 8799**

Cleared for President: The following two bills from the Committee on Ways and Means were cleared for Presidential action by House concurrence in Senate amendments thereto:

Unemployment tax reduction: H.R. 4655, reduction of temporary additional Federal unemployment tax and authorization of employment security administrative expenses; and

Corkboard and cork stoppers: H.R. 2053, to provide for the temporary suspension of duties on corkboard insulation and on cork stoppers. **Page 8778**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of May 22. **Page 8779**

Outdoor Recreation Programs Coordination: House adopted the conference report on S. 20, coordination of Federal-State programs relating to outdoor recreation, and sent the legislation to the Senate. **Pages 8779–8782**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOYBEANS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight and Consumer Relations held a hearing on the proposed ARA loan for a soybean processing plant at Cambridge, Md.; and H.R. 1642, regarding the sale of an animal quarantine station to Clifton, N.J. Heard testimony from Representative Morton; and public witnesses.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 799, to amend the Small Business Investment Act of 1958; and H.R. 5480, to increase the Small Business Administration revolving fund. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, May 17.

ADULT EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on adult basic education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, May 17.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Testimony was given by Teodoro Moscoso, U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress and Assistant Administrator for Latin America; Thomas Kellefer, Executive Director, Inter-American Development Bank; Herbert K. May, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; William R. Tyler, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs; Julius L. Katz, Economic Adviser, Office of Eastern European Affairs, Department of State; Brig. Gen. Samuel K. Eaton, Director, European Region, Defense Department; and Irving Licht, Desk Officer, Africa, Europe, and Mediterranean, Agency for International Development.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 5945, and related bills, to establish a procedure for the prompt settlement, in a democratic manner, of the political status of Puerto Rico. Heard testimony from Representative Powell; Luis Muñoz-Marín, Governor of Puerto Rico; and public witnesses.

D.C. AIRPORTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics resumed hearings on H.R. 826 and 2081, regarding the D.C. Airports Corporation Board. Heard testimony from departmental officials. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

BANKRUPTCY DEBT DISCHARGEABILITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 5772, to authorize courts of bankruptcy to determine the dischargeability or nondischargeability of provable debts. Heard testimony from governmental and public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION—POPULATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on immigration and population study. Heard testimony from representatives of the Immigration and Naturalization Service on administrative operations.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on bills relating to civil rights. Heard testimony from Robert T. Griffin, Assistant Administrator, General Services Administration; Spottswood W. Robinson III, Civil Rights Commission, accompanied by his staff; and Hobart Taylor, Executive Vice Chairman of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES HEALTH BENEFITS ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4837, to provide for the payment of back pay.

Created a subcommittee on H.R. 6212, to amend the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act of 1959; and H.R. 6347, to amend the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act of 1959 to remove certain inequities in the application of such act. Appointed the following Members: Representatives Pool (chairman), Beckworth, Roybal, St. George, and Ellsworth.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway program continued hearings on highway construction practices in Arizona, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Representatives Patman, Kilburn, and Widnall on H.R. 4996, the Area Redevelopment Act Amendments of 1963.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Recessed until Friday, May 17.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NURSING CARE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans. Heard testimony from a Department of Health, Education, and Welfare witness.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 resumed hearings regarding dual distribution (when an independent businessman's supplier is also his competitor), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

Friday, May 17, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bill on equal pay for women.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8871–8892

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1559–1565; and S. Res. 144.

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Legislative Reorganization: Senate resumed its consideration of S. 537, to amend the Legislative Reorganization Act to provide for more effective evaluation of the executive agencies of the Federal Government, agreeing to limit debate thereon as follows: That following morning hour business on Monday, May 20, debate will be limited to 1 hour on each amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), to be divided 30 minutes to each side (with the proviso that no nongermane amendment will be received), and that there be allotted 1 hour for consideration of the bill, time also to be divided equally. Pages 8892–8893, 8917–8918

Equal Pay for Women: By voice vote, Senate passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 1409, to prohibit discrimination based on sex in wages paid for employment in interstate commerce.

Pages 8892, 8913–8917

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Lee Loevinger, of Minnesota, to be member of Federal Communications Commission; William H. Orrick, Jr., of California, to be an Assistant Attorney General; and Thomas James Donegan, of New York, to be member of the Subversive Activities Control Board. Page 8927

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on personnel administration of the Agency for International Development, having as its witness Teodoro Moscoso, Assistant Administrator for Latin America, AID, and U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress.

Executive hearings continue on Monday, May 20.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony from Dr. Robert H. Felix, Director, National Institute of Mental Health, HEW; and several public witnesses, on funds for medical research.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony from Brig. Gen. R. F. Seedlock, Division Engineer, Missouri River Division, Corps of Army Engineers, who testified on funds for various Missouri River projects.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 22.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance held hearings on H.R. 3872, to increase from $7 to $9 billion the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank, with testimony from Harold F. Linder, President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of Washington.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, receiving testimony from William L. Taylor and Clarence C. Ferguson, General Counsel, both of the Commission on Civil Rights; Arthur S. Miller, professor, George Washington University School of Law; Daniel Hubbard Pollitt, associate professor of law, University of North Carolina; Lawrence Wallace, assistant professor, Duke University School of Law; Clarence Mitchell, NAACP; Joseph L. Rauh, Jr., ADA; Herman Edelsberg, Leadership Conference on Civil Rights; and Dr. David McCord Wright, professor of economics, University of Georgia.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 27.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Committee announced that it had approved prospectuses for construction of buildings for facilities of the Internal Revenue Service at (1) Covington, Ky., $4.6 million; (2) Boston, $4.9 million; and (3) Detroit, $3.8 million.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, May 20, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Testimony was given by Robert S. McNamara, Secretary of Defense; Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Air Force Chief of Staff; John Reed, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Installations and Logistics); and other Army, Navy, and Air Force Department officials.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 799, to amend the Small Business Investment Act of 1958; and H.R. 5480, to increase the Small Business Administration revolving fund. Heard testimony from John E. Horne, Administrator, Small Business Administration.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on urban renewal, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

ADULT EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on adult basic education aspects (title VI–B) of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act. Heard testimony from Francis E. Keppel, U.S. Commissioner of Education; and public witnesses.

UNITED NATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements heard testimony from Adlai E. Stevenson, U.S. Representative to the United Nations; and Harlan Cleveland, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs, on H.R. 6283, to amend the United Nations Participation Act.

Testimony was given by David L. Lamb, Commissioner of Patents; State Department officials; and public witnesses, on H.J. Res. 405, to amend the joint resolution providing for U.S. participation in International Bureau for Protection of Industrial Property.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs continued hearings on H.R. 5945 and related bills, to establish a procedure for the prompt settlement, in a democratic manner, of the political status of Puerto Rico. Testimony was given by departmental and public witnesses.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Resumed hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization bill.

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Monday, May 20, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bill to create Joint Committee on the Budget and considered International Coffee Agreement, ordering vote on May 21.

House passed 12 miscellaneous bills.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8978–9002

Bills Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1566–1571; S. Con. Res. 45; and S. Res. 145. **Pages 8979–8980**

Legislative Reorganization: Senate passed without amendment and by voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), S. 537, to amend the Legislative Reorganization Act to provide for more effective evaluation of the executive agencies of the Federal Government by creating Joint Committee on the Budget. **Pages 9002, 9006–9013**

ILO: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) S.J. Res. 60, providing for acceptance by the U.S. of an instrument for the amendment of the constitution of the International Labor Organization.
Pages 9047–9049

Coffee: Senate debated International Coffee Agreement of 1962 (Ex. H, 87th Cong., 2d sess.) and agreed to vote by yeas and nays at 5 p.m., Tuesday, May 21, on the resolution of ratification thereof, debate for one-half hour prior thereto to be equally divided.
Pages 9013–9030, 9047, 9053–9057

Taxation—Silver: In legislative session, Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 5389, relating to the repeal of tax on transfers of silver bullion. Page 9057

Nominations: Senate received one civilian and one judicial nomination, and the withdrawal of two postmaster nominations. Page 9058

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee began hearings on pending cotton legislation (S. 608, 1190, 1458, and 1511), receiving testimony from Senator Talmadge; Charles S. Murphy, Under Secretary of Agriculture; F. Marion Rhodes, president, New York Cotton Exchange; and C. Layton Merritt, president, New Orleans Cotton Exchange.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Navy Department from Kenneth E. BeLieu, Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Installations and Logistics); Vice Adm. William A. Schoech, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air); Rear Adm. K. S. Masterson, Chief of Bureau of Naval Weapons; Vice Adm. C. D. Griffin, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Fleet Operations and Readiness); Rear Adm. W. A. Brockett, Assistant Chief, Bureau of Ships; and Vice Adm. John Sylvester, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Logistics); and Maj. Gen. Leonard F. Chapman, Jr., Assistant Chief of Staff, G–4, U.S. Marine Corps.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 22.

APPROPRIATIONS—AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee resumed its executive hearings to receive further testimony on personnel administration of the Agency for International Development from William S. Gaud, Assistant Administrator for Near East and South Asia, AID.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MARINE LIABILITY

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries held hearings on S. 555, to unify apportionment of liability in cases of collision between vessels, and in other maritime casualties, and S. 556, to limit the liability of shipowners, with testimony from Leavenworth Colby, Admiralty and Shipping Section, Department of Justice, Arthur M. Boal, Boal, McQuade & Fitzpatrick, New York; MacDonald Deming, of Haight, Gardner, Poor & Havens, New York; Eberhard P. Deutsch, of Deutsch, Kerrigan & Stiles, New Orleans; Joseph M. Rault, of Terriberry, Rault, Carroll, Martinez & Yancey, New Orleans; Raymond T. Green, of Fowler, White, Gillen, Humkey & Trenam, Miami; Oscar R. Houston and Leonard J. Matteson, both of Bigham, Englar, Jones & Houston, New York; and William L. Standard, of Standard, Weisberg & Harolds, New York, all of whom are admiralty lawyers; and Scott H. Elder, of Cleveland, representing the Great Lakes Carriers' Association.

A written statement was submitted for inclusion in the record for J. W. Gulick, Deputy Maritime Administrator.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 22.

INTERNATIONAL AIRLINE RATES

Committee on Commerce: Committee resumed its hearings in connection with the recent controversy over international airline rates, receiving testimony from Thomas K. Taylor, vice president, Trans World Airlines; and Alan S. Boyd, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board, who was accompanied by his associates. Statements were submitted for inclusion in the record by Philip H. Trezise, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic Affairs, Department of State; and Stuart G. Tipton, Air Transport Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 572, providing that Government contracts for purchase of gas, coal, or oil for production of public utilities services may not exeed 10 years (amended); S. 876, authorizing the GSA Administrator to convey certain land in Prince Georges County, Md., to the American National Red Cross (amended); S. 814, entitling to travel expenses those student trainees assigned to Federal positions for which there is a manpower shortage; and S. 261, authorizing the conveyance of certain lands in Harris County, Tex., to the State of Texas or the county of Harris.

Also, the committee voted to reconsider the motion relative to disposition of Mitchel Field, adopted at its meeting on April 26, but adjourned subject to call of the Chair without reaching any final decision thereon.

PUBLIC DEFENDERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued its hearings on S. 63 and S. 1057, authorizing U.S. district courts to appoint public defenders to represent indigent defendants in criminal proceedings, with testimony from Sylvester C. Smith, Jr., president, Whitney N. Seymour, Special Committee on Defense of Indigent Persons Accused of Crime, James R. Stoner, Junior Bar Conference, and John W. Cummiskey, Grand Rapids, all of the American Bar Association; James V. Bennett, Director, Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice; Francis A. Allen, Chairman, Attorney General's Committee on Poverty and the Administration of Federal Criminal Justice; and Monrad Paulsen, American Civil Liberties Union.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower began the first phase of a series of hearings on the overall manpower problem, having as its witnesses W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Commerce; and Ivan A. Nestingen, Under Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TECHNOLOGICAL RESOURCES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices began hearings in connection with the role and effects of technology in the Nation's economy, receiving testimony from John H. Rubel, Deputy Director of Defense, Research and Engineering; Dr. Jesse Hobson, Southern Methodist University; John E. Horne, Administrator, Small Business Administration; Dr. Donald Schon, Office of Technical Services, Department of Commerce; Arnold Kramish, Rand Corp.; Gerald A. Simon, Cambridge Research Institute, Massachusetts; and Steve Gurian, a management consultant, Hempstead, Long Island.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 23.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 6417–6441; 9 private bills, H.R. 6442–6450; and 21 resolutions, H.J. Res. 439–443, H. Con. Res. 158–164; and H. Res. 352–360, were introduced. **Pages 8976–8977**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 305);

Third report of the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Survey of Selected Activities (Part 3—Efficiency and Economy in the Department of the Interior)" (H. Rept. 306);

Fourth report of the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Survey of Selected Activities (Part 4—Efficiency and Economy in the Civil Service Commission)" (H. Rept. 307);

H.R. 6041, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act to include fringe benefits in prevailing wages (H. Rept. 308); and

H.R. 6060, to prohibit discrimination on account of sex in the payment of wages by employers engaged in commerce or in the production of goods for commerce (H. Rept. 309). **Page 8976**

Joint Meeting: Agreed to the calling of a recess by the Speaker at any time on Tuesday, May 21, for the purpose of receiving Astronaut L. Gordon Cooper in a joint meeting with the Senate. **Page 8927**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 1 of the Committee on the Judiciary was authorized to sit during general debate of the House sessions on Wednesday and Thursday. Similar authority was granted Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary for May 22, 23, and 24. **Pages 8931, 8971**

Astronaut Cooper: Adopted H. Res. 351, expressing profound congratulations to Maj. L. Gordon Cooper on his heroic accomplishment of 22 orbitings of the earth in space capsule *Faith 7*. **Page 8931**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Harpers Ferry National Historical Park: S. 18, to change the name of Harpers Ferry National Monument to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park.

Indian affairs: S. 247, to authorize survey and establishment of a townsite for the Juneau Indian Village of Alaska.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Indians: H.R. 641, to approve the canceling and deferring of certain irrigation charges, and the elimination of certain tracts of non-Indian-owned land under the Wapato Indian irrigation project, Washington;

Health benefits plans: H.R. 1819, to amend the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act of 1959 to provide additional choice of health benefits plans;

Indians: H.R. 2905, to donate to the Devils Lake Sioux Tribe of the Fort Totten Indian Reservation,

N. Dak., approximately 275.74 acres of federally owned land;

Naval overpayment relief: H.R. 5042, for relief for certain officers of the naval service erroneously in receipt of compensation based upon an incorrect computation of service for basic pay;

Civil Service Retirement Act: H.R. 5569, to amend the Civil Service Retirement Act to permit the recovery by the Government of amounts due the Government in the settlement of claims under such act;

Meatpacking: H.R. 5860, to amend section 407 of the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Lewis and Clark Trail: H. Con. Res. 61, to express the sense of Congress in respect to the Lewis and Clark Trail from St. Louis, Mo., to the Pacific Northwest;

Indians: H.R. 2467, to authorize sale and exchange of isolated tracts of tribal land on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak.;

Corporation audits: H.R. 4223, to provide for audit of accounts of private corporations established under Federal law.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 228, 3517, and 4893. Pages 8931–8936

Vicksburg National Military Park: By a voice vote the House suspended the rules and passed H.R. 1162, to consolidate Vicksburg National Military Park and to provide for certain adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road. This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 386, a similar bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the House-passed language. Pages 8936–8938

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses. Recessed until Tuesday, May 21.

COINS AND MEDALS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs held a hearing on bills to authorize the striking of various commemorative medals and commemorative coins. Testimony was given by Representatives Baring, Bray, Bruce, Talcott, Weaver, Oliver P. Bolton, Goodling, and Schwengel; Eva Adams, Director of the Mint; G. d'Andelot Belin, General Counsel of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

D.C. ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 5594, the D.C. Administrative Procedure Act. Heard testimony from D.C. officials; and public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on title V–A (vocational education aspects) of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Testimony was given by Gen. Lyman L. Lemnitzer, U.S. Commander in Chief, Europe and Supreme Allied Commander, Europe; and William R. Tyler, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs. Recessed until Tuesday, May 21.

MONETARY AFFAIRS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs held a hearing on the conflicting views of the Comptroller of the Currency and the Securities and Exchange Commission on the applicability of Federal securities laws to the common trust funds. Heard testimony from William L. Cary, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission; James J. Saxon, Comptroller of the Currency; Allan Conwill, Executive Director, Division of Corporate Regulation; and Robert Lundheim, Associate Special Counsel, both of the Securities and Exchange Commission; and members of the American Bankers Association.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization resumed hearings to analyze certain manpower items, such as the effect of civilian ceilings, use of contractors, wage board pay procedure, and equal employment opportunity problems. Testimony was given by Stephen Ailes, Under Secretary of the Army, accompanied by other departmental witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on pending legislation. Recessed until Tuesday, May 21.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and began making tentative decisions relative to the President's 1963 tax recommendations (for drafting purposes only at this date). A release is available in room 1102, Longworth House Office Building, of decisions made this date, relating to income averaging.

Joint Committee Meetings

ARMY REACTOR PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation concluded its executive hearings in connection with the Army reactor program, after receiving testimony from Dr. Ralph Bennett, representing the Martin-Marietta Co., Baltimore; and Joseph Singleton and Henry Nickel, both of the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Co.

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Tuesday, May 21, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses heard Astronaut Cooper.

Senate ratified International Coffee Agreement and considered silver bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9065–9099

Bills Introduced: Nine bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1572–1580. **Page 9076**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows:

S. 1576, Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963 (S. Rept. 180). **Page 9068**

Bills Referred: Eight House-passed bills and one House-passed concurrent resolution were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 9065–9066**

Vicksburg Military Park: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 386, to consolidate the Vicksburg National Military Park and provide for adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road. This action cleared bill for President's signature. **Page 9104**

Astronaut Cooper: Senate met jointly with House in the Hall of the House to hear an address by Maj. L. Gordon Cooper, U.S. Air Force, who recently made 22 successful orbitings of the earth. **Page 9104**

NATO: Senate recessed briefly to greet Lord Crathorne, of United Kingdom, President of NATO Parliamentarians. **Pages 9104–9105**

Taxation—Silver: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 5389, to repeal the silver purchase acts and the related transfer tax on silver bullion. **Pages 9099, 9105–9115, 9118, 9135–9136**

Coffee: By 69 yeas to 20 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted resolution of ratification on International Coffee Agreement (Ex. H, 87th Cong., 2d sess.). **Pages 9125–9132**

Nominations: 12 Navy and 1 Marine Corps nominations were received. **Page 9155**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued its hearings on pending cotton legislation (S. 608, 1190, 1458, and 1511), receiving testimony from L. L. Lovell, Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation, A. W. Langenegger, New Mexico Farm and Livestock Bureau, and C. H. DeVaney, Texas Farm Bureau Federation, all representing the American Farm Bureau Federation; Phil Campbell, Commissioner of Agriculture, State of Georgia; and F. H. Heidelberg, North Carolina Cotton Promotion Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1032, to exclude cargo which is lumber from certain filing requirements under the Shipping Act; S. 684, to place the unification or acquisition of control of freight forwarding under the regulation of section 5 of the Interstate Commerce Act (amended); and the nomination of Capt. Albert J. Carpenter, for promotion to permanent rank of rear admiral in the U.S. Coast Guard.

Prior to this action, the Surface Transportation Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 684.

METROPOLITAN PLANNING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations began hearings on S. 855 and S. 915, to require more careful and coordinated State and local planning of federally assisted projects in metropolitan areas. Testimony was received from Senators Case and Williams, of New Jersey; Victor Roterus, Area Redevelopment Administration, and Edward H. Holmes, Bureau of Public Roads, both of the Department of Commerce; Jack C. Haldeman, Assistant Surgeon General, and David Howells, Water Supply and

Pollution Control Division, both of the Public Health Service, Department of HEW; and Victor Fischer, Assistant Administrator for Metropolitan Development, Housing and Home Finance Agency, who submitted his statement for inclusion in the record.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear further testimony from Mr. Fischer, and others.

IRRIGATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held and concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 614, authorizing use of water from San Juan-Chama unit of the Colorado River storage project for recreational purposes at Chochiti Reservoir, with testimony from Gov. Jack N. Campbell, of New Mexico; Maurice N. Langley, Division of Irrigation and Land Use, and Ralph Charles, Area Engineer, Albuquerque, both of the Bureau of Reclamation, who were accompanied by other Interior Department officials; and Donald Curtis, Multiple Use Coordination Branch, Corps of Army Engineers;

S.J. Res. 49, authorizing continuing program to reduce nonbeneficial consumptive use of water in the Pecos River Basin, N. Mex. and Tex., with testimony from Senator Yarborough; Governor Campbell; Ralph Charles; J. Karl Lee, Division of Project Development, Bureau of Reclamation, and other Interior Department officials; J. C. Wilson, Pecos River Compact Commission for Texas; T. E. Lusk, Pecos River Compact Commission for New Mexico; S. E. Reynolds, Interstate Stream Commission; and John J. Vandertulip, Chief Engineer, and J. E. Sturrock, both of the Texas Water Commission; and

S.J. Res. 17, designating the lake to be formed by the waters impounded by Flaming Gorge Dam, Utah, and contiguous area, as O'Mahoney Lake and Recreation Area, on which proposal statements were filed by Senator McGee and others.

COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Rights Subcommittee began hearings on S. 1117 and S. 1219, to extend the life of the Civil Rights Commission and to expand its powers, with testimony from Senators Hart, Javits, and Douglas; John Sexton, Young Democratic Club of Washington; and Carl Shipley, Republican State Committee for the District of Columbia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ADMINISTERED PRICES

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee began a 3-day series of hearings to hear several economic and legal scholars present their views and recommendations in connection with administered prices in various industries. Witnesses heard today were Jules Backman, professor, department of economics, New York University; Irston R. Barnes, professor, graduate school of business, Columbia University; Dr. Gardiner C. Means, Vienna, Va.; and Dr. Edwin G. Nourse, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original bill (S. 1576) entitled "Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963," which bill embodies amended versions of S. 755 and S. 756.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, having as its witnesses Robert Theobald, a British subject, who is an economic consultant and freelance writer; and Donald Michael, a social psychologist and author, representing Peace Research, Inc., Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 6451–6467; 13 private bills, H.R. 6468–6480; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 444–446, and H. Con. Res. 165, were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act of 1963, amended (H. Rept. 310); and

H.R. 3496, to further amend the Reorganization Act of 1949, as amended, so that such act will apply to reorganization plans transmitted to Congress at any time before June 1, 1965 (H. Rept. 311). **Page 9174**

Joint Meeting—Cooper Space Flight: House met jointly with the Senate to honor Maj. L. Gordon Cooper on his heroic accomplishment of 22 orbitings of the earth in space capsule *Faith* 7. Astronaut Cooper briefly addressed the joint meeting. He was escorted to and from the House Chamber by a committee composed of Senators Mansfield, Humphrey, Smathers, Anderson, Monroney, Edmondson, Dirksen, Hickenlooper, Saltonstall, Smith, and Kuchel; and Representatives Albert, Boggs, Vinson, Teague of Texas, Arends, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Martin of Massachusetts. Pages 9155–9156

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 4 of the Select Committee on Small Business was authorized to sit during general debate of the sessions of the House on Wednesday and Thursday. Page 9158

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1237, 3218, and H.J. Res. 390.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 1560.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2262, 2300, 2706, and 2728. Pages 9163–9164

Late Reports: The Committee on Rules was granted permission to file sundry reports by midnight Wednesday. Page 9158

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session on H.R. 6196, the cotton bill.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session on H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Heard testimony from John J. Reed, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Family Housing); Edward J. Sheridan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Properties and Installations); and other departmental witnesses. Recessed until Wednesday, May 22.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on title V–A (vocational education aspects) of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act. Recessed until Wednesday, May 22.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 405, regarding equal employment opportunities, specifically in the District of Columbia.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Testimony was given by Brig. Gen. Stephen O. Fuqua, Jr., Director, Near East, South Asia, and Africa Region, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense, International Security Affairs; and G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs. Recessed until Wednesday, May 22.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on water pollution control. Testimony was given by Representatives Dingell and Blatnik; and James M. Quigley, Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 22.

SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT-MANAGEMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations heard testimony from an official in the Department of Defense in response to the Bell report on Government contracting for research and development. Hearings adjourned until Thursday, May 23.

MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met to review a contract between the Office of Coal Research and Ralph M. Parsons Co., regarding proposed Consolidated Coal Co. project (Project Gasoline). Heard testimony from John M. Kelly, Assistant Secretary of the Interior; and public witnesses.

GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 6225, to provide for the rehabilitation of Guam. Heard testimony from Manuel F. L. Guerrero, Governor of Guam.

INLAND WATERWAYS CORPORATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 2876, to repeal the Inland Waterways Corporation Act.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4839, for the relief of certain persons involved in the negotiation of forged or fraudulent Government checks issued at Parks Air Force Base, Calif.;

H.R. 5495, for the relief of the city of Binghamton, N.Y.;

H.R. 5905, to increase the per diem and subsistence, and limit mileage allowance of grand and petit jurors;

H.R. 5907 (amended), to authorize payment of witness' fees in habeas corpus cases and in proceedings to vacate sentence for persons who are authorized to proceed in forma pauperis;

H.R. 3438 (amended), to amend the Bankruptcy Act with respect to limiting the priority and nondischargeability of taxes in bankruptcy; and

H.R. 6441, to amend Public Law 86–272, with respect to the reporting date.

Took action on several private immigration and private claim bills.

Tabled H.R. 2647, to provide for payment of interest on overtime compensation owing to employees of the Alaska Railroad.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Resumed hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization continued hearings to analyze certain manpower items, such as the effect of civilian ceilings, use of contractors, wage board pay procedures, and equal employment opportunity problems. Heard testimony of Elmer B. Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3544, regarding census enumerators.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 3 hours of debate, on H.R. 4996, the Area Redevelopment Act amendments.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Harvey of Michigan, Taft, Talcott, and Patman.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight and Space Sciences held a joint meeting, in executive session, on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Testimony was given by various departmental witnesses.

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care heard testimony from a public witness on provision of nursing-type care for veterans.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Recessed until Wednesday, May 22.

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Thursday, May 23, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on silver and Foreign Service buildings (including settlement of Philippine war damage claims), and took up mental health bill.

House passed equal pay bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9282–9336

Bills Introduced: 17 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1581–1597; S.J. Res. 83; and S. Res. 146–147. **Page 9285**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 5279, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 181), filed on May 22 during Senate adjournment pursuant to previous authority;

S. 261, authorizing the conveyance of certain lands in Harris County, Tex., to the State of Texas or the county of Harris (S. Rept. 182);

S. 572, providing that Government contracts for purchase of gas, coal, or oil for production of public utilities services may not exceed 10 years, with amendment (S. Rept. 183);

S. 814, entitling to travel expenses those student trainees assigned to Federal positions for which there is a manpower shortage (S. Rept. 184);

S. 876, authorizing the GSA Administrator to convey certain land in Prince Georges County, Md., to the American National Red Cross, with amendments (S. Rept. 185);

H.R. 6009, providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit, with amendments (S. Rept. 186);

S. Con. Res. 43, to print additional copies of parts 1 and 2 of the hearings on the "Development, Growth, and State of the Atomic Energy Industry" (S. Rept. 187);

S. Res. 147, authorizing continuance for 1 year of the Senate Youth Program (S. Rept. 188);

S. Res. 146, authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee (no written report); and

S. Res. 132, extending from May 1 to 31, 1963, period during which Committee on Armed Services or its Subcommittee on the National Stockpile and Naval Petroleum Reserves may make certain expenditures (no written report). Pages 9282, 9284–9285, 9372–9373

Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 9283

Interior Appropriations: The following Senators filed notices of intention to move to suspend the rules for purpose of proposing amendments to H.R. 5279, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies: Senators Moss, Young (North Dakota), Mundt, Anderson, Jackson, and Hayden. Pages 9291–9292

Taxation—Silver: By 68 yeas to 10 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed without amendments and cleared for President H.R. 5389, to repeal the silver purchase acts and the related transfer tax on silver bullion, after rejecting three amendments as follows:

By 24 yeas to 52 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Church amendment to bar sale of Government-owned silver even if price rises above the value per ounce in the silver dollar; by 19 yeas to 54 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dominick amendment to eliminate from bill language authorizing Secretary of the Treasury to sell to other Government departments and agencies any silver held by U.S. in excess of required reserves against outstanding silver certificates; and by voice vote, Gruening amendment providing that when gold reserves drop below $15 billion Secretary of the Treasury shall recommend to Congress that gold production be increased by incentive payments to miners. Pages 9336, 9357–9372

Committee Authorization: S. Res. 132, extending from May 1 to 31, 1963, period during which Committee on Armed Services or its Subcommittee on the National Stockpile and Petroleum Reserves may make certain expenditures, was adopted. Pages 9372–9373

Foreign Service Buildings—Philippine War Damage Claims: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled), H.R. 5207, proposed Foreign Service Buildings Act amendments, with committee amendment authorizing lump-sum payment of $73 million to Philippine Government for war damage claims, after rejecting two amendments thereto as follows:

By 22 yeas to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Long of Louisiana-Douglas substitute amendment to repeal Public Law 87-616, authorizing $73 million for payment of Philippine war damage claims; and by 25 yeas to 41 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Long of Louisiana-Douglas substitute amendment providing that the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission shall transmit report to Congress concerning individual applications for war damage claims settlement, including amount paid or agreed to be paid by claimants to any person as agent or attorney. Pages 9373–9382

Authority To Report: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized until midnight Friday, May 24, to file report on S. 1576, Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963. Page 9382

Mental Health: Senate made its unfinished business S. 1576, Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963. Page 9382

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: This year's graduates of the service academies, to be officers in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps; one civilian; one judicial; and sundry Navy nominations. Pages 9382–9383

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued its hearings on pending cotton legislation (S. 608, 1190, 1458, and 1511), receiving testimony from G. C. Courtright, Mississippi Delta Council; Harvey R. Adams, Arkansas Agricultural Council; J. H. Gilfoil III, Louisiana Delta Council; Wilmer Smith, Plains Cotton Growers, Lubbock, Tex.; Jim Bowden, El Paso Valley Cotton Association, Texas; Walter P. Armstrong, Jr., Memphis Chamber of Commerce; and Robert T. Hoover, Jr., El Paso.

On Wednesday, May 22, committee received testimony on this subject from Senators Symington and Sparkman; Robert R. Coker, president, National Cotton Council of America, who was accompanied by his associates; Paul Ransom, Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation; Robert S. Weil, American Cotton Shippers Association; Tracy D. Jones, Arkansas-Missouri Cotton Trade Association; James E. Kilgore, Oklahoma State Cotton Exchange; Robert D. McCallum, Southern Cotton Association; R. W. Williamson, Texas Cotton Association; T. M. Perkins, Western Cotton Shippers Association; J. M. Gloer, Atlantic Cotton Association; Hilton L. Bracey, Missouri Cotton Producers Association; and William F. Nichols, chairman, and R. C. Bamberg and Ed Mauldin, all of the Alabama Legislative Cotton Study Committee, Montgomery.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: On Wednesday, May 22, committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 5279, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies. As approved by the committee the bill would provide a total of $985,093,400, an increase of $56,468,200 over the House-passed figure of $928,625,200.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: On Wednesday, May 22, subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, hearing testimony in behalf of the Air Force from Donald R. Jackson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, and Maj. Gen. Joseph R. Holzapple, Director of Production, Deputy Chief of Staff, Systems and Logistics, both of Air Force.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony from Col. James C. MacFarland, Chief, Memorial Division, Army; and Maj. Gen. Robert J. Fleming, Jr., Governor, Canal Zone Government.

On Wednesday, May 22, subcommittee received testimony from Joseph H. McCann, Jr., Administrator, St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation; and Vernon D. Northrop, Alternate U.S. Commissioner, Delaware Basin Commission.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call of the Chair.

DISARMAMENT

Committee on Armed Services: On Wednesday, May 22, the Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing on disarmament matters from John A. McCone, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Production and Stabilization, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1163, proposed Area Redevelopment Act Amendments of 1963.

Subcommittee also agreed to authorize hearings in the District of Columbia, and in the field, on S. 750, proposed Truth-in-Lending Act, the date of which hearings are as yet unannounced.

MARINE LIABILITY

Committee on Commerce: On Wednesday, May 22, Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries continued its hearings on S. 555, to unify apportionment of liability in cases of collision between vessels, and in other maritime casualties, and S. 556, to limit the liability of shipowners, having as its witness Abraham E. Freedman, an admiralty lawyer from Philadelphia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

TEXTILES

Committee on Commerce: Special Subcommittee to Study the Textile Industry continued its hearings on problems of the woolens and worsteds industry, with testimony from Senators Church, Muskie, McIntyre, and Jordan; Representatives McIntire and Wyman; and several public witnesses representing the industries under consideration.

On Wednesday, May 22, subcommittee began these hearings, receiving testimony from Senators Saltonstall, Kennedy, Allott, McGee, and Smith; Representative Cleveland; and numerous industry witnesses.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Wednesday, May 22, Subcommittee on the Judiciary held hearings on the following bills:

S. 488, to increase the maximum imprisonment for traffic violations from 10 days to 90 days, with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; and Washington I. Cleveland, American Automobile Association;

S. 489, to allow hearing time to be set by controlling statutes in the D.C. small claims court, with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer;

S. 490, to eliminate the requirement of an alphabetical file on liens on motor vehicles and trailers by the D.C., with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer; Peter S. Ridley, D.C. Recorder of Deeds; and Washington I. Cleveland;

H.R. 4330 (S. 853), proposed District of Columbia Business Corporation Act amendments, with testimony from Thomas S. Jackson, president, and Albert McDermott and Albert Phillipson, all of the D.C. Bar Association; Thomas F. Moyer; Peter S. Ridley; Alfred Goldstein, Office of Recorder of Deeds; and Francis Addison, D.C. Bankers Association; and

H.R. 1982, requiring that all motor vehicle collisions involving property damage over $100 be reported to the Chief of Police, with testimony from Gilbert Gimble, Assistant D.C. Corporation Counsel, who was accompanied by Deputy Chief William J. Liverman, Metropolitan Police Department; Capt. Albert Nicholson, Metropolitan Police Department; and Washington I. Cleveland.

PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendment H.R. 6009, providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony on this bill was received from Senator Saltonstall; and Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

CHEMICAL POISON CONTROL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations resumed its hearings to receive testimony on Federal programs and policies concerned with the control of chemical poisons, having as its witnesses Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture, and Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

On Wednesday, May 22, subcommittee received testimony on this subject from Secretary of the Interior Stewart Udall.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 28.

METROPOLITAN PLANNING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations concluded its current series of hearings on S. 855 and S. 915, to require more careful and coordinated State and local planning of federally assisted projects in metropolitan areas, after receiving testimony from C. Beverly Briley, National Association of Counties; C. David Loekes, American Institute of Planners; Franz J. Vidor, Baltimore Regional Planning Council; and Mayor James J. Sheeran, of West Orange, N.J.

On Wednesday, May 22, subcommittee received testimony on this subject from Victor Fischer, Assistant Administrator, HHFA; William Colman, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; Alan Beals and Don Slater, both of the American Municipal Association; Shepard A. Magidson, representing Mayor Henry Maier of Milwaukee; Harvey Walker, professor, Ohio State University; Alan K. Campbell, professor, Syracuse University; E. K. Powe, Research Triangle Regional Planning Commission, Raleigh, N.C.; Stuart Eurman, Metropolitan Area Planning Commission, Little Rock, Ark.; and John A. Carter and Col. Frank Cassidy, both representing the Southeastern Massachusetts Regional Planning District.

Subcommittee announced that the record would remain open for about 10 days for the inclusion of additional written material.

MITCHEL FIELD

Committee on Government Operations: Committee met in executive session to consider further the matter of the sale of Mitchel Field, N.Y., but reached no conclusion thereon, and recessed subject to call of the Chair.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: On Wednesday, May 22, the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, having as its witness Albert W. Blackburn, a former employee of the Office of the Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee held hearings on the following bills:

S. 851, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande, with testimony from N. B. Bennett, Assistant Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation;

H.R. 131, providing for the renewal of certain long-term water supply contracts under the Reclamation Project Act, with testimony from Representative Sisk; and Morris N. Langley, Bureau of Reclamation; and

S. 638, authorizing modification of the repayment contract with the Grand Valley Water Users' Association, with testimony from Senator Dominick; and Morris N. Langley.

Subcommittee will hold an executive session tomorrow to consider these and other pending bills.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Wednesday, May 22, Public Lands Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 16, providing for the establishment of the Ozark National Rivers, Mo., with testimony from George Hartzog, Associate Director, who was accompanied by other officials of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee also concluded hearings on S. 1137, providing for the establishment of the Oregon Dunes National Shorelands, Oregon, after receiving testimony from Nancy Machler, National Parks Association; and Spencer Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources.

ADMINISTERED PRICES

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee concluded its current series of hearings on administered prices, after receiving testimony from Joel Dirlam, professor, department of economics, Michigan State University; Horace M. Gray, professor, department of economics, University of Illinois; Earl W. Kintner, D.C. attorney, former Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; and Roy H. Steyer, an attorney, City of New York Bar Association.

On Wednesday, May 22, subcommittee received testimony on this subject from Walter Adams, professor, department of economics, Michigan State University; Alfred E. Kahn, professor, department of economics, Yale University; Frank Kottke, professor, department of economics, Washington State University; and Robert F. Lanzillotti, professor, department of economics, Michigan State University.

COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1117 and

S. 1219, to extend the life of the Civil Rights Commission and to expand its powers, with testimony from Senator Sparkman; Erwin N. Griswold, and Berl I. Bernhard, both of the Commission on Civil Rights; Father Trafford Maher, Missouri Advisory Committee, Commission on Civil Rights; and Andrew McDowd Secrest, South Carolina Advisory Committee, Commission on Civil Rights.

On Wednesday, May 22, subcommittee received testimony on this subject from Senators Saltonstall, and Williams of New Jersey; Jack Pemberton, American Civil Liberties Union; Richard Sachs, Americans for Democratic Action; Dale Button, Unitarian Fellowship for Social Justice; and Miss Wallis Schutt, Mississippi Advisory Committee, Commission on Civil Rights.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 5.

CUBAN REFUGEES

Committee on the Judiciary: The Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees continued its hearings on current State Department policy toward the Cuban exile community, receiving testimony from Representative Pepper; and Joseph F. Dolan, Assistant Deputy Attorney General, and Mario T. Noto, Associate Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, both of the Department of Justice.

On Wednesday, May 22, subcommittee began these hearings, receiving testimony from Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; Dr. Ellen Winston, Commissioner, Welfare Administration, and John F. Thomas, Director, of the Cuban refugee program, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, receiving testimony from Dr. Eli Ginzberg, director, conservation of human resources, Columbia University; Dr. Herbert E. Striner, director of program development, The W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, Washington, D.C.; and Dr. John T. Dunlop, chairman, department of economics, Harvard University.

On Wednesday, May 22, subcommittee received testimony on this subject from Walter Reuther, president of the United Auto Workers Union.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 4.

FOURTH-CLASS MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Wednesday, May 22, committee held hearings on S. 433, to repeal the power of the Postmaster General to fix postage rates on fourth-class mail, with testimony from Postmaster General J. Edward Day, who was accompanied by other officials of the Post Office Department.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: On Wednesday, May 22, Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration: (1) S. 254, providing for the acquisition of certain D.C. land as an addition to the grounds of the U.S. Supreme Court building; (2) S. 1139, repealing certain laws concerning restrictions on air conditioning equipment; and (3) a U.S. Tax Court building to be constructed on a site to be acquired in the D.C., estimated cost, $9,848,000.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: On Wednesday, May 22, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. Con. Res. 43, to print additional copies of parts 1 and 2 of the hearings on the "Development, Growth, and State of the Atomic Energy Industry"; S. Res. 145, to print as a Senate document selected excerpts on the 1963–64 national high school debate subject of medicare; an original resolution authorizing continuance for 1 year of the Senate Youth Program; and an original resolution (S. Res. 146) authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee.

SENIOR CITIZENS

Special Committee on Aging: On Wednesday, May 22, the ad hoc Subcommittee on Rules held an executive meeting to consider proposed rules of procedure to govern the operation of the full committee, and other related matters, but made no announcements, and adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 85 public bills, H.R. 6481–6565; 29 private bills, H.R. 6566–6594; and 19 resolutions, H.J. Res. 447–451, H. Con. Res. 166–170, and H. Res. 361–369 were introduced. **Pages 9279–9282**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 361, open rule providing for the consideration of and 3 hours of debate on H.R. 4996, to amend certain provisions of the Area Redevelopment Act, filed on May 22 (H. Rept. 312);

H. Res. 362, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 6060, the equal pay bill, filed on May 22 (H. Rept. 313);

Three private bills, H.R. 1232, 1276, and 2309 (H. Repts. 314–316);

H.R. 4837, to provide for the payment of certain amounts and restoration of employment benefits to certain Government officers and employees improperly deprived thereof, amended (H. Rept. 317);

H.R. 2461, directing the Secretary of the Interior to convey to the city of Henderson, Nev., at fair market value, certain public lands in the State of Nevada, amended (H. Rept. 318);

H.R. 4062, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to market power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande, amended (H. Rept. 319);

H.R. 5222, providing for the withdrawal and reservation for the Department of the Navy of certain U.S. public lands at Chocolate Mountain aerial gunnery range, Imperial County, Calif., for defense purposes (H. Rept. 320);

H.R. 4839, for the relief of certain persons involved in the negotiation of forged or fraudulent Government checks issued at Parks Air Force Base, Calif. (H. Rept. 321);

H.R. 5495, for the relief of the city of Binghamton, N.Y. (H. Rept. 322);

Nineteen private bills, H.R. 1191, 1192, 1281, 1458, 1475, 1726, 2244, 2944, 3219, 4144, 4501, 5144, 5305, 2239, 2251, 2287, 2289, 2444, and 5834 (H. Repts. 323–341, respectively);

H.R. 6441, extending the time for filing reports under Public Law 86–272 (H. Rept. 342);

H.R. 2765, a private bill (H. Rept. 343); and

H.R. 5905, to amend U.S. Code to increase the per diem and subsistence, and limit mileage allowances of grand and petit jurors (H. Rept. 344). **Pages 9278–9279**

Equal Pay: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 6060, to prohibit discrimination on account of sex in the payment of wages by employers engaged in commerce or in the production of goods for commerce. This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 1409, a similar bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of H.R. 6060.

Rejected amendments that would have barred investigations by the Labor Department unless a written complaint of alleged violations had been filed, and to charges or affirmations to be made under oath.

H. Res. 362, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a record vote of 362 yeas to 9 nays. **Pages 9192–9218**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of May 29. **Page 9218**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOYBEAN PLANT

Committee on Agriculture: On May 22 Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight and Consumer Relations met in executive session on the Delmarva soybean processing plant. Heard testimony from various departmental witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: On May 22 met in executive session and concluded consideration of H.R. 4825, the military construction authorization bill. Ordered a clean bill introduced for reporting to the House.

Heard testimony from various departmental witnesses.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: On May 22 Special Subcommittee on Investigations met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

SECURITIES LOSS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session to consider report of the special subcommittee investigating the $7.5 million securities loss at the San Francisco Federal Reserve Bank.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on urban renewal (continuation of Adams-Morgan project area). Heard testimony from various public witnesses.

LIBRARY SERVICES

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4879, the Library Services and Construction Act. Also discussed legislation relating to impacted areas.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: On May 22 General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on the vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: On May 22 Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing regarding the National Service Corps. Testimony was given by Robert F. Kennedy, Attorney General; Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; and W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from

George Meany, member of the President's Committee To Strengthen the Security of the Free World.

On May 22 the committee met in executive session on the measure and heard testimony from David E. Bell, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems. Heard testimony from various Department of Health, Education, and Welfare officials.

On May 22, the subcommittee also heard HEW witnesses on this subject.

SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT-MANAGEMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations heard testimony from Thomas D. Morris, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Installations and Logistics), regarding contract administration aspects of the Department of Defense response to the Bell report on Government contracting for research and development.

GOVERNMENT INFORMATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information heard testimony from George Simpson, Assistant Administrator for Public Affairs for National Aeronautics and Space Administration, regarding a study of Government information plans and policies.

SANITATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs heard a briefing by Dr. Carruth J. Wagner, Chief, Division of Indian Health, Public Health Service, on health and sanitation programs for the Indians, Aleuts, and Eskimos.

WATER—CONCESSION CONTRACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On May 22 approved two committee resolutions regarding water projects policies and procedures; and a concessions contract.

PROJECT GASOLINE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On May 22 Subcommittee on Mines and Mining concluded review of contract between Office of Coal Research and Ralph M. Parsons Co. regarding proposed Consolidation Coal Co. project, and further review of Office of Coal Research Programs with particular reference to Project Gasoline. Heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings on broadcast rating services, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: On May 22 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 134, to provide that seat belts sold or shipped in interstate commerce for use in motor vehicles shall meet certain safety standards;

H.R. 5445 (amended), to amend the Interstate Commerce Act to permit freight forwarders to acquire other carriers subject to such act; and to place such transactions under the provisions of section 5 of such act; and

H.J. Res. 247 (amended), to suspend for the 1964 campaign the equal opportunity requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for nominees for the offices of President and Vice President.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on bills relating to civil rights. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5728, for the relief of the county of Cuyahoga, Ohio; also acted on several private claim bills.

On May 22 the subcommittee took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

POPULATION—IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 heard testimony from a representative of the Department of State on the population and immigration study.

On May 22 also heard Department of State representatives on this subject.

GETTYSBURG

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 ordered favorably reported to the full committee H.R. 394, to amend the Bankruptcy Act.

Held a hearing on H.J. Res. 315 and 321, to establish a Commission to participate in the 100th anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg and the 100th anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. Heard testimony from Representative Goodling; and public witnesses.

In executive session rejected proposals to establish a Gettysburg Battle Commission, but approved a bill authorizing the declaration of a Gettysburg Day.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: On May 22 Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 4816, and related bills, the Criminal Justice Act (public defenders), and heard testimony from Robert F. Kennedy, Attorney General;

Representatives Whitener, Poff, Moore, and Battin; E. J. Dimock, judge, U.S. District Court of the Southern District of New York; and public witnesses.

UPPER MANTLE PROJECT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation continued hearings to study the upper mantle project, to determine the composition of the outer layer of the earth. Heard testimony from Rear Adm. H. Arnold Karo, Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey; and other departmental witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

On May 22 heard testimony from various departmental and public witnesses, on the project.

FOURTH-CLASS MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Heard testimony from various public witnesses on H.R. 2525 and 5795, to grant Congress authority to set rates of postage for fourth-class mail.

On May 22 the committee heard testimony from Representative Gary; and public witnesses on the bills.

D.C. TEACHERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 5932, and related bills, regarding D.C. teachers' health benefits. Heard testimony from D.C. officials and public witnesses.

ROCK CREEK WATERSHED

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Watershed Development held a hearing on the Rock Creek watershed project, Maryland. Heard testimony from Representative Mathias; departmental officials; and public witness.

A statement was presented for the record by Representative Sickles.

BUCK CREEK WATERSHED PROJECT

Committee on Public Works: On May 22 Subcommittee on Watershed Development heard testimony from Senator Cooper; Representatives Siler and Watson; and departmental witnesses, on the Buck Creek watershed project, Kentucky.

EQUAL PAY

Committee on Rules: On Wednesday, May 22, granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 6060, the equal pay bill.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Thompson of New Jersey, Powell, Griffin, Kelly, Sullivan, and Goodell.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

On May 22 the subcommittee also met in executive session on the authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: On May 22 Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

TRAVEL—CUBA

Committee on Un-American Activities: Concluded a hearing on the restricted travel of U.S. citizens to Cuba and other Communist countries. Heard testimony from several public witnesses.

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provisions of nursing-type care for veterans, and heard testimony from a public witness.

On May 22 the subcommittee heard a public witness on this subject.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued in executive session on the President's tax recommendations for 1963. Made a tentative announcement relating to charitable contributions.

On May 22, met in executive session, on the President's tax recommendations, and announced tentative decisions regarding sick pay exclusion.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution (when an independent businessman's supplier is also his competitor). Heard testimony from public witnesses.

On May 22 the subcommittee also heard public witnesses on this subject.

Joint Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE PROGRAM

Joint Economic Committee: Committee met in executive session, following which it announced that it had adopted plans for a study of U.S. international balance of payments, the details of the study and schedule of hearings to be held thereon to be announced at a later date.

The committee also considered and adopted a program to prepare and release from time to time Federal budget estimates and analyses. A committee release on this matter will be issued in the near future.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY-POST OFFICE

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5366, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments and the Executive Office of the President, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, May 28.

Monday, May 27, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed mental health bill and took up debt limit increase bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 25 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1598–1622; S. Con. Res. 46–47; and S. Res. 148. **Pages 9414–9415**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 412, authorizing VA to waive or release claims following default and loss of property by the borrower veteran under certain conditions, with minority views (S. Rept. 189);

S. 331, to extend grants-in-aid to the Republic of the Philippines for hospitalization of Commonwealth Army veterans (S. Rept. 190);

S. 384, prohibiting eviction of dependents of military personnel where monthly rental does not exceed $135 (S. Rept. 191);

S. 449, authorizing up to $1,600 for purchase of automobiles for certain disabled cold war veterans, with amendment (S. Rept. 192);

S. 625, including within the definition of "VA facilities" private hospitals under contract to the VA in States without such facilities (Alaska and Hawaii), with minority views (S. Rept. 193);

S. 978, to restore medical care to fishing boat owners (S. Rept. 194);

S. 1036, to amend the inland and western rivers rules concerning anchor lights and fog signals in special anchorage areas (S. Rept. 195);

S. 583, making present provisions of law for transferring in a national emergency personnel and equipment of the Coast and Geodetic Survey to the Army and Navy equally applicable to the Air Force, with amendments (S. Rept. 196);

S. 969, to provide medical care for certain Coast and Geodetic Survey retired ships' officers and crew members and their dependents, with amendments (S. Rept. 197);

S. 522, to assist States in providing for day care services for children of migratory workers, with amendment (S. Rept. 198);

S. 526, to establish a program to assist farmers in providing more adequate sanitation facilities for migratory workers, with amendments (S. Rept. 199);

S. 523, to extend the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to certain children employed in agriculture, with minority views (S. Rept. 200);

S. 521, providing financial assistance to States to improve educational opportunities for migrant agricultural workers and their children, with amendments and with minority views (S. Rept. 201);

S. 524, to provide for the registration of contractors of migrant agricultural workers, with amendments and with minority views (S. Rept. 202); and

S. 525, to establish a 15-member National Advisory Council on Migratory Labor, with amendments and with minority views (S. Rept. 203). **Pages 9413–9414**

President's Message—Reorganization Plan No. 1: Message from President was received transmitting Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1963 providing for reorganization of certain functions relating to the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library, which was referred to Committee on Government Operations. **Pages 9409–9410**

President's Communication: Communication from President was received transmitting proposed amendments to the budget for fiscal year 1964 for Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, and the Railroad Retirement Board. This communication was referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 19. **Page 9412**

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs of Committee on the District of Columbia was authorized to meet on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 28 and 29, while Senate is in session. **Page 9453**

Sundry Measures Passed: The following seven measures were taken from calendar and passed in the manner indicated:

Public land—Texas: S. 261, authorizing the conveyance of certain lands in Harris County, Tex., to the State of Texas or the county of Harris;

Gas, coal, or oil: S. 572, providing that Government contracts for purchase of gas, coal, or oil for production of public utilities services may not exceed 10 years (with amendment);

Student trainees' expenses: S. 814, entitling to travel expenses those student trainees assigned to Federal positions for which there is a manpower shortage;

Public land—Maryland: S. 876, authorizing the GSA Administrator to convey certain land in Prince Georges

County, Md., to the American National Red Cross (with amendments);

Printing: S. Con. Res. 43, to print additional copies of parts 1 and 2 of the hearings on the "Development, Growth, and State of the Atomic Energy Industry";

Gratuity: S. Res. 146, authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee; and

Senate Youth Program: S. Res. 147, authorizing continuance for 1 year of the Senate Youth Program.

Pages 9480–9483

Mental Health: By 72 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed without amendment S. 1576, Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963.

Javits amendment to bar payment of funds under this legislation to any State practicing segregation in such facilities was tabled when Senate adopted, by 43 yeas to 27 nays, Mansfield tabling motion.

Pages 9477–9479, 9503–9530

Debt Limit Increase: Senate took up H.R. 6009, providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit.

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Nominations: Five Air Force National Guard nominations in the rank of general were received. Page 9542

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee concluded its hearings on pending cotton legislation (S. 608, 1190, 1458, and 1511), after receiving testimony from Dr. C. R. Sayre, Staple Cotton Cooperative Association, Greenwood, Miss.; and John A. Reynolds, Western Cotton Growers of California.

On Friday, May 24, committee heard testimony on this subject from William H. Ruffin, American Textile Manufacturers' Institute; Alonzo F. Bonsal, Association of Cotton Textile Merchants; Joe A. Sheely, Arizona Cotton Growers Association, Phoenix; L. E. Dohogne, National Cotton Compress & Cotton Warehouse Association; Paul J. Susie, South Atlantic Cotton Warehouse Association, Columbia, S.C.; Grenville Mellen, Mississippi Gulfport Compress & Warehouse Association, and American Cotton Compress & Warehouse Association; and Rudolph Miller, Imperial County Growers' Association, California.

PREPAREDNESS

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing from its staff in connection with the vertical and short takeoff and landing plane (V/STOL).

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow to receive a briefing on arms control and disarmament matters.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, May 24, Subcommittee on International Finance, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendment H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington.

COLOMBIA

Committee on Foreign Relations and *Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly of Committee on the Judiciary* met jointly in executive session to discuss certain problems on drugs in Colombia, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: On Friday, May 24, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, having as its witness Seth Kantor, Scripps-Howard Newspaper Alliance.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, May 24, Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 851, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande; S. 793, to promote the conservation of migratory waterfowl within the Pacific flyway; S. 614, authorizing use of water from San Juan-Chama unit of the Colorado River storage project for recreational purposes at Chochiti Reservoir (amended); S. 638, authorizing modification of the repayment contract with the Grand Valley Water Users' Association (amended); and H.R. 131, providing for the renewal of certain long-term water supply contracts under the Reclamation Project Act.

MINERALS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 1326, directing the sale of reserved mineral rights to surface owners of a 53-acre tract of land in South Carolina (amended); H.R. 3120, to simplify the administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act; and S. 1154, providing for the sale of the mineral rights of a 66-acre tract of land in Minnesota to the surface owners (amended).

Prior to this action, in open session, subcommittee received testimony from Senator Thurmond on his bill S. 1326; from Jerry O'Callahan, Assistant Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior, who testified with regard to S. 1154 and S. 1326;

and George Fumich, Jr., Office of Minerals Exploration, Department of the Interior, who discussed H.R. 3120.

PUBLIC DEFENDERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 63 and S. 1057, authorizing U.S. district courts to appoint public defenders to represent indigent defendants in criminal proceedings, having as its witness Judge William P. Smith, U.S. Court of Appeals, third circuit.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education resumed its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, with testimony from Senators Moss and Cannon; Dr. Edgar Fuller, executive secretary, Dr. A. W. Ford, president and commissioner of education, Arkansas, and Dr. James E. Allan, Jr., commissioner of education, New York, all of the Council of Chief State School Officers; Dr. Joseph V. Totaro, director, Teacher Placement Bureau, University of Wisconsin; Dr. Jerrold R. Zacharias, professor of physics, MIT; Dr. Earl R. Boggs, dean, school of education, West Virginia University; James H. Straubel, Aerospace Education Foundation, Air Force Association; and Roger A. Freeman, Hoover Institute on War, Revolution, and Peace, Stanford University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 6595–6623; 8 private bills, H.R. 6624–6631; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 452–454, and H. Res. 370 and 371, were introduced. **Pages 9596–9598**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6500, to authorize certain construction at military installations (H. Rept. 345);

H.R. 5907, to amend U.S. Code to authorize payment of witness' fees in habeas corpus cases and in proceedings to vacate sentence under section 2255 of title 28 for persons who are authorized to proceed in forma pauperis, amended (H. Rept. 346);

H.R. 2876, to repeal the Inland Waterways Corporation Act (H. Rept. 347); and

Three private bills, H.R. 2207, 2789, and 6101 (H. Repts. 348–450). **Page 9596**

Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1963: Received and read a message from the President transmitting Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1963 regarding reorganization of certain functions relating to the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library. The message and plan were referred to the Committee on Government Operations and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 117). **Page 9578**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: On May 24 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6196 (amended), the cotton bill.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: On May 24 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6500 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 4825), the military construction authorization bill.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 405, regarding equal employment opportunities, specifically in the District of Columbia.

On Friday, May 24, also heard public witnesses on this subject.

DATA PROCESSING CENTER

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on National Research Data Processing and Information Retrieval Center heard testimony from various departmental officials regarding the Center.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing regarding the National Service Corps, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

On May 24 heard R. Sargent Shriver, Jr., Director of the Peace Corps; and William Anderson, consultant to the President, on the National Service Corps.

MIGRANT WORKERS

Committee on Education and Labor: On May 24 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6242 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 6158), to provide for the registration of contractors of migrant agricultural workers. Also considered and approved impacted areas legislation.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: On May 24 General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on the vocational education aspects (title V–A) of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963, and heard testimony from William R. Tyler, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs; Leona Baumgartner, Assistant Administrator for Human Resources and Social Development, Agency for International Development; and public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT INFORMATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information met in executive session on Government information plans and policies. Heard testimony from Arthur Sylvester, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs.

On May 24 also met in executive session on this subject.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power heard testimony from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior, accompanied by other Interior Department witnesses, regarding the Nation's water pollution control problems.

On May 24 heard witnesses from the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare on this subject.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks held a hearing on H.R. 3846, and related bills, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreation demands and needs of the American people. Heard testimony from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; and Representative Whitener.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On May 24 Subcommittee on Indian Affairs heard a discussion regarding Bureau of Indian Affairs Sacramento, Calif., area office activities. Heard testimony from Representative Johnson of California; Bureau of Indian Affairs officials; and public witnesses.

AIRPORT ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 2650, 4919, and 4920, bills to extend the Federal Airport Act. Heard testimony from Najeeb E. Halaby, Chairman, Federal Aviation Agency. Hearings continue Tuesday, May 28.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: On May 24 Subcommittee No. 5 heard testimony from public witnesses on bills relating to civil rights.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held a hearing on various pending measures to amend title 23, U.S. Code, relating to highways. Heard testimony from Rex M. Whitton, Federal Highway Administrator, Bureau of Public Roads; and a public witness.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Recessed until Tuesday, May 28.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

On Friday, May 24, the subcommittee also met in executive session on this subject.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Made a tentative announcement regarding personal holding companies.

On Friday, May 24, met in executive session, on the President's tax recommendations, and announced tentative decisions relating to casualty loss deductions; and group term insurance. A detailed press release is available on this subject, in the committee room (number above).

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: On Friday, May 24, Subcommittee on Legislation met in executive session to mark up pending AEC authorization legislation, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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HIGHLIGHTS

Senate cleared debt limit increase for President and passed Interior Department appropriations.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9655–9684

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1623–1641; S.J. Res. 84–85; and S. Res. 149. **Pages 9661–9662**

Resolution Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 149, authorizing the Attorney General and other former staff members of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations to appear and testify before the U.S. District Court for the District of New Jersey in a certain criminal action (no written report). **Page 9662**

Debt Limit Increase: By 60 yeas to 24 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 6009, providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit. This action was taken after Senate rejected, by 38 yeas to 46 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), committee amendment to provide that debt limit of $309 billion is to apply for the entire fiscal year 1964 rather than the first 2 months only of that year. **Pages 9683–9684, 9715–9733, 9736–9740**

Authority To Testify: S. Res. 149, authorizing the Attorney General and other former staff members of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations to appear and testify before the U.S. District Court for the District of New Jersey in a certain criminal action, was adopted. **Page 9749**

Interior Appropriations: By 70 yeas to 4 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 5279, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, after taking the following actions on a motion and amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments, which were thereafter considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; Hayden amendment of a technical corrective nature; Holland amendment to add $500,000 for purchase of lands for Everglades National Park; Boggs amendment to increase by $100,000 funds for Bureau of Commercial Fisheries (disease-resistant oysters); and Anderson motion to suspend rules and adopt amendment to provide funds for school districts in North Dakota and New Mexico (this action taken after Williams of Delaware point of order was sustained against the language providing funds for these school districts and for funds to reimburse Winslow, Ariz.); and

Rejected: By 22 yeas to 56 nays, Dirksen motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report it back at the earliest practicable date amended so that the total appropriations therein will not exceed the total amount of appropriations for such department, and related agencies, for 1963 fiscal year; by 22 yeas to 58 nays, Lausche amendment to reduce by $50,000 funds for management and investigations of resources, and by $260,000 funds for construction, both concerning Bureau of Fisheries and Wildlife (National Fisheries Center and Aquarium); and Mundt motion to suspend rules to propose amendment to make available $477,645 for assistance to South Dakota for enforcement of State civil or criminal laws within the Indian country in such State (after Church point of order was sustained against this language in the bill).

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hayden, Russell, McClellan, Bible, Byrd (West Virginia); Mundt, and Young (North Dakota). **Pages 9740–9749, 9751–9761**

Equal Pay for Women: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 1409, to prohibit discrimination based on sex in wages paid for employment in interstate commerce. This action cleared the bill for the White House. **Pages 9761–9762**

Sundry Bills Passed: Senate took from calendar and passed in the manner indicated six sundry bills as follows:

Armed Forces: S. 384, prohibiting eviction of dependents of military personnel where monthly rental does not exceed $135;

Veterans: S. 449, authorizing up to $1,600 for purchase of automobiles for certain disabled cold war veterans (with amendment);

Merchant marine: S. 978, to restore medical care to fishing boat owners;

Merchant marine: S. 1036, to amend the inland and western rivers rules concerning anchor lights and fog signals in special anchorage areas;

Coast and Geodetic Survey: S. 583, making present provisions of law for transferring in a national emergency personnel and equipment of the Coast and Geodetic Survey to the Army and Navy equally applicable to the Air Force (with amendments); and

Coast and Geodetic Survey: S. 969, to provide medical care for certain Coast and Geodetic Survey retired ships' officers and crew members and their dependents (with amendments). Pages 9773–9779

Migratory Workers: Senate made its unfinished business S. 522, to assist States in providing for day care services for children of migratory workers. Page 9784

Confirmations: One Coast Guard nomination was confirmed. Page 9784

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DISARMAMENT

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing on arms control and disarmament matters from Maj. Gen. R. H. Booth, Chief, Defense Atomic Support Agency.

ARMS CONTROL, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 777, to increase authorizations for the administration of the Arms Control and Disarmament Act. One amendment would authorize $15 million for use in fiscal years 1964 and 1965 instead of open-end authorization as requested in the bill.

Committee also approved the nominations of William J. Crockett, of Nebraska, to be Deputy Under Secretary of State for Administration, and Robert C. Strong, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Iraq.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of J. Lindsay Almond, Jr., of Virginia, to be associate judge of the Court of Customs and Patent Appeals, with favoring testimony from Chief Justice John W. Eggleston and Justices Lawrence I'Anson and Harry L. Carrico, all of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia; Chief Justice Eugene Worley, Court of Customs and Patent Appeals; Virginia State Senator Charles R. Fenwick; Lewis E. Powell, Jr., president-elect, American Bar Association; and several other attorneys. Testimony in opposition to this nomination was received from S. R. Hensley, of Portsmouth, Va.

The nominee was introduced to the subcommittee by Representative Gary.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, with testimony from Representative Brademas; Andrew J. Biemiller, legislative director, AFL–CIO: Miss Selma Borchardt, Greater Washington Central Labor Committee; Don B. Goodloe, American Federation of Teachers; Frank Karelson, ADA; Dr. R. Jean Brownley, American Association of University Women; Dr. C. Emanuel Carlson, Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs; James E. Miller, National Council of Teachers of English; and Maurice B. Mitchell, American Book Publishers Council and the American Textbook Publishers Institute.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor held hearings on S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, having as its witnesses Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz and Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ROCK CREEK WATERSHED

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors held hearings on the Upper Rock Creek Watershed Work Plan at Rockville, Md., receiving testimony from Charles Swigart, Soil Conservation Service, Department of Agriculture; Raymond L. Freeman, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Lathrop Smith, who represented the Montgomery County Soil Conservation District, and the Rock Creek Watershed Association; Douglas H. Moore, Jr., deputy county attorney, Montgomery County; John P. Hewitt, Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission; and Kenward K. Harris, who represented the Citizens Council for a Clean Potomac, and the Washington Canoe Club.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 6632–6662; 5 private bills, H.R. 6663–6667; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 455 and 456; and H. Res. 372 and 373, were introduced. Pages 9653–9654

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 368, authorizing the Speaker to appoint delegates and alternates to attend the International Labor Organization Conference in Geneva (H. Rept. 351);

H. Res. 373, open rule providing for the consideration of, and 2 hours of debate on, H.R. 3496, to further amend the Reorganization Act of 1949, as amended, so that such act will apply to reorganization plans transmitted to Congress any time before June 1, 1965 (H. Rept. 352); and

Conference report on H.R. 5366, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1964 (H. Rept. 353). **Page 9653**

Bills Referred: Six Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 9653**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TOBACCO

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House:

H.R. 5930 (amended), to extend for 2 additional years the provisions permitting the lease and transfer of tobacco acreage allotments; and

H.J. Res. 403, to extend the time by which a lease transferring tobacco acreage allotment may be filed.

Rereferred to the Wheat Subcommittee S. 762, to provide for increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California.

Action was delayed, for further consideration, on H.R. 3850, to establish an additional office of Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

CIVIL DEFENSE FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 began hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Heard testimony from Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense). Hearings continue Wednesday, May 29.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2989 (amended), to extend the Missing Persons Act to include persons detained in foreign countries against their will; H.R. 4338, to authorize travel allowances for travel performed by members of the Armed Forces under orders that are later canceled or modified; and H.R. 4739, to allow the Secretary of Defense to authorize the advance movement of the dependents and household effects of a member of the uniformed services who has been directed to a permanent change of station from outside the 50 States. Testimony was given by Department of Defense witnesses.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings regarding the National Service Corps. Heard testimony from Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; and public witnesses.

DATA PROCESSING CENTER

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on National Research Data Processing and Information Retrieval Center heard testimony from Ezra Glaser, Assistant Commissioner, U.S. Patent Office; Dr. Samuel Alexander, Chief, Data Processing, National Bureau of Standards; and Walter Carlson, Director of Technical Information, Office of Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 405, regarding equal employment opportunities, specifically in the District of Columbia.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power heard testimony from Department of the Interior witnesses regarding the Nation's water pollution control problems.

GOVERNMENT INFORMATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information met in executive session on Government information plans and policies. Heard testimony from Arthur Sylvester, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs.

DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities heard testimony on H.R. 5171, regarding the use of electronic data processing equipment by Federal agencies, from Joseph Campbell, Comptroller General; and Bernard L. Boutin, Administrator, General Services Administration, both accompanied by other departmental officials.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks continued hearings on H.R. 3846, 3864, 3871, 3882, 3883, 4035, 4047, 4248, 4267, 4402, and 4440, bills to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreation demands and needs of the American people. Testimony was given by Representative Sikes; and public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

AIRPORT ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on H.R. 2650, and related bills, to extend the Federal Airport Act. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, May 29.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on bills relating to civil rights. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

FOURTH-CLASS MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on H.R. 5795, regarding postage rates on parcel post. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings to amend title 23, U.S. Code, relating to the apportionment of funds for extensions of the Federal-aid primary and Federal-aid secondary systems within the urban areas; to provide for the submission of certain cost estimates for the completion of the national system of interstate and defense highways; and to prohibit participation of Federal-aid funds in certain State or local taxes. Heard testimony from a public witness.

INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 368, to authorize the Speaker to appoint delegates and alternates to attend the International Labor Organization Conference in Geneva. Heard testimony from Representative Roosevelt.

REORGANIZATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 3496, to further amend the Reorganization Act of 1949.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Dawson, Reuss, Riehlman, Meader, and Anderson.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences met in executive session on NASA authorization. No announcements were made.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. No announcements were made.

VETERANS' OBJECTIVES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Resumed consideration of Veterans' Administration legislative policies for 1963. Heard testimony from John S. Gleason, Administrator, Veterans' Administration.

TAXES—CAPITAL GAINS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Made a tentative announcement regarding capital gains.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 resumed hearings on dual distribution (when an independent businessman's supplier is also his competitor), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

D.C. REVENUE

Subcommittees of the Senate and House Committees on the District of Columbia: The Senate Fiscal Affairs Subcommittee and House Subcommittee No. 6 held joint hearings on various pending bills which would authorize funds for the operation of the District of Columbia government, receiving testimony from Elmer Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; Walter N. Tobriner, President, D.C. Board of Commissioners, who was accompanied by Brig. Gen. F. J. Clarke, D.C. Engineer Commissioner, Schuyler Lowe, D.C. Department of General Administration, D. P. Herman, D.C. Budget Officer, and Kenneth Back, D.C. Finance Officer; James A. Blaser, Director, D.C. Department of Buildings and Grounds; and Irving Bryan, D.C. Corporation Counsel.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY-POST OFFICE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5366, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, Executive Office of the President, and other independent agencies.

Wednesday, May 29, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Bill extending the Mexican farm labor program failed to pass the House.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Friday, May 31, at noon.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Brockway McMillan, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force; H.R. 2439, authorizing the lending of certain military equipment to the Boy Scouts in connection with their 1964 Jamboree; and 10,252 nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses William A. Bresnaham, American Trucking Associations, Inc.; J. David Brothers, New Dixie Lines, Richmond, Va.; and A. Austin Sutherland, National Tank Truck Carriers, Inc.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 10.

SUGAR PRICE INCREASES

Committee on Finance: Committee met to hear Under Secretary of Agriculture Charles S. Murphy testify and answer questions with regard to recent increases in the price of sugar. Mr. Murphy will continue testifying on Thursday, June 6.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, receiving testimony from Graham Sullivan, California State Department of Education, who was accompanied by Dr. George McMullen, special assistant to the superintendent of schools of Los Angeles; Dr. Miriam A. Shelden, Inter-Association Joint Commission on Professional Development; Rt. Rev. Msgr. F. G. Hochwalt, director, department of education, and the Very Reverend Monsignor John B. McDowell, superintendent of schools for the Diocese of Pittsburgh, both of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, who were accompanied by Bernard Powers, a teacher in the parochial school system; Lawrence X. Cusack, attorney for the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of New York; Duane Wilder, chairman, and David Gerard, executive director, both of the Governor's Committee of 100 for Better Education, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; William D. Valente, chairman of Pennsylvania Federation, and Dr. Edwin H. Palmer, Westminster Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, both of Citizens for Educational Freedom; and Dr. Francis J. Brown, National Association for Personal Rights in Education.

Hearings continue in the week beginning June 10.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor continued its hearings on S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, receiving testimony from Senator Bartlett; Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy; Carl Whitman, Jr., Tribal Business Council, Fort Berthold Reservation, New Town, N. Dak.; and Clifton Clemens, city councilman, Wasco, Calif.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 4.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 6668–6697; 11 private bills, H.R. 6698–6708; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 457 and 458, and H. Res. 374–381, were introduced. **Pages 9799, 9854–9856**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: Report of the Committee on Banking and Currency entitled "The Mysterious Disappearance of $7.5 Million of U.S. Securities From Vault of the Federal Reserve Bank at San Francisco, Calif." (H. Rept. 354). **Page 9854**

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 374, electing Representative Ichord to membership on the Committee on Un-American Activities. **Page 9799**

ILO Conference Delegates: By a record vote of 278 yeas to 52 nays the House adopted H. Res. 368, to authorize the Speaker to appoint delegates and alternates to attend the International Labor Organization Conference at Geneva. Pages 9799–9803

Mexican Farm Labor Program: By a record vote of 158 yeas to 174 nays the House refused to pass H.R. 5497, to amend title V of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended, to extend the Mexican farm labor program for 2 years.

H. Res. 350, the open rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 9803–9834

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of June 5. Page 9835

Bills Referred: Six Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 9854

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Poultry held a hearing regarding conditions and problems of the poultry industry. Heard testimony from Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FALLOUT SHELTER

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Testimony was given by Representatives Long of Maryland, Holifield, Matthews, and Dingell.

SECURITIES LOSS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and approved, for printing, a report on the mysterious disappearance of $7.5 million of U.S. securities from the vault of the Federal Reserve bank at San Francisco.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on vocational education aspects (title V–A) of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings regarding the National Service Corps. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 405, relating to equal employment opportunity, specifically in the District of Columbia. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for a briefing by Outerbridge Horsey, U.S. Ambassador to Czechoslovakia.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power heard testimony from public witnesses regarding the Nation's water pollution control problems.

NORTHWEST POWER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 994, and related bills, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority. Testimony was given by Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; and other Department of the Interior officials.

AIRPORT ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on H.R. 2650, and related bills, to extend the Federal Airport Act. Heard testimony from Representative Gill; Clarence D. Martin, Jr., Under Secretary for Transportation, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

JUDICIAL COMMITMENT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5543, to authorize judicial commitment to St. Elizabeths Hospital in the District of Columbia, for observation and diagnosis, any person found on Federal reservation in Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun, Montgomery, or Prince Georges Counties, or the city of Alexandria, who is alleged and believed to be of unsound mind.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5540, to remove the percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted men of the Coast Guard; H.R. 5781, to provide that professional nurses shall be registered as staff officers in the U.S. merchant marine; and H.R. 6012, to authorize the President to proclaim regulations for preventing collisions at sea.

Considered H.R. 1211, to admit certain vessels to American registry, but no final action was taken.

Prior to the executive session held a hearing with testimony from Representative Kilburn (H.R. 1211); and departmental and public witnesses (H.R. 1211 and 5781).

NAVIGATION—BEACH EROSION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors met in executive session and approved sundry navigation and beach erosion resolutions.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings to amend title 23, U.S. Code, relating to the apportionment of funds for extensions of the Federal-aid primary and Federal-aid secondary systems within the urban areas; to provide for the submission of certain cost estimates for the completion of the national system of interstate and defense highways; to prohibit participation of Federal-aid funds in certain State or local taxes; and relating to construction standards. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization bill.

TAXES—STOCK OPTIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Made a tentative announcement regarding stock options.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation continued, in executive session, to consider pending legislation authorizing funds for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1964.

D.C. REVENUE

Subcommittees of the Senate and House Committees on the District of Columbia: The Senate Fiscal Affairs Subcommittee and House Subcommittee No. 6 continued joint hearings on various pending bills which would authorize funds for the operation of the District of Columbia government, receiving testimony from Dr. Carl F. Hansen, Superintendent, D.C. Schools, and Wesley S. Williams, President, D.C. Board of Education, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 4.

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Friday, May 31, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Senate met at noon and, pursuant to order previously entered, immediately adjourned (without transaction of any business) until noon Tuesday, June 4, when its unfinished business will be S. 522, to assist States in providing for day care services for children of migratory workers.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Three public bills, H.R. 6709–6711; one private bill, H.R. 6712; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 459, and H. Res. 382 and 383, were introduced.

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ILO Conference Delegates: The Speaker announced that pursuant to H. Res. 368 he had appointed as delegates to attend the International Labor Organization Conference at Geneva, Representatives Powell and

Ayres; and Representatives Roosevelt and Frelinghuysen as alternates. **Page 9896**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NORTHWEST POWER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation continued hearings on H.R. 994, and related bills, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority. Testimony was given by a departmental official and public witnesses.

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Monday, June 3, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House adjourned out of respect for Representative Walter.

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Tuesday, June 4, at noon.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROTECTION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee held hearings on S. 566, to increase the maximum limitation on watershed project structures for flood control. Witnesses heard were Hollis R. Williams, Deputy Administrator for Watersheds, Charles Swigart, Watershed Planning Division, and Harold Ogrosky, Soil Conservation Service, all of the Department of Agriculture; Eugene W. Weber, Deputy Director, Civil Works, Corps of Army Engineers; and James M. Roberts, Alcovy River watershed project, Monroe, Ga.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: The Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 927, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to remove certain limitations concerning war risk insurance; and S. 1172, relating to computation of refunds of construction-differential subsidies of vessels (amended).

RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement concluded its hearings on S. 176, providing for retirement on full annuity at age 55 after 30 years of Federal service, after receiving testimony from John Griner, American Federation of Government Employees, AFL–CIO; John O'Connor, United Federation of Postal Clerks, AFL–CIO; Vaux Owen, National Federation of Federal Employees; Roy North, National Association of Postmasters; David Silvergleid, National Postal Union; John J. Murphy, National Customs Service Association; Dan Jaspan, National Association of Postal Supervisors; Glenn R. Simcox, National Association of Retired Employees; George L. Warfel, National Association of Special Delivery Messengers; and John A. McCart, Government Employees' Council of the AFL–CIO. Several written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record, which will remain open for the inclusion of other such material until Monday, June 10.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held hearings on S. 626, 959, and 1416, bills to amend in several regards the Federal-Aid Highway Acts, with testimony from Senator Bartlett; Rex M. Whitton, Federal Highway Administrator, Bureau of Public Roads; Robert E. Sharp, deputy commissioner of public works, Alaska; John C. Mackie and A. E. Johnson, both of the American Association of State Highway Officials; and Maj. Gen. Louis W. Prentiss, American Road Builders' Association. Written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record by Senator Gruening and Metcalf, and Gov. William A. Egan, of Alaska.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, June 11, to consider S. 1147, relating to forest roads.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 36 public bills, H.R. 6713-6747, and 6754, 6 private bills, H.R. 6748-6753; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 384, were introduced. Pages 9936-9937

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 6754, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 355). Page 9936

Condolence Resolution: Adopted H. Res. 384, providing for expressions of condolences and sympathy on the death of Representative Francis E. Walter, of the 15th Congressional District of Pennsylvania. After numerous Members had spoken on his life, character, and public service, the Speaker appointed the following Members to serve on the funeral committee: Speaker McCormack, and Representatives Albert, Halleck, Celler, Feighan, Gavin, Corbett, Fulton, Morgan, Dague, McCulloch, Barrett, Green of Pennsylvania, Kelly, Rhodes of Pennsylvania, Willis, Saylor, Byrne of Pennsylvania, Poff, Flood, Clark, Johansen, Holland, Curtin, Dent, Nix, Milliken, Moorhead of Pennsylvania, Toll, Schneebeli, Whalley, Goodling, Schweiker, Kunkel, McDade, and Weaver. Page 9935

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FAMILY FARMS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Family Farms held a hearing on problems regarding family farms, and heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, June 4.

AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and approved the bill making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for fiscal year 1964.

FALLOUT SHELTER

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Heard testimony from Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Civil Defense; and public witnesses.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session regarding the Davis-Bacon Act.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Testimony was given by public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, June 4.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

NORTHWEST POWER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation continued hearings on H.R. 994, and related bills, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on hydroelectric energy generated at Federal plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization held a hearing on civilian manpower in the Federal Government. Heard testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower; and Thomas D. Morris, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 resumed hearings on dual distribution (when an independent businessman's supplier is also his competitor), and heard testimony from Representative McDonald of Massachusetts; and a public witness. Hearings continue Tuesday, June 4.

Joint Committee Meetings

FALLOUT

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation began a 3-day series of hearings to up-date its hearings held last year on radioactive fallout from nuclear weapons testing. Testimony was received from Dr. Paul Tompkins, Executive Director, Federal Radiation Council; Dr. Lester Machta, Director, Meteorological Research Project Branch, U.S. Weather Bureau; and Dr. James G. Terrill, Jr., U.S. Public Health Service, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through May 31, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	72	64	..
Time in session	380 hrs., 37′	205 hrs., 16′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	5,918	3,434	9,352
Appendix	..	..	3,524
Public bills enacted into law	9	26	35
Private bills enacted into law	1	3	4
Bills in conference	..	2	..
Bills through conference	1	2	..
Measures passed, total	209	301	..
Senate bills	70	12	..
House bills	31	166	..
Senate joint resolutions	3	1	..
House joint resolutions	3	6	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	15	10	..
House concurrent resolutions	6	7	..
Simple resolutions	81	99	180
Measures reported, total	*255	*328	..
Senate bills	84	3	..
House bills	30	233	..
Senate joint resolutions	3	1	..
House joint resolutions	3	7	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	17	9	..
House concurrent resolutions	5	6	..
Simple resolutions	114	69	183
Special reports	18	21	..
Conference reports	..	5	..
Reported measures not acted on	11	65	..
Measures introduced, total	1,921	7,724	9,645
Bills	1,640	6,712	8,352
Joint resolutions	85	459	544
Concurrent resolutions	47	170	217
Simple resolutions	149	383	532
Quorum calls	30	28	..
Yea-and-nay votes	73	31	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 203 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 354 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through May 31, 1963

Postmaster nominations, totaling 868, **disposed of as** follows:	
Confirmed	462
Withdrawn	4
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	402
Army **nominations, totaling 7,134, disposed of as** follows:	
Confirmed	4,252
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	2,882
Air Force nominations, totaling 15,832, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	8,932
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	6,900
Navy nominations, totaling 15,369, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	15,027
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	342
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,464, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,343
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	121
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 1,673, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,654
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	16

Summary

Total nominations received	44,340
Total withdrawn	7
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	10,663
Total confirmed	33,670

Tuesday, June 4, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared Treasury-Post Office appropriations bill for President.
Restricted Reorganization Act extension passed by House.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9941–10036

Bills Introduced: 26 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1642–1667; S.J. Res. 86; and S. Res. 150–153. **Pages 9946–9947**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1194, to remove percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted personnel of the Coast Guard (S. Rept. 204);

H.R. 79, to require authorization for certain appropriations for the Coast Guard, with amendments (S. Rept. 205);

H.R. 2439, authorizing the lending of certain military equipment to the Boy Scouts in connection with their 1964 Jamboree (S. Rept. 206);

S. Res. 150, to print as a Senate document the decision of the U.S. Supreme Court in the case of *Arizona* v. *California*, et al. (no written report); and

S. Res. 152, to print as a Senate document a study entitled "Problems and Trends in Atlantic Partnership—II" (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Pages 9945–9946**

Printing: S. Res. 150, to print as a Senate document the decision of the U.S. Supreme Court in the case of *Arizona* v. *California*, et al., was adopted. **Page 9946**

Pope John: Senate adopted S. Res. 151, expressing condolences on the death of Pope John XXIII. **Pages 9973–9974**

Veterans: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 249, to extend grants-in-aid to the Republic of the Philippines for hospitalization of Commonwealth Army veterans, and the bill was passed without amendment. This action cleared the bill for President's signature.

S. 331, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. **Pages 10046–10047**

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: Conference report on H.R. 5366, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of the Treasury and Post Office, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, was adopted, clearing bill for President's signature. **Pages 10043–10046**

Migratory Workers: Senate laid down its unfinished business S. 522, to assist States in providing for day care services for children of migratory workers, but no action was taken on the bill. **Page 10047**

Condolence Resolution: S. Res. 153, expressing condolences on the death of Representative Walter, was adopted. **Page 10047**

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of William J. Crockett, of Nebraska, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of State, and of Robert C. Strong, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Iraq. **Page 10049**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Five Navy in the rank of admiral; one judicial; numerous Coast Guard and Public Health Service officers; and the withdrawal of two postmasters. **Pages 10048–10049**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, receiving testimony from Senators Hart and Gruening, who discussed funds for certain Public Health Service items; and several public witnesses on various items in the bill.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation and power marketing agencies, receiving testimony from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary; Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary (Water and Power); Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation; and Charles F. Luce, Administrator, Bonneville Power Administration, all of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Southeastern and Southwestern Power Administrations.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Lee Loevinger, to be a member of the Federal Communications Commission; S. 1064, to substitute "candela" for "candle" as the unit of measurements of luminous intensity; S. 1291, authorizing Secretary of Commerce to employ aliens in a scientific or technical capacity (amended); and S. 627, to promote State commercial fisheries research and development activities (amended).

Prior to this action, in open session, committee held hearings on the nomination of Mr. Loevinger where testimony was received from Senator Kefauver, and the nominee.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, reconsidered its action of Tuesday, May 28, when it approved S. 777, to increase authorizations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency. Committee further amended this bill by agreeing to make such authorizations $20 million for fiscal years 1964 and 1965, instead of the previously approved amount of $15 million. The committee then ordered the bill to be reported.

Committee also approved for reporting S. Res. 152, to print as a Senate document a study entitled "Problems and Trends in Atlantic Partnership—II."

Committee also discussed future procedure with regard to its current study of activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals but made no announcements.

CHEMICAL POISON CONTROL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations resumed its hearings on Federal programs and policies concerned with the control of chemical poisons, having as its witness Rachel Carson, a biologist, and author of "The Silent Spring" and "The Sea Around Us."

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure held hearings on S. 318 and S. 1466, to provide that members of the bar of the highest court of a State or Federal court shall be automatically eligible to practice before administrative agencies, with testimony from John D. Randall, former president, and chairman of the ABA Section on General Practice, Donald C. Beelar, chairman, ABA Committee on Administrative Practice Act, E. Smythe Gambrell, former president, and James R. Stoner, chairman, of the Junior Bar Conference, all of the American Bar Association; and Donald J. Farage, an attorney of Philadelphia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments held hearings on various proposals to change the electoral college system, having as its witnesses Dr. James M. Burns, professor of political science, Williams College, Massachusetts; Dr. Paul T. David, professor of political science, University of Virginia; Dr. Robert G. Dixon, Jr., professor of constitutional law, George Washington University Law School; Neal R. Peirce, senior writer, political desk, Congressional Quarterly; and John P. Rogge, an attorney of Houston, Tex.

Committee announced that it will meet on Wednesday, June 12, to vote on measures proposing amendments to the Constitution in connection with the electoral college system (S.J. Res. 1, 8, 12, 13, 24, 27, and 73).

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, having as its witnesses John F. Henning, Under Secretary, Robert C. Goodwin, Administrator, Bureau of Employment Security, and Louis Levine, Director, U.S. Employment Service, Bureau of Employment Security, all of the Department of Labor.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Migratory Labor Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, having as its witness Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 47 public bills, H.R. 6755–6801; 10 private bills, H.R. 6802–6811; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 460, H. Con. Res. 171 and 172, and H. Res. 385–387, were introduced. Pages 10049, 10174–10176

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 376, to provide investigative travel authority for House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce (H. Rept. 356);

H. Res. 386, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 6500, to authorize certain construction at military installations (H. Rept. 357);

H.R. 6242, to provide for the registration of contractors of migrant agricultural workers (H. Rept. 358);

H.J. Res. 247, to suspend the equal-time provisions of the Communications Act for the 1964 presidential campaign, amended (H. Rept. 359);

H.R. 5930, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 to extend for 2 additional years the provisions permitting the lease and transfer of tobacco acreage allotments, amended (H. Rept. 360); and

H.J. Res. 403, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 to extend the time by which a lease transferring a tobacco allotment may be filed (H. Rept. 361). **Page 10174**

Death of Pope: Adopted H. Res. 385, expressing the profound sorrow of the House of Representatives on the death of Pope John XXIII. **Page 10049**

Foreign Service Buildings: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 5207, to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act of 1926, to authorize additional appropriations; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Hays, Zablocki, Kelly, Adair, and Mailliard. **Page 10050**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Bogus check relief: H.R. 4839, for the relief of certain persons involved in the negotiation of forged or fraudulent Government checks issued at Parks Air Force Base, Calif.;

Public lands—California: H.R. 5222, to provide for the withdrawal and reservation for the Navy Department of certain public lands of the U.S. at Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range, Imperial County, Calif., for defense purposes;

Binghamton relief: H.R. 5495, for the relief of the city of Binghamton, N.Y.; and

Interstate commerce taxation: H.R. 6441, to extend time for reporting by congressional committees on study of taxation of interstate commerce by the States.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Public lands—Nevada: H.R. 2461, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey to the city of Henderson, Nev., at fair market value, certain public lands in the State of Nevada; and

Witness' fees: H.R. 5907, to amend section 1825 of title 28, U.S. Code, to authorize the payment of witness' fees in habeas corpus cases and in proceedings to vacate sentence under section 2255 of title 28, for persons who are authorized to proceed in forma pauperis.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 228, 3517, 4062, 4837, and 5905.

Stricken from Calendar: H.R. 4893. **Pages 10051–10053**

Committees To Sit: The Committee on Public Works was authorized to sit today and the balance of the week during general debate of the House sessions. Similar permission was granted to Subcommittee No. 4 of the Select Committee on Small Business. Subcommittee No. 3 of the Committee on Armed Services was authorized to sit today. **Pages 10050, 10053–10054**

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1191, 1192, 1281, 1475, 1726, 2207, 2244, 2262, 2309, 2944, 3219, 4144, 4501, 5144, 5305, 5834, and 6101.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 1232, 1276, 1458, 2239, 2251, 2287, 2289, 2444, 2765, and 2789.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2300, 2706, and 2728. **Pages 10054–10058**

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: By a voice vote the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 5366, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies for fiscal year 1964, and sent the legislation to the Senate. **Pages 10058–10060**

Tax Rate Extension: The Committee on Ways and Means was granted permission to file a report by midnight Friday, June 7, on H.R. 6755, to provide a 1-year extension of the existing corporate normal-tax rate and certain excise-tax rates. **Page 10060**

Reorganization Act Extension: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 3496, to further amend the Reorganization Act of 1959, as amended, so that such act will apply to reorganization plans transmitted to the Congress at any time before June 1, 1965. Prior to its passage the bill was amended to prohibit its use in creating any new executive department, or abolishing or transferring an executive department or all the functions thereof, or consolidating any two or more executive departments or all the functions thereof. The amendment was adopted by a record vote of 226 yeas to 175 nays.

H. Res. 373, the rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 10061–10077**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FAMILY FARMS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Family Farms continued hearings on problems regarding family farms, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, June 5.

FALLOUT SHELTER

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Heard testimony from Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Army Chief of Staff; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, June 5.

ACTIVE-DUTY PROMOTION OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on H.R. 6681, to improve the active-duty promotion opportunity of Air Force officers from the grade of major to the grade of lieutenant colonel; and H.R. 3179, to appoint three civilian judges to the U.S. Court of Military Appeals. Heard testimony from Maj. Gen. H. G. Thorne, Director of Personnel Planning (H.R. 6681); Brig. Gen. Robert W. Manss, Assistant Judge Advocate General of the Air Force (H.R. 3179); and other Air Force witnesses (both measures).

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session on H.R. 4955, regarding vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, June 5.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

HAITI

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing on Haiti by Raymond L. Thurston, U.S. Ambassador to Haiti.

INDONESIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing with Wilson Wyatt, special representative of the President on oil negotiations with Indonesia.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems. Testimony was given by public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, June 5.

NORTHWEST POWER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation concluded hearings on H.R. 994, and related bills, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on hydroelectric energy generated at Federal plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Resumed hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, livestock, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. Testimony was given by Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission. Hearings continue Wednesday, June 5.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 73 (amended), to provide for a merger of certain Coast Guard appropriations for operating expenses, Reserve training, and retired pay;

S. 969 (in lieu of H.R. 74), to provide medical care for Coast and Geodetic Survey retired ships' officers and crew members and their dependents at Public Health Service facilities;

S. 1036 (in lieu of H.R. 4300), to amend inland and western rivers rules for anchor lights and fog signals with respect to certain classes of vessels when anchored in special anchorage areas;

H.R. 5781, to provide that professional nurses shall be registered as staff officers in the U.S. merchant marine;

H.R. 75, to provide for exceptions to the rules of navigation in certain cases;

H.R. 6012 (amended), to authorize the President to proclaim regulations for preventing collisions at sea;

H.R. 3050 (amended), to expand the authority of the Canal Zone government to settle claims not cognizable under the Tort Claims Act; and

H.R. 3999 (amended), to amend section 66 of title 2 of the Canal Zone Code.

Action was deferred on H.R. 5540, to remove the percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted men of the Coast Guard.

PARCEL POST

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on H.R. 5795 and 2525, to grant Congress authority to set rates of postage for fourth-class mail (parcel post), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

HEALTH BENEFITS—D.C. TEACHERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee ordered reported favorably to the full committee

H.R. 5932, to authorize certain teachers employed by the Board of Education of the District of Columbia to participate in a health benefits plan.

FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control continued hearings on title II (flood control) of the omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill of 1963, relating to the Knowles Dam and Reservoir project, Flathead River, Mont. Heard testimony from Tim Babcock, Governor of Montana; Corps of Engineers officials; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, June 5.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate on H.R. 6500, the military construction authorization bill.

Representative Vinson and Arends were heard on the request for a rule.

COMMITTEE TRAVEL

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported to the House H. Res. 376, granting additional travel authority to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

Testimony was given by Representative Harris.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, June 5.

TAXES—VACATION PAY

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6755, to provide a 1-year extension of the existing corporate normal tax rate and of certain excise tax rates; and

H.R. 6246, relating to the deductibility of accrued vacation pay.

The chairman was directed to introduce a clean bill (H.R. 6791), to continue for 2 years the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents, embodying certain amendments.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 heard testimony from public witnesses regarding dual distribution (when an independent businessman's supplier is also his competitor).

Joint Committee Meetings

FALLOUT

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation continued its hearings on radioactive fallout resulting from nuclear weapons testing, with testimony from Senator Bartlett; James G. Terrill, Jr., U.S. Public Health Service, HEW; and John H. Harley, Director of Health and Safety Laboratory, and Dr. Gordon Dunning, Division of Operational Safety, both of the Atomic Energy Commission.

In an afternoon session, subcommittee heard testimony from the following panel of witnesses: Dr. Paul Tompkins, Executive Director, Federal Radiation Council; Dr. Donald R. Chadwick, Bureau of State Services, HEW; Dr. Robert S. Roe, Food and Drug Administration, HEW; Dr. Forrest Western, AEC; M. R. Clarkson, Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture; and Lt. Col. Max Nold, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 6, when HEW Secretary Celebrezze will testify.

D.C. REVENUE

Subcommittees of the Senate and House Committees on the District of Columbia: The Senate Fiscal Affairs Subcommittee and House Subcommittee No. 6 concluded its joint hearings on various pending bills which would authorize funds for the District of Columbia government, after receiving testimony from Dr. Carl F. Hansen, Superintendent of D.C. Schools; and numerous other witnesses representing various organizations in the D.C.

It was announced that the record would remain open until 5 p.m. on Wednesday, June 5, for the inclusion of additional written material.

Wednesday, June 5, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed military construction authorization bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Thursday, June 6, at noon.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on personnel administration of the Agency for International Development, having as its witness Edmond C. Hutchinson, Assistant Administrator for Africa and Europe, AID.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the legislative branch, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from James L. Harrison, the Public Printer; Carper W. Buckley, Superintendent of Documents, GPO; and J. George Stewart, Architect of the Capitol, all of whom were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation and power marketing agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Charles W. Leavy, Administrator, Southeastern Power Administration, and Douglas G. Wright, Administrator, Southwestern Power Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow to receive testimony from officials of the Bureau of Reclamation.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded its hearings on H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, after receiving testimony from several public witnesses on various items in the bill.

DISARMAMENT

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session to receive further testimony on arms control and disarmament matters from Maj. Gen. R. H. Booth, Chief, Defense Atomic Support Agency.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK, AND AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington; and S. 1163, proposing several amendments to the Area Redevelopment Act.

QUALITY STABILIZATION ACT

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee held hearings on S. 774, proposed Quality Stabilization Act, with testimony from Senators Proxmire, Scott, Kuchel, Randolph, Morton, and Humphrey; Representative Madden; Roger Courtland, National Association of Consumer Organizations, Washington, D.C.; Raymond Burch, marketing manager, Arnold Schwinn & Co., Chicago; and Col. William R. Hutton, National Council of Senior Citizens, Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BRIEFING BY SECRETARY OF STATE RUSK

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on current foreign policy problems from Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure concluded its hearings on S. 318 and S. 1466, to provide that members of the bar of the highest court of a State or Federal court shall be automatically eligible to practice before administrative agencies, after receiving testimony from Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; Crane C. Hauser, Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service; and Thomas J. Reilly, Director, Office of Practice, both of the Department of the Treasury; and David L. Ladd, Commissioner, U.S. Patent Office.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Rights Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 1117 and S. 1219, to extend the Commission on Civil Rights, with testimony from Senators Case and Stennis; Roy Millenson, American Jewish Committee; Richard Austin, Michigan Advisory Committee to the Commission on Civil Rights; Ralph Courtney, the Liberty Lobby; and Reverend Cornelius C. Tarplee, National Council of the Episcopal Church Center.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, having as its witnesses Paul Little, Department of Employment, State of California, Sacramento; Curtis Harding, State Employment Services, Salt Lake City; Jack B. Brown, State Employment Services, Harrisburg, Pa.; Joseph Gibbons, State Employment Services, Hartford, Conn.; and Samuel Bernstein, State Employment Services, Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Migratory Labor Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, receiving testimony from R. Sargent Shriver, Jr., Director, Peace Corps; and John S. Gleason, Jr., Administrator of Veterans' Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TECHNOLOGICAL RESOURCES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing resumed its hearings on the role and effects of technology in the Nation's economy, having as its witnesses Dr. Joseph L. Fisher, president, Resources for the Future, Inc., and Nathan M. Koffsky, Administrator, Economic Research Service, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 6812–6835; 8 private bills, H.R. 6836–6843; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 461 and H. Res. 388–392, were introduced.

Pages 10188, 10240–10241

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3050, expanding the authority of the Canal Zone Government to settle claims not cognizable under the Tort Claims Act, amended (H. Rept. 362);

H.R. 3999, to amend Canal Zone Code regarding furnishing of information to Congress on operation of Panama Canal Company, amended (H. Rept. 363); and

H.R. 5781, to provide that professional nurses shall be registered as staff officers in the U.S. merchant marine (H. Rept. 364). **Page 10240**

Committee Travel Authority: By a voice vote the House adopted H. Res. 376, authorizing the attendance of six members of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce on June 8, 1963, at Paris, France, on aviation matters. **Pages 10185–10187**

Committees To Sit: The Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and the Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs of the Committee on Banking and Currency were authorized to sit during general debate of the House session today. Similar permission was granted to the Subcommittee on Education of the Committee on Education and Labor for today and Thursday.

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Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 388, electing Representative Willis chairman of the Committee on Un-American Activities. **Page 10187**

Military Construction Authorization: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 6500, to authorize certain construction at military installations. The bill provides a total of $1,633,472,000 in construction authority in support of the Active Forces, the Reserve components, defense agencies, and family housing. H. Res. 386, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 10187–10207**

Duty Exemption: The Committee on Ways and Means was granted permission to file a report by midnight Friday, June 7, on H.R. 6791, to continue for 2 years the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents. **Page 10209**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FAMILY FARMS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Family Farms heard testimony from public witnesses on problems regarding family farms.

FALLOUT SHELTER

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the civil defense fallout shelter bill. Heard testimony from Frederick Seitz, President, National Academy of Sciences and National Research Council; and William M. Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; and public witnesses.

SUGAR

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs held a hearing on factors behind recent sharp increases in sugar prices. Heard testimony from Charles S. Murphy, Under Secretary of Agriculture; and Lawrence Myer, Director of Sugar Policy Staff, Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service.

EXPORT CONTROL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Trade heard testimony from Jack N. Behrman, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; and Philip H. Trezise, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs, regarding export controls.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session on H.R. 4955, regarding vocational education aspects of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act. Recessed until Thursday, June 6.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

CONSUMER PROTECTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session on consumer protection activities of State governments for the regulation of drugs and related products.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems and heard testimony from public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT INFORMATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information met in executive session on Government information plans and policies and heard testimony from Edward A. McDermott, Office of Emergency Planning, regarding censorship planning.

REORGANIZATION PLAN NO. 1

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization met in executive session and ordered adversely reported to the full committee H. Res. 372, disapproving the Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1963; and H.J. Res. 455, providing that Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1963 shall take effect 10 days after the date of the enactment of this joint resolution.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963, and heard testimony from Representative Hall and public witnesses.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and heard a briefing by G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.J. Res. 405, to amend the joint resolution providing for U.S. participation in the International Bureau for the Protection of Industrial Property; H.J. Res. 301, 324, and 337, all pertaining to the 1968 winter Olympic games; and H.R. 6283 (amended), to amend the United Nations Participation Act.

Prior to the executive session held an open hearing with testimony from Representative King of New York; and State Department officials, on H.J. Res. 301. A statement on the measure was presented for the record by Representative Kelly.

NORTHWEST POWER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session on H.R. 994, and related bills, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority. Adjourned for lack of a quorum.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, livestock, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, June 6.

COURT OF CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony from Government and public witnesses on H.R. 1054, to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and render judgment in cases of claims referred to the court by either House of Congress.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4816 (amended), to require district courts to provide representation for defendants who are financially unable to obtain adequate defense counsel in criminal cases.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Resumed hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Testimony was given by a public witness. Hearings continue Thursday, June 6.

PARCEL POST

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on H.R. 5795 and 2525, to grant Congress authority to set rates of postage for fourth-class mail (parcel post), and heard testimony from J. Edward Day, Postmaster General; and a public witness.

FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control continued hearings on title II (flood control) of the omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill of 1963, relating to the Knowles Dam and Reservoir project, Flathead River, Mont. Heard testimony from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; Senator Metcalf; Representative Battin; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, June 6.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing to consider granting a rule on H.R. 3881, the urban mass transportation bill. Heard testimony from Representative Patman. Hearings continue Thursday, June 6.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, June 6.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Made a tentative announcement regarding capital gains. A detailed press release is available on this subject in the committee room, 1102 Longworth House Office Building.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution (when an independent businessman's supplier is also his competitor), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

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Thursday, June 6, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed agriculture appropriation bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10245–10316

Bills Introduced: 18 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1668–1685. **Pages 10250–10251**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1031, to repeal the Inland Waterways Corporation Act and provide for the liquidation of its affairs, with amendments (S. Rept. 207);

S. Con. Res. 25, favoring observance on Independence Day by the ringing of bells throughout the U.S., with amendment (S. Rept. 208);

S.J. Res. 48, designating the 17th day of September a legal holiday to be known as Constitution Day, with amendments (S. Rept. 209);

S. 603, providing for appointment of Director and Associate Director of the FBI for 15-year terms, with amendments (S. Rept. 210);

S. 192, 200, 380, and 545, private bills (S. Repts. 211–214);

S. 777, to increase authorizations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, with amendments (S. Rept. 215);

S. 551, 657, 909, 965, 966, 1014, 1015, 1407, 219, 312, 409, 697, 735, 322, H.R. 1286, 1561, 3626, and 4349, private bills (S. Repts. 216–233);

S. 684, to place the unification or acquisition of control of freight forwarding under the regulation of section 5 of the Interstate Commerce Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 234); and

Report of Committee on the Judiciary on Refugees and Escapees (S. Rept. 235). **Pages 10246–10247**

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 10244–10245**

Foreign Service Buildings—Philippine War Damage Claims: Senate insisted upon its amendments to H.R. 5207, proposed Foreign Service Buildings Act amendments, agreed to the request of the House for a conference, and appointed as conferees Senators Fulbright, Sparkman, Humphrey, Hickenlooper, and Aiken. **Page 10260**

Migratory Workers: Senate continued consideration of S. 522, to assist States in providing for day care services for children of migratory workers, but took no action thereon, and will resume its consideration on Monday, June 10. **Page 10316**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Lee Loevinger, of Minnesota, to be a member of the FCC; Brockway McMillan, of New Jersey, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force; and sundry nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps. **Pages 10357–10358**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued its executive hearings on personnel administration of the Agency for International Development, having as its witnesses Alex M. Vagliano, of the Near East and South Asian region; Miles G. Wedeman, African and European regions; Selig Taubenblat, Far Eastern region; and Stanley Grand, of the Latin American region, all of whom are regional directors of the Office of Capital Development and Finance, AID.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation, with testimony from its Director, Floyd E. Dominy.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from this witness.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the legislative branch, receiving testimony from Dr. L. Quincy Mumford, Librarian of Congress, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INSECTICIDES

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 1250, to coordinate programs involving the use of chemical insecticides for biological controls, and S. 1251, requiring that packages containing insecticides, etc., bear adequate warning labels. Witnesses heard were Senator Neuberger; Representative Dingell; Miss Rachel L. Carson, of Silver Spring, Md., author of "The Silent Spring"; Louis B. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; and Roland C. Clement, National Audubon Society, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUGAR PRICE INCREASES

Committee on Finance: Committee met to hear further testimony from Under Secretary of Agriculture Charles S. Murphy regarding recent increases in the price of sugar.

Committee adjourned subject to call.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, having as its witness John H. Rubel, Deputy Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

GARRISON DIVERSION UNIT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held hearings on S. 178, to modify the Missouri River Basin project so as to authorize construction of the Garrison diversion unit. Witnesses heard were Senators Young of North Dakota, and McGovern; Representatives Short and Nygaard; William L. Guy, Governor of North Dakota; W. R. Palmer and Bruce Johnson, both of the Bureau of Reclamation, and James P. McBroom, Fish and Wildlife Service, all of the Department of the Interior; Roy Holand, Chairman of the Garrison Diversion Conservancy District; Milo Hoisven, North Dakota State Water Commission; Howard Pare, North Dakota Irrigation District Directors Association; Pete Breukelman, Fort Randall Conservancy District, South Dakota; and William Welsh, National Reclamation Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of William H. Orrick, Jr., to be Assistant Attorney General (Antitrust Division); S. 603, providing for appointment of Director and Associate Director of the FBI for 15-year terms (amended); S. 979, providing for the inclusion of a district judge or judges on the judicial council of each circuit; S. Con. Res. 25, favoring observance on Independence Day by the ringing of bells throughout the U.S. (amended); S.J. Res. 48, designating the 17th day of September a legal holiday to be known as Constitution Day (amended); 16 private immigration bills (S. 200, 312, 322, 380, 409, 545, 551, 657, 697, 735, 909, 965, 966, 1014, 1015, and 1407); and 7 private claims bills (S. 192, 219, 1643, H.R. 1286, 1561, 3626, and 4349).

Committee also approved the annual report of its Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on eight private immigration bills (S. 359, 375, 446, 493, 539, 791, 830, and 1247); and eight private claims bills (S. 665, 701, 767, 780, 1076, H.R. 1447, 2699, and 3755).

COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Rights Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1117 and S. 1219, to extend the Commission on Civil Rights, receiving testimony from John J. Hannah, Chairman, and Berl I. Bernhard, Staff Director, both of the Commission on Civil Rights; Duncan Howlett, D.C. Advisory Committee to Civil Rights Commission; and Alan Howe, Young Democrat Clubs of America.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 12.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, with testimony from Seymour L. Wolfbein, Director, Office of Manpower, Automation and Training, Department of Labor; William L. Batt, Jr., Administrator, Area Redevelopment Administration, Department of Commerce; and Dr. Walter M. Arnold, Assistant Commissioner and Director of Division of Vocational and Technical Education, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Migratory Labor Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, with testimony from Senator Bayh, who submitted a statement, and William R. Anderson, Presidential consultant on the National Service Corps.

TECHNOLOGICAL RESOURCES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing continued its hearings on the role and effects of technology in the Nation's economy, with testimony from Dr. Richard H. Bolt, associate director, National Science Foundation; Dr. Richard Morse, chairman of the board, Cryonetics Corp.; Dr. J. Herbert Hollomon, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology; Dr. Jerome B. Wiesner, Director, President's Office of Science and Technology; Dr. C. B. Ratchford, director of the University of Missouri's Engineering Experiment Station; and Dr. Milton Harris, director of research, Gillette Laboratories.

Hearings are tentatively scheduled to continue on Thursday, June 20.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 32 public bills, H.R. 6844–6875; 14 private bills, H.R. 6876–6889; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 462 and 463, H. Con. Res. 173, and H. Res. 393, were introduced. **Pages 10428–10429**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6012, to authorize the President to proclaim regulations for preventing collisions at sea, amended (H. Rept. 365);

H.R. 6196, to revitalize the American cotton industry, amended (H. Rept. 366);

S. 969, to provide medical care for certain Coast and Geodetic Survey retired ships' officers and crew members and their dependents (H. Rept. 367);

S. 1036, to amend the inland and western rivers rules concerning anchor lights and fog signals required in special anchorage areas, amended (H. Rept. 368); and

H.R. 6868, making appropriations for the legislative branch for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 369). **Page 10428**

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was made in order on June 17. **Page 10361**

Agriculture Appropriations: By a record vote of 288 yeas to 79 nays the House passed H.R. 6754, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies for fiscal year 1964, after a motion to recommit the bill had been rejected by a voice vote.

Adopted an amendment to bar use of any funds to pay salaries of study group for creation of a domestic peace corps or the National Service Corps.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Reduce by $100 million the funds provided for the agricultural conservation programs;

Delete the loan authorization provisions of the rural electrification program; and to reduce REA funds by $25 million; and $200 million;

Delete provision of $1 million for rural renewal; and

Limit price support of cotton to 30 cents.

The bill provides appropriations totaling $5,979,457,000, a reduction of $389,298,000 (6.1 percent) in the budget requests which amounted to $6,368,755,000. Pages 10362–10413

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of June 12. Page 10422

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the legislative appropriations bill for 1964.

MEDALS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2998, to revise the standards for the granting of the Medal of Honor, Distinguished Service Cross, Silver Star, and other medals; and H.R. 6767, to provide gold star lapel buttons for the next of kin of members of the Armed Forces who lost or lose their lives in war or as a result of cold war incidents. Heard testimony from Representative Cleveland; Lt. James L. Richardson (H.R. 2998); and the Director, Policy Division, Bureau of Naval Personnel, Navy Department (H.R. 6767).

FALLOUT SHELTER

Committee on Armed Services: Continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the civil defense fallout shelter bill. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

SUGAR

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs continued hearings on factors behind the sharp increase in sugar prices. Heard testimony from representatives of sugar interests in various countries.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 5097, to amend D.C. Practical Nurses Licensing Act; H.R. 5098, relating to D.C. Public Schools Nonresident Tuition Act; and H.R. 679, regarding tax incentives for the repair, improvement, etc., to residential and commercial property in D.C. Heard testimony from Representative Broyhill; D.C. officials; and public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4955 (amended), regarding vocational education aspects (title V–A) of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor, and other departmental witnesses, on equal employment opportunities.

HIGHER EDUCATION—TEACHER TRAINING

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3510, regarding Federal contributions to institutions of higher education where segregation is practiced; and H.R. 6672 (amended), to provide for the training of teachers of all exceptional children.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Heard testimony from Representative Lindsay, and public witnesses.

EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for a briefing by Eugenia Anderson, U.S. Ambassador to Bulgaria.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for a briefing with Leon B. Poullada, U.S. Ambassador to Togo; and Charles E. Rhetts, U.S. Ambassador to Liberia.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT INFORMATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information concluded executive consideration of Government information plans and policies, and heard testimony from Hugh L. Dryden, Deputy Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 6225, to provide for the rehabilitation of Guam, and heard testimony from John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, livestock, agricultural and fishery products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, June 7.

D.C. CODE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3, in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4157 (amended), to revise, codify, and enact into law, part II of the District of Columbia Code, entitled "Judiciary and Judicial Procedure."

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from a public witness.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 5377, to extend the civil service retirement program to include the Architect of the Capitol and his employees;

H.R. 5932, to amend the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act of 1959, so as to include certain D.C. teachers; and

H.R. 4818, to revise the duties of census enumerators.

Appointed a subcommittee to consider H.R. 5128, to extend the benefits of the civil service and group life and health insurance to employees in the House folding room.

FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control continued hearings on title II (flood control) of the omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, relating to the Knowles Dam and Reservoir project, Flathead River, Mont. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, June 7.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Rules: Continued hearings to consider granting a rule on H.R. 3881, the urban mass transportation bill. Heard testimony from Representatives Kilburn, Widnall, and Oliver Bolton. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans. Heard testimony from various officials of the Office of Housing for Senior Citizens, Housing and Home Finance Agency.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Made tentative announcements regarding unlimited charitable contribution deductions and taxation of natural resources.

Joint Committee Meetings

FALLOUT

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation concluded phase 1 of its hearings on radioactive fallout resulting from nuclear weapons testing, after receiving testimony from Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; and the following panelists who completed their testimony which was begun on Tuesday, June 4: Dr. Paul Tompkins, Executive Director, Federal Radiation Council; Dr. Donald R. Chadwick, Bureau of State Services, HEW; Dr. Robert S. Roe, Food and Drug Administration, HEW; Dr. Forrest Western, AEC; M. R. Clarkson, Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture; and Lt. Col. Max Nold, Department of Defense.

EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Statistics held hearings on the findings and recommendations of the President's Committee To Appraise Employment and Unemployment Statistics, with testimony from the following members thereof: Robert A. Gordon, professor of economics, University of California; Martin R. Gainsbrugh, vice president, National Industrial Conference Board; Albert E. Rees, professor of economics, University of Chicago; and Frederick F. Stephan, professor of social statistics, Princeton University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Monday, June 10, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed four bills on migratory labor.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10440–10469

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1686–1692; S.J. Res. 87–88; and S. Res. 154–156. **Pages 10443–10444**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1643, private bills (S. Rept. 236); and

S. Res. 156, to print as a Senate document "Select Reports of the Administrative Conference of the U.S." (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 10443**

Bill Referred: H.R. 6754, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, for fiscal year 1964, was received from House, and referred to Committee on Appropriations. **Page 10440**

Acting President Pro Tempore: Senate adopted S. Res. 155, authorizing Senator Metcalf to perform the duties of the Chair as Acting President pro tempore during the temporary absence from the city of Senator Hayden, President pro tempore. **Page 10444**

Migratory Labor: Senate considered and passed four bills concerning migrant agricultural workers as follows:

S. 522, to assist States in providing for day care services for children of migratory workers (with committee amendment; motion to reconsider tabled);

S. 526, to establish a program to assist farmers in providing more adequate sanitation facilities for migratory workers (with committee amendments; motion to reconsider tabled);

S. 521, providing financial assistance to States to improve educational opportunities for migrant agricultural workers and their children (with committee amendments); and

S. 525, to establish a 15-member National Advisory Council on Migratory Labor (with committee amendments). **Pages 10476–10487, 10488, 10499–10510**

Migratory Child Labor: Senate made its unfinished business S. 523, to extend the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to certain children employed in agriculture, reaching unanimous-consent agreement that on Tuesday, June 11, at 2 p.m., the pending question will be Tower amendment No. 104 respecting children employed by persons related by blood or marriage on which amendment, or any amendments thereto, there will be 30 minutes' debate, equally divided. It was also agreed that no amendment that is not germane to this Tower amendment will be received and that at the conclusion of the 30-minute debate limitation vote will be taken on such amendment, or amendments thereto. **Pages 10488, 10510–10511**

Confirmation: One civilian nomination was confirmed. **Page 10516**

Nominations: 134 postmaster nominations were received. **Pages 10514–10516**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPACE PROGRAM

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee began a 2-day forum to receive the views of several distinguished scientists on the Nation's overall space program. Witnesses heard today were Dr. Philip Abelson, Geophysical Laboratory, Carnegie Institution of Washington, Washington, D.C.; Dr. C. S. Pittendrigh, department of biology, Princeton University; Dr. Simon Ramo, Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge, Inc., Redondo Beach, Calif.; Dr. Harold C. Urey, professor of chemistry at large, University of California at San Diego; and Polycarp Kusch, department of physics, Columbia University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued its executive hearings on personnel administration of the Agency for International Development, receiving testimony from DeForrest McCauley, Office of Engineering; Edward F. Tennant, Controller; Robert L. Biren, Office of Program Support; R. Scott Moore, Office of Management Planning; Arnold Sukrow, Office of Personnel; Edward Kunze, Office of Material Resources, and other AID officials.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation, with further testimony from its

Director, Floyd E. Dominy. Mr. Dominy also appeared before the subcommittee on Friday, June 7.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 12.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony from Dr. Harold Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering; and Dr. Charles M. Herzfeld, Deputy Director, Advanced Research Projects Agency, both of DOD.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, June 7, subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the legislative branch, receiving testimony from Robert A. Brenkworth, Senate Financial Clerk; William S. Cheatham, Office of the Senate Sergeant at Arms; and Philip L. Roof, Office of the Architect of the Capitol.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses Peter T. Beardsley, general counsel, and James F. Pinkney, chief counsel, public affairs, both of the American Trucking Association, Inc., Washington, D.C.; and Welby M. Frantz, president, Eastern Express, Inc., Terre Haute, Ind.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education resumed its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, receiving testimony from Miss Margaret Root, executive secretary, Pennsylvania Federation of Teachers; Miss Celia Pincus, president, Philadelphia Federation of Teachers; Dr. Alfred T. Hill, Council for the Advancement of Small Colleges, Washington, D.C.; William A. Rich, District of Columbia Congress of Parents & Teachers; and Mrs. Walter B. Stults, Ben W. Murch Home & School Association, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower heard testimony in connection with its study of the overall manpower problem from Dr. Gerald G. Somers, University of Wisconsin; and Dr. Sar A. Levitan, George Washington University.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 18.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 6890–6902; 5 private bills, H.R. 6903–6907; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 464–466, were introduced. **Page 10540**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6755, to provide a 1-year extension of the existing corporate normal-tax rate and of certain excise-tax rates, filed on June 7 (H. Rept. 370);

H.R. 6791, to continue for 2 years the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents, filed on June 7 (H. Rept. 371);

H.R. 3438, limiting the priority and nondischargeability of taxes in bankruptcy, amended (H. Rept. 372); and

H.R. 4818, repeal of certain provisions relating to duties of census enumerators (H. Rept. 373).

The House met briefly but transacted no legislative business. **Page 10540**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 5733, the Food Stamp Act of 1963, and heard testimony from Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; and Representative Mathias. Hearings continue Tuesday, June 11.

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee on Wheat held an informal executive meeting. No announcements were made. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FALLOUT SHELTER

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Testimony was given by Farris Bryant, Governor of Florida, and other public witnesses.

U.S. MILITARY—AIR FORCE ACADEMIES

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 6611, regarding nomination and selection of candidates for appointment to the U.S. Military and Air Force Academies. Testimony was given by Lt. Gen. W. S. Stone, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel, USAF; and Maj. Gen. W. C. Westmoreland, Superintendent of the U.S. Military Academy.

SUGAR

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs continued hearings on factors behind the recent sharp increase in sugar prices. Heard testimony from a public witness.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

On Friday, June 7, the subcommittee also met in executive session on pending business.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

On Friday, June 7, also heard public witnesses on this subject.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems, and heard testimony from Senator Nelson; Representative Royce; and departmental and public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, June 11.

HOME LOAN BANK BOARD

Committee on Government Operations: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee on Home Loan Bank Board met in executive session and approved for full committee action a report entitled "Investigation and Study of Federal Home Loan Bank Board—Alice, Tex."

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 976 (amended), to acquire and add certain lands to the Salem Maritime National Historic Site in Massachusetts; also considered H.R. 988, to acquire the Graff House site for inclusion in Independence National Historical Park, but no final action was taken.

In an open hearing heard testimony from Representatives Saylor and Whalley, and departmental witnesses, on H.R. 931 and 3350, bills to provide for the establishment of the Allegheny Portage Railroad National Historic Site and the Johnstown Flood National Memorial in the State of Pennsylvania; and Representative Bates on H.R. 976 (title above).

COAL

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met in executive session and adopted with amendment the subcommittee resolution concerning certain Office of Coal Research projects and proposed contracts involving construction of pilot plants, including contract with Consolidation Coal Co.

GUAM—PACIFIC ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3198 (amended), to promote the economic and social development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; and H.R. 6481, to permit the government of Guam to authorize a public authority to undertake urban renewal and housing activities.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety heard testimony from Jerome B. Wiesner, Special Assistant to the President, on H.R. 2410, Public Health Service reorganization bill.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: On Friday, June 7, concluded hearings on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, livestock and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system. Heard testimony from Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Commerce; Clarence D. Martin, Jr., Under Secretary of Commerce for Transportation; and Harold E. Crowther, Assistant Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Department of the Interior.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization held a hearing on manpower problems in Government, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

WORK MEASUREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee on Postal Operations heard testimony from public witnesses regarding the work measurement system of the postal service.

FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee on Flood Control met in executive session and approved several survey resolutions.

In an open hearing heard testimony from various public witnesses on title 2 (flood control) of the omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, relating to Knowles Dam and Reservoir project, Flathead River, Mont.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee on Space Sciences met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Made tentative announcements regarding dividend credit and exclusion; medical expense deduction; and child care deduction. A detailed press release is available on these subjects in the committee room, 1102 Longworth House Office Building.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution (when an independent businessman's supplier is also his competitor), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: On Friday, June 7, Subcommittee on Economic Statistics concluded its hearings on the findings and recommendations of the President's Committee To Appraise Employment and Unemployment Statistics, with testimony from the following representatives of Government agencies involved in carrying out the recommendations of this Presidential committee: Raymond T. Bowman, Assistant Director for Statistical Standards, Bureau of the Budget; John S. McCauley, Office of Manpower Development and Utilization, Department of Labor; Robert J. Myers, Deputy Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; Conrad Taeuber, Assistant Director for Demographic Fields, and Morris H. Hansen, Assistant Director for Research and Development, both of the Bureau of the Census, Commerce Department; and Harry C. Trelogan, Statistical Reporting Service, Department of Agriculture.

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5207, proposed Foreign Service Buildings Act amendments, with Senate amendment authorizing payment of Philippine war damage claims, but did not reach final agreement thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Tuesday, June 11, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed 29 measures on calendar call and a migratory farm labor bill.

House passed legislative appropriations bill.

Tax rate extension bill cleared for floor action by House Rules Committee.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10554–10592

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1693–1704; and S. Res. 157 and 158.

Pages 10555–10556

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 29 measures, of which 23 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Boy Scouts: H.R. 2439, authorizing the lending of certain military equipment to the Boy Scouts in connection with their 1964 Jamboree; and

Private bills: H.R. 1286, 1561, 3626, and 4349.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Coast Guard: H.R. 79, to require authorization for certain appropriations for the Coast Guard.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Coast Guard: S. 1194, to remove percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted personnel of the Coast Guard; and

Private bills: S. 192, 200, 380, 545, 551, 657, 909, 965, 966, 1014, 1015, 1407, and 1643.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Inland waterways: S. 1031, to repeal the Inland Waterways Corporation Act and provide for the liquidation of its affairs;

Constitution Day: S.J. Res. 48, designating the 17th day of September a legal holiday to be known as Constitution Day; and

Private bills: S. 219, 312, 409, 697, 735, and 322.

Resolution adopted with amendment:

Independence Day: S. Con. Res. 25, favoring observance on Independence Day by the ringing of bells throughout the U.S. **Pages 10592–10600**

Migratory Child Labor: Senate passed S. 523, to extend the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to certain children employed in agriculture, after rejecting, by 36 yeas to 53 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Tower amendment respecting children employed by persons related by blood or marriage; and, by voice vote, Tower amendment to bar employment of child labor for operation of power-driven machinery or the handling of poisonous materials under hazardous conditions. **Pages 10592, 10611–10614, 10615–10618, 10619**

Migrant Farm Labor: Senate passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 524, to provide for the registration of contractors of migrant agricultural workers. **Pages 10619–10621, 10625–10626**

Veterans: S. 412, authorizing VA to waive or release claims following default and loss of property by the borrower veteran under certain conditions, was made Senate's unfinished business. **Page 10626**

Nominations: 109 Public Health Service nominations were received. **Pages 10629–10630**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPACE PROGRAM

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee concluded its 2-day forum to receive the views of several distinguished scientists on the Nation's overall space program. Witnesses heard were Dr. Lloyd V. Berkner, president, Graduate Research Center of the Southwest, Dallas; Dr. Lee DuBridge, president, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena; Dr. H. H. Hess, chairman, Space Science Board, National Academy of Sciences; Dr. Martin Schwarzschild, department of astronomy, Princeton University; and Dr. Frederick Seitz, President, National Academy of Sciences.

Committee will begin hearings tomorrow on fiscal 1964 authorizations for NASA.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their department from Secretary Finn J. Larsen and Lt. Gen. Dwight E. Beach, Chief of Research and Development, both of the Department of the Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session to hear Navy officials.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed, its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony from Senator Morse, on funds for various projects in Oregon; Senators Symington, Long of Missouri, Carlson, and Pearson, on funds for Missouri River projects in Missouri and Kansas; Senator Dirksen, on funds for Wabash Valley projects; Senator Kuchel, on funds for Redondo Beach, King Harbor, and Marina del Rey projects; Senators Byrd of West Virginia and Randolph, on funds for Justice Reservoir; and Representative Perkins, on funds for several Ohio River projects in Kentucky.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses L. A. Odom, Nolen & Foster, Spartanburg, S.C.; C. A. Buchanan, National Agricultural Transportation League, Tavares, Fla.; R. F. Thompson, Vermont Transit Co., Inc., Burlington, and W. G. Humphrey, Carolina Coach Co., Raleigh, N.C., who were accompanied by R. J. Carber; and Howard Johnson, Nelson Trucking Co., Burket, Ind., who represented the Midwest Livestock Carriers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary approved for full committee consideration the following bills: S. 488, increasing from 10 days to 90 days maximum imprisonment for certain traffic violations in the D.C.; S. 489, to allow hearing time to be set by controlling statutes in the D.C. small claims court; S. 490, eliminating requirement that an alphabetical file on motor vehicle and trailer liens be kept by the D.C.; and H.R. 4330, proposed D.C. Business Corporation Act amendments (amended).

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee began hearings on S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, receiving testimony from Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

Hearings continue tomorrow, in executive session, when AID Administrator David E. Bell will be heard.

TERRITORIES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories held hearings on H.R. 1988, providing for the settlement of claims of certain residents of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; and H.R. 2072, assuring payment of just compensation for use of certain islands in the South Pacific. Testimony was received from Richard F. Taitano, Director, Office of Territories, who was accompanied by John P. DeJongh, Division of Insular Affairs; Chester B. Leedom, Program Planning Officer; and Mrs. Ruth Van Cleve, Assistant Solicitor for Territories, all of the Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call of the Chair.

PRESIDENTIAL INABILITY

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Amendments Subcommittee resumed its hearings on several joint resolutions proposing amendments to the Constitution with regard to Presidential inability, with testimony from Lewis F. Powell, of Richmond, Va., president-elect, American Bar Association; Martin Taylor, chairman, Committee on Federal Constitution of the New York State Bar Association; and Richard H. Hansen, a constitutional lawyer, Lincoln, Nebr.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 18.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, with testimony from William Truitt, National Farmers Union; John F. Nagle, National Federation of the Blind; Irvin P. Schloss, American Foundation for the Blind; George Hecht, Bipartisan Citizens Committee for Federal Aid for Public Elementary & Secondary Education, Washington, D.C.; and Don White, National Audio-Visual Association.

Subcommittee also received testimony from the following panel of witnesses: Dr. M. D. Mobley and Dr. Milo J. Peterson, both of the American Vocational Association; Dr. William B. Logan, Ohio State University; Dr. Burr D. Coe, Middlesex County Vocational Technical Schools, New Jersey; Dr. C. W. Patrick, Assistant Superintendent, San Diego Public Schools; Fred Eberle, State Department of Education, West Virginia; and Miss Catherine T. Dennis, State Department of Public Instruction, North Carolina.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREST ROADS AND TRAILS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held hearings on S. 1147, to enable construction and maintenance of an adequate system of roads and trails for the national forests, with testimony from M. M. Nelson, Deputy Chief, and Reynolds Florance, both of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Bernard Orell, National Lumber Manufacturers Association, who was accompanied by John Crowell, who represented the Georgia-Pacific Corp. and the Industrial Forestry Association, and George Neff, the Anaconda Co.; Walter Reed, Western Pine Association; John Callahan, California Forest Protective Association; and George Craig, Western Lumber Manufacturers Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 67 public bills, H.R. 6908–6974; 13 private bills, H.R. 6975–6987; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 467–469, H. Con. Res. 174–176, and H. Res. 394–396, were introduced. **Pages 10650, 10675–10677**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 73, to provide for the merger of certain Coast Guard appropriations for operating expenses, Reserve training, and retired pay, amended (H. Rept. 374);

H.R. 75, to provide for exceptions to the rules of navigation in certain cases (H. Rept. 375);

H.R. 5377, providing for removal of retirement inequity for employees of the Architect of the Capitol (H. Rept. 376);

H.R. 4157, part II, District of Columbia Code "Judiciary and Judicial Procedure" (H. Rept. 377);

H.R. 134, providing safety standards for automobile seat belts (H. Rept. 378); and

H. Res. 396, closed rule providing for the consideration of and 3 hours of debate on H.R. 6755, to provide for a 1-year extension of the existing corporate normal-tax rate and of certain excise-tax rates (H. Rept. 379). **Page 10675**

Legislative Appropriations: By a record vote of 271 yeas to 122 nays the House passed without amendment H.R. 6868, making appropriations for the legislative branch for fiscal year 1964, after rejecting a motion to recommit the bill by a voice vote.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Prevent payment of salaries to certain House employees related either by blood or marriage to Members of Congress;

Prevent construction of underground parking facilities south of Rayburn Office Building;

Prevent installation of swimming pool and the opening of additional doorways in the Rayburn Office Building; and

Discontinue the printing of wall calendars for use of House Members.

The bill provides appropriations of $140,038,919, which sum is $22,020,509 over the 1963 appropriation and $8,541,326 under the budget estimates. The funds are allotted as follows: House of Representatives, $50,131,550; joint items, $6,271,369; Architect of the Capitol (excluding Senate items), $30,744,200; Botanic Gardens, $462,000; Library of Congress, $20,487,800; and the Government Printing Office, $31,942,000. Funds for the expenses of the Senate will be inserted later by the Senate. **Pages 10634–10650**

Bills Referred: Four Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. **Page 10671**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 5733, the Food Stamp Act of 1963, and heard testimony from Representatives Sullivan, Saylor, Fulton, Staebler, and Denton.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Dingell and Flood. Hearings continue Wednesday, June 13.

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 904, to prohibit trading in Irish potato futures on commodity exchanges.

FALLOUT SHELTER

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.J. Res. 441 (amended), to amend section 221 of the National Housing Act to extend for 1 year the authority of the Federal Housing Administration.

ABC ACT—D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 684 and 2036, similar bills, to prohibit false advertising in the District of Columbia relating to the sale of alcoholic beverages. Heard testimony from D.C. officials.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5625, regarding the National Service Corps. Heard testimony from John S. Gleason, Administrator, Veterans' Administration.

WORK HOURS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on hours of work and their impact on employment. Heard testimony from Department of Labor officials.

ADULT EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5542 (amended), regarding title VI–B (adult basic education) of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for a briefing by William Attwood, Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

NORTHWEST POWER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session to mark up H.R. 994, and related bills, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority. Recessed until Wednesday, June 12.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety heard testimony from Luther L. Terry, U.S. Surgeon General, on H.R.

2410, Public Health Service Reorganization Act. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

BANKRUPTCY ACT—D.C. CODE

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 4157 (amended), to revise, codify, and enact into law part II of the District of Columbia Code, entitled "Judiciary and Judicial Procedure"; and

H.R. 394, to amend sections 1, 17a, 57j, 64a(5), 67(b), 67c, and 70c of the Bankruptcy Act.

ELECTRONIC DATA PROCESSING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Government Statistics resumed hearings on use of electronic data processing equipment in the Federal Government. Heard testimony from Joseph Campbell, Comptroller General; and other departmental officials.

TAX RATE EXTENSION

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule, waiving points of order, with 3 hours of debate, on H.R. 6755, the Tax Rate Extension Act of 1963.

Representatives Mills and Byrnes of Wisconsin were heard on the request for a rule.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H.R. 3881, the mass transportation bill. No final action was taken. Testimony was given by Representative Oliver Bolton.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans. Heard testimony from the national commander, Disabled American Veterans.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Made tentative announcements regarding moving expenses; travel expenses; tax treatment of older persons; research and development; and stock options.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5207, proposed Foreign Service Buildings Act amendments (with Senate amendment authorizing payment of Philippine war damage claims), but did not reach final agreement thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Wednesday, June 12, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House rejected bill amending Area Redevelopment Act.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Thursday, June 13, at noon.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee began hearings on S. 1245, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal 1964, with testimony from James E. Webb, Administrator, Dr. Hugh L. Dryden, Deputy Administrator, and Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, who were accompanied by other NASA officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Dr. Seamans, and others.

APPROPRIATIONS—BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation and power marketing agencies, receiving testimony from Senators Carlson, Curtis, Pearson, and Jackson, who introduced and accompanied witnesses from their respective States.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 17.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearing on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from James A. Wakelin, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research and Development; Vice Adm. William F. Raborn, Jr., Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Development; Rear Adm. L. D. Coates, Chief of Naval Research; Brig. Gen. Bruno A. Hochmuth, Deputy Chief of Staff for Research and Development, Marine Corps; and Brockway McMillan, Under Secretary, and Lt. Gen. James Ferguson, Deputy Chief of Staff, Research and Development, both of the Air Force.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 14, when public witnesses will be heard in open session.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on funds for Wabash Valley projects from Senators Hartke, Bayh, and Douglas; and Representatives Gray and Roush. Several written statements were submitted for inclusion in the record.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRCRAFT DEVELOPMENT CONTRACT

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee began hearings in connection with the awarding of a research and development contract for two aircraft to Bell Aerospace Corp., on which contract the Douglas Aircraft Co. was also a bidder. Testimony was received from Vice Adm. Paul D. Stroop, Chief of the Bureau of Naval Weapons at the time these negotiations were made, who was accompanied and assisted by other representatives of the Navy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

"CITY OF NEW ORLEANS"

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 534, to admit the vessel *City of New Orleans* to American registry, after receiving testimony from Senator Gruening.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses Lew S. Russell, Tidewater Barge Lines, Portland, Oreg.; A. C. Ingersoll, Jr., Common Carrier Conference of Domestic Water Carriers, St. Louis; J. W. Hershey, American Commercial Barge Line Co., Houston; John L. Weller, Seatrain Lines, Inc., Edgewater, N.J.; and William K. Nestor, Arrow Transportation Co., Sheffield, Ala.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 628, proposing several amendments to the D.C. Redevelopment Act; S. 646, prohibiting the location of chanceries of foreign governments in certain residential areas in the D.C. (amended so as to restrict such construction from any residentially zoned area); S. 995, granting the D.C. the right to close streets in urban renewal areas under certain circumstances; and H.R. 1937, to make punishable on the same basis as perjury the making of false statements under oath relative to applications for licenses for the sale of insurance in the D.C.

The full committee will hold an executive session tomorrow to consider these and other measures.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 2513, requiring new packages of imported articles to be marked so as to indicate country of origin, and H.R. 6441, to extend the filing date of a report on study of State taxation of interstate commerce being made by the House Committee on the Judiciary; and with amendment H.R. 220, permitting the conversion or exchange of policies of national service life insurance to a new modified plan.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, having as its witness David E. Bell, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow in open session when Secretary of Defense McNamara will testify.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S.J. Res. 17, designating the O'Mahoney Lake and Recreation Area, Wyo. and Utah (amended); S. 793, providing a permanent basis for the management of the four wildlife refuges in the Klamath Basin of California and Oregon (amended); S. 851, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande; H.R. 131, providing for the renewal of certain long-term water supply contracts under the Reclamation Project Act; H.R. 2821, authorizing modification of the repayment contract with the Grand Valley Water Users' Association; S. 614, authorizing use of water from San Juan-Chama unit of the Colorado River storage project for recreational purposes at Chochiti Reservoir; S. 1122, authorizing exchange of lands between the town of Powell, Wyo., and the Presbyterian Retirement Facilities Corp.; S. 1185, authorizing exchange of certain lands between the U.S., the State of Oregon, and the C. & B. Livestock Co.; H.J. Res. 180, authorizing continued use of certain lands in Sequoia National Park by portions of an existing hydroelectric project in California; H.R. 3574, providing for the withdrawal and use of public lands at Cuddeback Lake Air Force Range, Calif., by the Air Force; S. 535, extending the principles of equitable adjudication to sales under the Alaska Public Sale Act; H.R. 2461, to convey certain lands to the city of Henderson, Nev. (amended by substituting language of S. 346, a similar measure); S. 1039, authorizing exchange of surplus park property at Blue Ponds off Baltimore Freeway for property at Great Falls, Va.; S. 1066, authorizing reinstatement of the E. L. K. Oil Co. lease in Wyoming; H.R. 3845, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act so as to assure that only small producers will receive benefits; H.R. 3120, to simplify the administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act; S. 73, sale of mineral rights to surface owners of Florida land; S. 1326, directing the sale of reserved mineral rights to surface owners of a 53-acre tract of land in South Carolina; and S. 1154, providing for the sale of the mineral rights of a 66-acre tract of land in Minnesota to the surface owners.

Committee also approved a committee resolution of no objection to Park Service execution of the contract with Circle Line Statue of Liberty Ferry, Inc., to provide ferry service from the Battery in New York to the Statue of Liberty.

COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Rights Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 1117 and S. 1219, to extend the Commission on Civil Rights, after receiving testimony from Dr. Paul Cook, AVC; Miss Caroline Ramsay, Women's International League for Peace & Freedom; Louis Pollak, Connecticut Advisory Committee of the Commission on Civil Rights; and Charles Bloch, an attorney from Macon, Ga.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure began hearings on S. 1664, to establish a permanent Administrative Conference of the U.S., receiving testimony from Senior Circuit Judge E. Barrett Prettyman, U.S. Court of Appeals; Herbert Brownell, former U.S. Attorney General, and presently president of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York; James M. Landis, former dean, Harvard Law School, and former Special Assistant to President Kennedy; N. L. Nathanson, professor of law, Northwestern University; and Ralph Fuchs, professor of law, Indiana University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, with testimony from Senators Boggs and Brewster; Dr. Kenneth O. Johnston, Dr. Jack Matthews, and Dr. John V. Irwin, all of the American Speech & Hearing Association; J. T. Baldini, National Association for Retarded Children, New York; William C. Geer, Dr. Frances Connor, and Dr. Mamie Jo Jones, Council for Exceptional Children; Francis Bosworth, Friends Neighborhood Guild, Philadelphia, and the National Federation of Settlements & Neighborhood Centers; and Glenn S. Jensen, Adult Education Association of the U.S., Chicago.

Subcommittee also received testimony from the following panel of witnesses: Dr. E. L. Keller, continuing education services, Pennsylvania State University; Dr. Fred Harrington, president, University of Wisconsin; Dr. Paul Sheats, dean, university extension, University of California, Berkeley; and Dr. Raymond V. Phillips, director, summer session and evening division, University of Vermont.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FARM EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Migratory Labor Subcommittee held hearings on S. 527, proposed Voluntary Farm Employment Service Act, having as its witnesses John F. Henning, Under Secretary of Labor; Walter Knodel, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; Charles Creuziger, Vegetable Growers' Association of America; and Ed Dean, Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, Tex.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 17.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original concurrent resolution in lieu of S. Res. 145, to print as a Senate document selected excerpts on the 1963–64 national high school debate subject of medicare; S. Res. 152, to print as a Senate document a study entitled "Problems and Trends in Atlantic Partnership—II"; S. Res. 156, to print as a Senate document "Selected Reports of the Administrative Conference of the U.S."; S. Res. 157, to print additional copies of Judiciary Committee hearings on "Pacifica Foundation"; and an original resolution authorizing the printing of the 65th annual report of the National Society of the DAR.

Committee discussed, but took no action on, S. Res. 136, to establish a Select Committee To Study Railroad Financing.

SENIOR CITIZENS

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held an executive organizational meeting and announced that it had adopted its rules of procedure, and agreed to the creation of subcommittees and assignments thereto as follows:

Subcommittee on Housing for the Elderly: Senators Moss, chairman, Clark, Engle, Williams of New Jersey, Church, Randolph, Muskie, Carlson, Keating, and Mechem;

Subcommittee on Employment and Retirement Incomes: Senators Church, chairman, Randolph, Bible, Long of Missouri, Moss, Prouty, Fong, and Mechem;

Subcommittee on Federal, State, and Community Services: Senators Engle, Bible, Clark, Kennedy, Goldwater, and Dirksen;

Subcommittee on Frauds: Senators Williams of New Jersey, Neuberger, Morse, Church, Muskie, Long of Missouri, Kennedy, Keating, Prouty, Fong, and Mechem;

Subcommittee on Health: Senators McNamara, Engle, Neuberger, Morse, Clark, Muskie, Long of Missouri, Moss, Dirksen, Goldwater, Carlson, and Fong.

Committee also discussed staffing assignments.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 6988–7018; 8 private bills, H.R. 7019–7026; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 470–474, H. Con. Res. 177, and H. Res. 397–403, were introduced. Pages 10741–10742

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5932, relating to health and life insurance benefits for D.C. teachers (H. Rept. 380);

H. Res. 401, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 101, to extend the provisions excluding peanuts marketed by a producer for consumption as boiled peanuts from peanut marketing penalties through 1965 (H. Rept. 381);

H. Res. 402, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.J. Res. 247, to suspend for the 1964 campaign the equal-opportunity requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for nominees for the offices of President and Vice President (H. Rept. 382); and

H. Res. 403, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 4347, relating to the construction of Veterans' Administration hospitals (H. Rept. 383). Page 10741

State-Justice-Commerce Appropriations: The Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to file by midnight Friday a report on the bill making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies for fiscal year 1964. Page 10683

Area Redevelopment: By a record vote of 204 yeas to 209 nays the House rejected H.R. 4996, to amend certain provisions of the Area Redevelopment Act, following adoption of a committee substitute amendment that supplied new text. The committee amendment was amended to bar aid to any foreign corporations operating in the United States. A recommittal motion had been rejected by a voice vote earlier.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Change the eligibility requirements to both reduce and increase the number of areas to be designated as distressed areas;

Prevent industrial loans that would tend to shift unemployment or create new distressed areas;

Cut back authorizations for public facility loans and grants as well as commercial and industrial loans and grants; and

Prevent changes in regulations by the Administrator.

H. Res. 361, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 10683–10724

Bills Referred: 24 Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 10740–10741

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3818 (a clean bill to be introduced), regarding increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California.

FOOD STAMP

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 5733, the Food Stamp Act of 1963, and heard testimony from Department of Agriculture officials; and public witnesses.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Hechler, Blatnik, and Jennings.

Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

RESERVE PROGRAM—FALLOUT SHELTER

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4241 (a clean bill to be introduced), regarding the 6-month Reserve training program.

Held an open hearing with testimony from various public witnesses on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill.

D.C. FUNDS INCREASE—SCHOOL BUDGET

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 held a hearing on H.R. 6125, to provide for a separate school budget for the District of Columbia, and heard testimony from Representative Schwengel.

Following the hearing subcommittee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6177, to increase the Federal payment to D.C. by $13 million for the fiscal year 1964 and each fiscal year thereafter; and H.R. 4277, to increase the borrowing authority for the general fund of D.C. from $75 million to $150 million.

DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on extending the National Defense Education Act. Heard testimony from Representative Ryan of Michigan, Smith of Iowa, Hanna, Snyder, and Moorhead.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5625, regarding the National Service Corps, and heard testimony from William R. Anderson, Special Consultant to the President, and Director, National Service Corps Study Group.

WORK HOURS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on hours of work and their impact on employment. Heard testimony from a Department of Labor official.

BURMA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing by John S. Everton, U.S. Ambassador to Burma.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems, and heard testimony from Lt. Gen. Walter K. Wilson, Chief of Engineers; and other Corps of Engineers officials. Hearings continue Thursday, June 13.

DEFENSE CONTRACTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations held a hearing on the new Department of Defense rules for the avoidance of conflicts of interest among Defense contractors. Testimony was given by Adam Yarmolinsky, Special Assistant to the Secretary of Defense; Graeme C. Bannerman, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Procurement); and Dr. Eugene Subini, Office of Director of Defense Research and Engineering. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

HOUSE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following resolutions:

H. Res. 251, to print as a House document the eulogies and other pertinent matter presented in honor of the late Honorable James Patrick McGranery;

H. Res. 343, authorizing the printing of the eulogies to Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt delivered in the House of Representatives, as a House document, and 13,550 additional copies (25 for each Member and Senator);

H. Res. 357, authorizing the printing of 10,000 additional copies of H. Rept. 119, 86th Congress, "Patterns of Communist Espionage";

H. Res. 358, authorizing the printing of 10,000 additional copies of "Communist Youth Activities (Eighth World Youth Festival, Helsinki, Finland, 1962)";

H. Res. 359, authorizing the printing of 7,000 additional copies of "Communist and Trotskyist Activity Within the Greater Los Angeles Chapter of the Fair Play for Cuba Committee," 87th Congress;

H. Res. 360, authorizing the printing of 10,000 additional copies of "Communist Propaganda—And the Truth—About Conditions in Soviet Russia (Testimony of David P. Johnson)," 87th Congress;

H. Con. Res. 161, authorizing the printing of 20,000 additional copies of "Facts on Communism—Volume I, The Communist Ideology"; and "Facts on Communism—Volume II, The Soviet Union, From Lenin to Khrushchev";

H. Con. Res. 162, authorizing the printing of 10,000 additional copies of the Annual Report of the Committee on Un-American Activities for 1961;

H. Con. Res. 163, authorizing the printing of 10,000 additional copies of parts 1 and 2, "Communist Outlets for the Distribution of Soviet Propaganda in the United States";

H. Con. Res. 164, authorizing the printing of 6,000 additional copies of "U.S. Communist Party Assistance to Foreign Communist Governments (Medical Aid to Cuba Committee and Friends of British Guiana), Parts 1 and 2," 87th Congress;

S. Con. Res. 30, authorizing reprinting of Senate Judiciary Committee print entitled "Concentration Ratios in Manufacturing Industry, 1958";

S. Con. Res. 32, authorizing reprint of hearings of Senate Select Committee on Small Business on "Space Satellite Communications";

S. Con. Res. 35, authorizing the printing of additional copies of part 1 of the Joint Economic Committee's hearings on the January 1963 Economic Report of the President, current Congress;

S. Con. Res. 37, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the Senate Judiciary Committee's report and hearings on "State Department Security";

S. Con. Res. 43, authorizing the printing of additional copies of hearings of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy on "Development, Growth, and State of the Atomic Energy Industry";

H. Res. 393, authorizing the Committee on Armed Services to employ two additional staff members. The resolution was amended in subcommittee to provide only one additional staff member; and

H. Res. 291, authorizing the payment of death gratuities in the case of certain employees under the jurisdiction of the Architect of the Capitol who are assigned to duty in the House of Representatives.

INTERIOR—INSULAR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6481, to permit the government of Guam to authorize a public authority to undertake urban renewal and housing activities; and

H.R. 976 (amended), to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire and add certain lands to the Salem Maritime National Historic Site in Massachusetts.

Passed over H.R. 3198, to promote the economic and social development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

NORTHWEST POWER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 1007 (amended), to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority.

SAFETY STANDARDS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 1341 (amended), to require passenger-carrying motor vehicles purchased for use by the Federal Government to meet certain safety standards prescribed by the Secretary of Commerce.

SOUND RECORDINGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 6138, regarding the recording of proceedings in U.S. district courts by means of electronic sound recordings as well as by shorthand or mechanical means. Testimony was given by Warren Olney III, Director of the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts; and John Biggs, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals (Third Circuit).

PARCEL POST

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session on H.R. 5795, regarding rates of postage on fourth-class mail. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, June 13.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads, held a hearing on H.R. 4154, relating to apportionment of funds for extensions of the Federal-aid primary and Federal-aid secondary system within urban areas; H.R. 5590, to prohibit participation of Federal-aid funds in certain State or local taxes; H.R. 6044, to provide for the submission of certain cost estimates for the completion of the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways; and H.R. 6140, relating to construction standards on the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways. Heard testimony from Arthur Schoenhaut, Assistant Director, Civil Accounting and Auditing Division, General Accounting Office.

PEANUTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 101, to extend the provisions excluding peanuts marketed by a producer for consumption as boiled peanuts from peanut marketing penalties through 1965.

Representative Matthews was heard on the request for a rule.

VA HOSPITALS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 4347, to require the Veterans' Administration to submit plans for new hospital construction or alteration to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, which may disapprove proposed construction by resolution.

Representative Teague of Texas was heard on the request for a rule.

EQUAL TIME—PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.J. Res. 247, to suspend for the 1964 campaign the equal-opportunity requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for nominees for the offices of President and Vice President.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Sciences met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans. Heard testimony from a representative of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Hearings continue Thursday, June 13.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Made tentative decisions regarding multiple surtax exemptions; 2-percent tax on consolidated returns; and corporate rate on capital gains.

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HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on FBI and Disarmament Agency.
House passed tax rate extension bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 16 bills and 8 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1705–1720; S.J. Res. 89; S. Con. Res. 48–49; and S. Res. 159–163. Pages 10753–10754

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 2821, authorizing modification of the repayment contract with the Grand Valley Water Users' Association (S. Rept. 237);

H.R. 131, providing for the renewal of certain long-term water supply contracts under the Reclamation Project Act (S. Rept. 238);

H.R. 3845, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act so as to assure that only small producers will receive benefits (S. Rept. 239);

S. 1066, a private bill (S. Rept. 240);

H.R. 3120, to simplify the administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act (S. Rept. 241);

H.R. 6441, to extend the filing date of a report on study of State taxation of interstate commerce being made by the House Committee on the Judiciary (S. Rept. 242);

H.R. 2513, requiring new packages of imported articles to be marked so as to indicate country of origin (S. Rept. 243);

S. Res. 152, to print as a Senate document a study entitled "Problems and Trends in Atlantic Partnership—II" (S. Rept. 244);

S. Res. 156, to print as a Senate document "Selected Reports of the Administrative Conference of the U.S." (S. Rept. 245);

S. Res. 157, to print additional copies of Judiciary Committee hearings on "Pacifica Foundation" (S. Rept. 246);

H.R. 220, permitting the conversion or exchange of policies of national service life insurance to a new modified plan, with amendments (S. Rept. 247);

S. Con. Res. 48, to print as a Senate document selected excerpts on the 1963–64 national high school debate subject of medicare (S. Rept. 248);

S. Res. 159, authorizing the printing of the 65th annual report of the National Society of the DAR (S. Rept. 249); and

S. 1163, proposing several amendments to the Area Redevelopment Act, with amendments, and with minority and individual views (S. Rept. 250). Page 10753

Bill Referred: H.R. 6868, making appropriations for the legislative branch for fiscal year 1964, was received from House and referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 10751

FBI: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 603, providing for appointment of Director and Associate Director of the FBI for 15-year terms. Pages 10842–10844

Disarmament: S. 777, to increase authorizations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 10844–10849

Private Bill: Senate concurred (with an amendment) in House amendment to S. 74, private bill, and returned the bill to the House. Pages 10851–10852

Veterans: S. 412, authorizing VA to waive or release claims following default and loss of property by the borrower veteran under certain conditions, remained Senate's unfinished business at adjournment. Pages 10815, 10852

Treaty Received: Consular convention between U.S. and Japan, together with protocol relating thereto, signed at Tokyo on March 22, 1963, was received (Ex. I, 88th Cong., 1st sess.)—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Pages 10763–10764

Nomination: One Army nomination was received. Page 10854

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1245, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal 1964, with further testimony from Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, who was accompanied by other NASA officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow, in executive session, when Defense Department witnesses will be heard on the military space program.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony from Senators Cotton and McIntyre, on funds for Portsmouth Harbor, N.H., and Maine; Senators Miller, Yarborough, and Tower, on funds for various projects in their States; Senators Proxmire and Nelson, on funds for Kenosha Harbor and Kickapoo River flood control reservoir, Wisconsin; Representative Brooks, on funds for Wallisville Reservoir and McGee Bend Dam, Tex.; Representative Wright, on funds for Fort Worth flood control project; and former Senator and Gov. Price Daniels, of Texas, on funds for Wallisville Reservoir.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRCRAFT DEVELOPMENT CONTRACT

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued its hearings in connection with the awarding of a research and development contract for two aircraft to Bell Aerospace Corp., on which contract the Douglas Aircraft Co. was also a bidder, having as its witnesses James H. Wakelin, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research and Development; and Dr. Harold Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1033, establishing a uniform system of time standards and measurement for the U.S., and to require the observance thereof for all purposes (amended); and 129 nominations in the Coast Guard.

Committee, by a vote of 8 to 7, rejected S. 534, authorizing admittance of the vessel *City of New Orleans* to American registry.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses George H. Shaver, Shaver Transportation Co., Portland, Oreg.; David A. Wright, president, Marine Service, Inc., New York; Mrs. Tom Ragland, Nashville; and Walter G. Baskerville, Sr., Upper Mississippi Towing Corp., Minneapolis.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills: H.R. 3537, increasing the jurisdiction of the municipal court for the D.C. in civil actions, and to change the name of the court; S. 489, to allow hearing time to be set by controlling statutes in the D.C. small claims court; S. 490, eliminating requirement that an alphabetical file on motor vehicle and trailer liens be kept by the D.C.; H.R. 4330, proposed D.C. Business Corporation Act amendments (amended); S. 628, to broaden the definition of "slum or blighted area" under the D.C. Redevelopment Act; S. 646, prohibiting the location of chanceries of foreign governments in certain residential areas in the D.C. (amended); S. 995, granting the D.C. the right to close streets in urban renewal areas under certain circumstances; H.R. 1937, to make punishable on the same basis as perjury the making of false statements under oath relative to applications for licenses for the sale of insurance in the D.C.; S. 485, requiring payment of $1 fee for each auto reinspection subsequent to initial reinspection; S. 1401, authorizing the D.C. Commissioners to construct and operate a public offstreet parking facility; H.R. 5081, permitting sale of a right-of-way across the District Training School to the Baltimore Gas & Electric Co. (amended); and S. 1082, to establish in the Treasury a correctional industries fund for the D.C.

Prior to this action, in executive session, the Fiscal Affairs Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration S. 485, 1401, 1082, and H.R. 5081.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, receiving testimony from Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Maxwell Taylor.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 17, when AID Administrator David E. Bell will resume testifying.

MITCHEL FIELD

Committee on Government Operations: Committee met in executive session to consider further the negotiated sale of Mitchel Field, Nassau County, Long Island, N.Y., and reconsidered motion by Senator Javits to request the Administrator of General Services to consult further with the Departments of Health, Education, and Welfare and the Interior, and voted to defeat this motion.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure continued its hearings on S. 1664, to establish a permanent Administrative Conference of the U.S., with testimony from Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, and Everett Hutchinson, member, both of the ICC; Webster P. Maxson, Director, Office of Administrative Procedure, Department of Justice; Manuel F. Cohen, member, SEC; Max D. Paglin, General Counsel, FCC; and Earl W. Kintner, an attorney of Washington, D.C., and former Chairman of the FTC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TRUTH IN PACKAGING

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 387, to prohibit unfair methods of packaging and labeling consumers' commodities in interstate commerce.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, having as its witnesses Senator Bayh; Max Baer, B'nai B'rith; Rev. James L. Vizzard, S.J., National Catholic Rural Life Conference; Thomas D'Alesandro III, president, Baltimore City Council; Robert Burnett, National Congress of American Indians; and Cenoria Johnson, National Urban League.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 18.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, with testimony from Senator Mundt; Miss Germaine Krettek, Washington office, American Library Association; Miss Helen Miller, Idaho State librarian, Boise; Emerson Greenaway, director, Free Library of Philadelphia; George T. Pratt, the Clarke School for the Deaf, Northampton, Mass.; Oscar Rose, superintendent of schools, Midwest City, Okla.; John L. Fitzpatrick, superintendent of schools, Chicopee, Mass.; and James R. Cowan, superintendent of the San Juan Unified School District, Carmichael, Calif.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 283 postmaster nominations; S. 622, to encourage collective bargaining between the management of the Alaska Railroad and representatives of its employees; and H.R. 1819, to amend the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act so as to provide additional choice of health benefits plans.

Prior to this action, the Civil Service Subcommittee in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 622, and the Subcommittee on Health Benefits and Life Insurance approved for full committee consideration H.R. 1819.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 530, to provide for a study of means of making the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence Seaway available for year-round navigation (amended); H.J. Res. 82, to change the name of Short Mountain lock and dam and reservoir, in Oklahoma, to Robert S. Kerr lock and dam and reservoir; H.R. 5367, designating the Bear Creek Dam on the Lehigh River, in Pennsylvania, as the Francis E. Walter Dam; S. 130, changing the name of Fort Randall Reservoir, S. Dak., to Lake Francis Case; S. 131, changing the name of Big Bend Reservoir, S. Dak., to Lake Sharpe; S. 142, designating lake formed by Clark Canyon Dam, Mont., as Hap Hawkins Lake; S. 453, to change the name of the Memphis lock and dam, Alabama, to Aliceville lock and dam; S. 850, to change the name of Bruces Eddy Dam and Reservoir, Idaho, to the Dworshak Dam and Reservoir; S. 1523, to make certain changes in the functions of the Beach Erosion Board and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors (amended); S. 626, increasing limitation on payments for construction engineering for Federal-aid primary, secondary, and urban highway projects (amended); S. 1416, to provide for the submission of certain cost estimates for the completion of the national highway system; S. 1139, to repeal a portion of the law relating to the purchase and installation of air-conditioning equipment in Government buildings; and S. 254, authorizing acquisition of certain D.C. land as an addition to the grounds of the Supreme Court building.

Committee approved watershed projects at Buck Creek, Ky., and Upper Rock Creek, Md.

Also, the committee approved the following public buildings projects: (1) U.S. Patent Office building on available Government land or on a site to be donated in Howard or Anne Arundel Counties, Md.—estimated cost $48.2 million; (2) National Science Foundation building, in Washington, D.C.—estimated cost of $4.5 million; (3) Department of Labor building in the D.C.—estimated cost of $47.6 million; (4) U.S. Tax Court building in the D.C.—estimated cost of $9.8 million; (5) post office and Federal office building in Horicon, Wis.—estimated cost of $219,700; and (6) post office and Federal office building at Edwardsville, Ill.—estimated cost $507,900.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 7027–7056; 6 private bills, H.R. 7057–7062; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 475–478, and H. Con. Res. 178 and 179, were introduced. Pages 10896–10897

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2838, to amend U.S. Code relating to transcripts furnished by court reporters for the district courts (H. Rept. 384);

H.R. 2985, to amend U.S. Code relating to venue of U.S. district courts in civil actions on tort claims (H. Rept. 385);

H.J. Res. 467, to extend for 2 years the broadened eligibility presently provided for mortgage insurance under National Housing Act (H. Rept. 386); and

H.R. 5795, to repeal the provisions of law relating to the fixing by the Postmaster General, with the consent of the Interstate Commerce Commission, of rates of postage on fourth-class mail (H. Rept. 387). Page 10896

Coast Guard Appropriations: H.R. 79, to require authorization for certain appropriations for the Coast Guard, was cleared for Presidential action by House concurrence to a Senate amendment thereto. Page 10857

Tax Rate Extension: By a record vote of 283 yeas to 91 nays the House passed without amendment H.R. 6755, to provide a 1-year extension of the existing corporate normal-tax rate and of certain excise-tax rates. A motion to recommit the bill had been rejected earlier by a voice vote. H. Res. 396, the closed rule under which the bill was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 10858–10871

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of June 19. Page 10871

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session for a discussion on pending watershed projects.

ANIMAL QUARANTINE STATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight and Consumer Relations heard testimony from Representative Joelson, and Department of Agriculture officials, on H.R. 1642, to establish an animal quarantine station in New York-New Jersey port area.

Following the open hearing, met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

MILITARY REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate and Construction met in executive session and approved several pending military real estate projects.

FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.J. Res. 467, to extend section 221 of the National Housing Act, relating to the Federal Housing Administration.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session on H.R. 405, the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on pending legislation. No announcements were made.

CONSUMER PROTECTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session and approved a report entitled "Consumer Protection Activities of State Governments (Part I—The Regulation of Drugs and Related Projects)."

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems, and heard testimony from representatives of the U.S. Coast Guard. Hearings continue Friday, June 14.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

LEAD-ZINC INDUSTRY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held hearings concerning conditions in the domestic lead-zinc mining industries. Heard testimony from Representatives White, Burton, and Lloyd; departmental officials; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

IMMIGRATION—POPULATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 heard testimony from a public witness on immigration and population study (population of Western Europe).

SOUND RECORDINGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6138 (amended), regarding the recording of proceedings in U.S. district courts by means of electronic sound recordings as well as by shorthand or mechanical means; and several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on bills relating to civil rights, and heard testimony from Representative Diggs; and public witnesses.

PARCEL POST

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5795 (amended), to grant Congress authority to set rates of postage for fourth-class mail (parcel post).

DATA PROCESSING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Government Statistics heard testimony from public witnesses on the use of electronic data processing equipment in the Federal Government.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4559, regarding apportionment of funds for extensions of the Federal-aid road systems within urban areas on the basis of population; H.R. 6141 (amended), to provide for submission of cost estimates for the completion of the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways; and H.R. 6109, regarding regulation of advertising along rights-of-way on the Interstate Highway System.

MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Rules: Concluded hearings on H.R. 3881, urban mass transportation bill. No action was taken. Testimony was given by Representatives Derwinski, Brock, and Taft.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans. Heard testimony from a representative of the American Legion.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution (when an independent businessman's supplier is also his competitor). Heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

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Monday, June 17, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed nine sundry measures, including bill on Disarmament Agency, which was passed with floor amendments after reconsideration of its passage on June 13.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10925–10957

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1721–1730; and S.J. Res. 90.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 1819, to amend the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act so as to provide additional choice of health benefits plans (S. Rept. 251);

H.R. 1492, private bill (S. Rept. 252);

S. 1326, directing the sale of reserved mineral rights to surface owners of a 53-acre tract of land in South Carolina, with amendment (S. Rept. 253);

S. 1154, providing for the sale of the mineral rights of a 66-acre tract of land in Minnesota to the surface owners, with amendments (S. Rept. 254);

S. 614, authorizing use of water from San Juan-Chama unit of the Colorado River storage project for recreational purposes at Chochiti Reservoir, with amendments (S. Rept. 255);

S. 622, to encourage collective bargaining between the management of the Alaska Railroad and representatives of its employees, with amendment (S. Rept. 256);

S. 851, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande (S. Rept. 257);

H.R. 3574, providing for the withdrawal and use of public lands at Cuddeback Lake Air Force Range, Calif., by the Air Force (S. Rept. 258);

H.J. Res. 180, authorizing continued use of certain lands in Sequoia National Park by portions of an existing hydroelectric project in California (S. Rept. 259); and

S. 1185, authorizing exchange of certain lands between the U.S., the State of Oregon, and the C. & B. Livestock Co., with amendment (S. Rept. 260).

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Bill Referred: H.R. 6755, to provide a 1-year extension of the existing corporate normal-tax rate and of certain excise-tax rates, was received from the House, and referred to Committee on Finance. **Page 10926**

President's Communication—Department of Labor: Communication from the President transmitting an amendment to the budget for fiscal year 1964 involving a proposed provision for the Department of Labor was received, referred to Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 23. **Page 10926**

President's Communication—Supersonic Aircraft: Communication from the President relating to the proposed development of a supersonic commercial transport aircraft was received and referred to Committee on Commerce. **Page 10926**

Disarmament: By unanimous consent, the actions of the Senate on June 13 in passing with committee amendments S. 777, to increase authorizations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, were reconsidered, and the bill, by 59 yeas to 14 nays, was again passed with committee amendments as amended by adoption of three amendments: (1) By Senator Hickenlooper to limit the Agency's contract-making authority to U.S. organizations, (2) by Senator Lausche to make certain that a two-thirds affirmative vote be taken on approval of any disarmament treaty, and (3) by Senator Aiken (modified) barring use of funds for dissemination within U.S. of propaganda in support of any pending legislation concerning the Agency's work.

Motion to reconsider passage of the bill was tabled. **Pages 10931–10932, 10957–10965**

Printing: S. Res. 159, authorizing the printing of the 65th annual report of the National Society of the DAR. **Pages 10968, 10992**

Sundry Measures Passed: Senate, by unanimous consent, took the following seven measures from the calendar and passed them as indicated:

Water: H.R. 2821, authorizing modification of the repayment contract with the Grand Valley Water Users' Association (without amendment and cleared for President);

Taxation: H.R. 6441, to extend the filing date of a report on study of State taxation of interstate commerce being made by the House Committee on the Judiciary (without amendment and cleared for President);

Printing: S. Con. Res. 48, to print as a Senate document selected excerpts on the 1963–64 national high school debate subject of medicare;

Printing: S. Res. 152, to print as a Senate document a study entitled "Problems and Trends in Atlantic Partnership—II";

Printing: S. Res. 156, to print as a Senate document "Selected Reports of the Administrative Conference of the U.S.";

Printing: S. Res. 157, to print additional copies of Judiciary Committee hearings on "Pacifica Foundation"; and

Private bill: S. 1066. **Pages 10966–10968**

Veterans: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 242, authorizing VA to waive or release claims following default and loss of property by the borrower veteran under certain conditions, and the bill was then passed with an amendment by Senator Yarborough to add a new section requiring annual report to Congress of actions taken under the legislation.

S. 412, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. **Pages 10966, 10992–10994**

Veterans: S. 625, including within the definition of "VA facilities" private hospitals under contract to the VA in States without such facilities (Alaska and Hawaii), was made Senate's unfinished business. **Pages 10994, 10997**

Confirmations: 282 postmaster nominations were confirmed. **Pages 10999–11000**

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Eugene G. Fubini, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; W. Michael Blumenthal, of New Jersey, to be Deputy Special Representative for Trade Negotiations with the rank of Ambassador; and 153 postmaster nominations. **Pages 10998–10999**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 1245, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal 1964, with further testimony from Robert C. Seamans, Associate Administrator, and other NASA officials.

On Friday, June 14, committee heard testimony on space programs as they pertain to their respective Departments from Dr. Harold Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, DOD; and Gen. Bernard A. Schriever, Commander, Air Force Systems Command.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Mr. Seamans.

APPROPRIATIONS—BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation, receiving testimony from Senators Moss and Metcalf, on funds for projects in their respective States; and Governors John A. Love, of Colorado, Jack M. Campbell, of New Mexico, George D. Clyde, of Utah, and Cliff Hansen, of Wyoming, all of whom directed their remarks to proposed funds for projects in their respective States, and the Silt Project.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 20.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, June 14, subcommittee concluded its hearings on proposed fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, after receiving testimony from several public witnesses on various items in the bill.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for projects in their respective States from Senators Neuberger, Boggs, Gruening, Douglas, Church, Moss, and Fong; and Senator Burdick, on funds for the Bowman-Haley project in North Dakota.

On Friday, June 14, subcommittee received testimony from Senator Dodd, on funds for New London hurricane protection; Senator Bartlett, on funds for various projects in his State; Representative Morton, on funds for survey of Tilghman Island, Md.; and former Senator Benjamin Smith, on funds for Gloucester Harbor. Senators Dodd and Bartlett accompanied and introduced witnesses from their respective States.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIRCRAFT DEVELOPMENT CONTRACT

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, June 14, Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued its hearings in connection with the awarding of a research and development contract for two aircraft to the Bell Aerospace Corp., on which contract the Douglas Aircraft Co. was also a bidder, having as its witness Roswell L. Gilpatric, Deputy Secretary of Defense.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RAILROAD FREIGHT CARS

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee held hearings on S. 1063, to insure the adequacy of the national railroad freight car supply, having as its witnesses Senators Curtis and Hruska; Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; and Eldon Martin, vice president, Burlington Lines, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 25.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: On Friday, June 14, the Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, with testimony from F. A. Mechling, A. L. Mechling Barge Lines, Inc., Joliet, Ill.; J. H. Williams, Rebel Towing Co., Houston; Edmund D. Osbourne, Pittsburgh Towing Co., Pennsylvania; and N. L. Caruthers, New Orleans.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, receiving further testimony from Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

Hearings continue tomorrow when AID Administrator David E. Bell will resume testifying.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, June 14, committee held open hearings in connection with its study of the activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, having as its witnesses John Nagel, formerly of the International News Service, and currently of the Special Services Bureau of the United Press International; Earl Johnson and C. Edmonds Allen, both of United Press International; and Robert N. Taylor, U.S. Press Association, all of whom were questioned with regard to services provided by their respective news agencies.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

U.S. MISSIONS ABROAD

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations continued its hearings on the role and problems of U.S. Ambassadors and U.S. missions abroad, having as its witness H. Freeman Matthews, a recently retired career Ambassador in the Foreign Service.

On Friday, June 14, subcommittee heard testimony on this subject from Ellis O. Briggs, also a recently retired career Ambassador of the Foreign Service.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, June 14, subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of John M. Cannella, to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of New York, with testimony from Senator Javits, and Representative Farbstein. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, June 14, Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure continued its hearings on S. 1664, to establish a permanent Administrative Conference of the U.S., with testimony from Elmer B. Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget, who was accompanied by his associates; Harold L. Russell and Ashley Sellers, both of the Special Committee on Legal Services and Procedure, American Bar Association; John D. Lane, an attorney of Washington, D.C.; and Bernard A. Foster, Section on Minerals and Natural Resources Law, American Bar Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, June 14, Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, having as its witnesses Senator Fong; Barry Morris, Department of Audio-Visual Instruction, and Robert A. Luke, National Association of Public School Educators, both of the National Education Association; Leo Pfeffer, American Jewish Congress, New York; and Richard W. Cortright, Laubach Literacy Fund, Inc., Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 25.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution began a series of hearings on S. 649, establishing within the Department of HEW a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, and related measures (S. 737, 1118, and 1183), receiving testimony from Dr. Nathanial Wollman, professor of economics, University of New Mexico; Murray Stein, Public Health Service, HEW; John Gunther, executive director, U.S. Conference of Mayors; Milton P. Adams, consulting engineer, State and Interstate Water Pollution Control Administrators; and Charles Gallison, National Audubon Society, following which testimony these witnesses joined in a panel discussion of this proposed legislation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 7063–7082; 12 private bills, H.R. 7083–7094; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 479, H. Con. Res. 180 and 181, and H. Res. 404, were introduced. Pages 10924–10925

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7063, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, for fiscal year 1964, filed on June 14 (H. Rept. 388);

H.R. 2827, to continue the suspension and reduction of duty on chicory, amended (H. Rept. 389);

H.R. 2651, extension of period relating to placement and foster care of dependent children (H. Rept. 390);

H.R. 6246, relating to the deductibility of accrued vacation pay (H. Rept. 391); and

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 392). Page 10924

Private Bill: S. 74, a private bill, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to a Senate amendment to a House amendment to the bill. Page 10907

Consent Calendar: On the call of the Consent Calendar the following two bills were passed:

Sent to the Senate, without amendment:

Navigation rules exception: H.R. 75, to provide for exceptions to the rules of navigation in certain cases.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

D.C. Code: H.R. 4157, to revise, codify, and enact part II of the D.C. Code "Judiciary and Judicial Procedure."

Eligible bills not considered:

Objected to: S. 969, 1036, and H.R. 4837.

Passed over without prejudice: H.J. Res. 403, H.R. 73, 228, 2876, 3050, 3438, 3517, 3999, 4062, 4818, 5781, 5905, 5930, and 6012. Pages 10909–10910

Suspension Passages: By voice votes the House suspended the rules and passed the following bills without amendment:

Mortgage insurance: H.J. Res. 467, amending section 221 of the National Housing Act to extend for 2 years the broadened eligibility presently provided for mortgage insurance thereunder. Pages 10911–10912

Retired Federal employees' health: H.R. 3517, relating to removal of 2-percent limitation on administrative expenses of retired Federal employees' health benefits. Pages 10912–10914

Capitol Architect employees' retirement: H.R. 5377, to amend the Civil Service Retirement Act in order to extend to the Architect of the Capitol and employees under his Office the civil service retirement provisions which now apply to other congressional employees. Pages 10914–10915

D.C. temporary teachers' health: H.R. 5932, to amend the Federal Employees' Health Benefits Act of 1959 so as to authorize certain teachers employed by the Board of Education of the District of Columbia to participate in a health benefits plan established pursuant to such act and to amend the Federal Employees' Group Life Insurance Act of 1954, so as to extend insurance coverage to such teachers. Pages 10915–10916

Bill Referred: S. 603, to provide for the appointment of a Director and Associate Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation for 15-year terms by the President with the approval of the Senate, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. **Page 10923**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

STATE-JUSTICE-COMMERCE-JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, June 14, met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7063, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, Commerce, and the Judiciary, and related agencies, for fiscal year 1964.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, June 18.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Friday, June 14, Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on urban renewal in the District of Columbia (Adams-Morgan project). Heard testimony from a D.C. official, and public witnesses.

WORK HOURS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on hours of work and their impact upon employment. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, June 18.

NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 6061, to extend the National Defense Education Act. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT ACTIVITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities approved two reports, entitled "Survey of Selected Activities—Efficiency and Economy in the Department of Commerce," and "Survey of Selected Activities—Efficiency and Economy in the Civil Aeronautics Board and the Federal Aviation Agency."

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: On June 14 Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problem. Testimony was given by Jerome B. Wiesner, Special Assistant to the President, and Director of Office of Science and Technology; and Joseph C. Swidler, Chairman, Federal Power Commission.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6218, to authorize additional extensions of time for final proof by certain entrymen under the desert land laws; H.R. 6689, to extend the principles of equitable adjudication to sales under the Alaska Public Sale Act; H.R. 5076 (amended), a private bill; and H.R. 2942, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to adjudicate a claim to certain land in Marengo County, Ala.

Heard testimony from Representatives Martin of California (H.R. 6218); Rivers of Alaska (H.R. 6689); Harrison (H.R. 5076); and Representative Huddleston (H.R. 2942); and departmental witnesses (all measures).

LEAD-ZINC MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, June 14, Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held hearings concerning conditions in the domestic lead-zinc mining industries. Heard testimony from Representative Thomson of Wisconsin; G. Griffith Johnson, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; John M. Kelly, Assistant Secretary of the Interior; and Daniel L. Golding, Acting Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

IMMIGRATION-POPULATION STUDY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 heard testimony from a departmental witness regarding population and immigration study (on captive nations).

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H. Con. Res. 111, to favor observance of July 4 of each year, by the ringing of bells throughout the U.S. of the anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

Prior to executive session held a hearing on H.R. 6086, to increase the membership of the St. Augustine Quadricentennial Commission; and H.J. Res. 339 and H. Con. Res. 111, and related measures (title above). Heard testimony from Representatives Matthews (H.R. 6086); Roosevelt, Dwyer, Morse of Massachusetts, Roush; and an Assistant to Senator Ribicoff (H.J. Res. 339 and H. Con. Res. 111, and related measures).

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Made tentative decisions regarding moving expenses; aggregation of oil and gas properties; and limitation of capital gains on sale of mineral interests.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Ways and Means: On Friday, June 14, met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4174 (amended), regarding 1-year continuation of suspension of duty on metal scrap;

H.R. 2827, to provide a 2-year continuation of suspension of duty on crude chicory and reduction in duty on ground chicory;

H.R. 2651, to continue for 1 year the provision of public welfare amendments of 1962 permitting responsibility for placement and foster care of dependent children to be lodged in public agency other than administering agency;

S. 1359, to provide for an additional Assistant Secretary of the Treasury;

H.R. 2221 (amended), to admit free of duty one mass spectrometer imported for use of Stanford University;

H.R. 3272, to admit free of duty one orthicon image assembly imported for use of the Medical College of Georgia;

H.R. 3297, relating to qualification of certain types of insuring organizations for savings and loan companies;

H.R. 6011, to provide a 3-year suspension of duty on certain istle or Tampico fiber;

H.R. 5712, to suspend for 3 years the duty on heptanoic acid; and

H.R. 2675, regarding a 3-year continuation of suspension of duty on certain tanning extracts and extracts of hemlock or eucalyptus suitable for use for tanning.

Joint Committee Meetings

CIA BRIEFING

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from John A. McCone, Director, Central Intelligence Agency, but made no announcements.

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation concluded executive consideration of pending legislation authorizing funds for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1964.

The full committee will meet to consider this matter on Thursday, June 20.

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5207, proposed Foreign Service Buildings Act amendments (with Senate amendment authorizing payment of Philippine war damage claims), but did not reach final agreement thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Tuesday, June 18, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed State, Justice, Commerce, and Judiciary appropriation bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Wednesday, June 19, at noon.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1245, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal 1964, after receiving further testimony from Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, and other NASA officials.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from William E. Henry, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, and Joseph P. McMurray, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board, both of whom were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, receiving testimony from Senators Long (Louisiana), Fulbright, and McClellan, on funds for Lower Mississippi Valley and Red River Valley projects; Senator Stennis, on funds for Lower Mississippi Valley projects; Senators Yarborough and Monroney and Representatives Waggonner and Purcell, on funds for Red

River Valley projects; Senators Ervin and Jordan of North Carolina, on funds for projects in their State; Senators Fulbright and McClellan, on funds for Arkansas River and Ouachita River projects; Senators Carlson and Pearson and Representatives Trimble and Edmondson, on funds for Arkansas River Basin projects; and Representative Teague of California, on funds for Port Hueneme Harbor.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SECURITIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Securities began a series of hearings on S. 1642, proposing various amendments to the Securities Acts, receiving testimony from William L. Cary, Chairman, who was accompanied by other members and officials of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, receiving further testimony from David E. Bell, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 21, to hear public witnesses.

PRESIDENTIAL INABILITY

Committee on the Judiciary: The Constitutional Amendments Subcommittee resumed its hearings on several joint resolutions proposing amendments to the Constitution with regard to presidential inability, having as its witnesses Representative Wyman; Nicholas deB. Katzenbach, Deputy Attorney General; and Robert A. Koch, Association of the Bar of the City of New York.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on the overall manpower problem with testimony from S. Keith Lynden, vice president, Harvey Aluminum, Inc., who submitted a statement; and James R. Colvin, Guidance & Control Systems Division, Lytton Industries, Canoga Park, Calif.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Migratory Labor Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, having as its witnesses Mrs. Virginia Schroeder Burnham, Greenwich, Conn.; Robert E. Bondy, National Social Welfare Assembly; Miss Margaret Berry, National Federation of Settlement & Neighborhood Centers; William Truitt, National Farmers Union; Ralph Fertig, SE. Neighborhood House, Washington, D.C.; Dr. Walter Barton, American Psychiatric Association; and Dean Conrad, Student Religious Liberals, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 5, establishing a program of readjustment assistance for veterans who served from 1955 to 1963 (amended); and S. 330, to designate State agencies to work with the VA in approving educational courses for war orphans.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: The Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its hearings on S. 649, establishing within the Department of HEW a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, and related measures (S. 737, 1118, and 1183), receiving testimony from Mrs. Haskell Rosenblum, director, League of Women Voters of U.S.; Louis S. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; C. R. Gutermuth, Wildlife Management Institute, who also presented a statement for the Sport Fishing Institute; Gerald J. Remus, Detroit Water Supply and Sewer System; Samuel S. Johnson, National Association of Manufacturers; Sam Thompson, Council of State Governments, who was accompanied by Dr. Mitchell Wendell and Carl Mason, both of Pennsylvania; and James R. Smith, Mississippi Valley Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 33 public bills, H.R. 7095–7127; 7 private bills, H.R. 7128–7134; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 480–489, H. Con. Res. 182, and H. Res. 405 and 406, were introduced. Pages 11066–11067

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4955, to strengthen and improve the quality of vocational education and to expand the vocational educational opportunities in the Nation (H. Rept. 393);

(For details of H. Repts. 394–408 see under "Printing Resolutions");

H. Res. 393, to authorize the Committee on Armed Services to employ an additional employee (H. Rept. 409);

H. Res. 291, authorizing the payment of death gratuities in the case of certain employees under the jurisdiction of the Architect of the Capitol who are assigned to duty in the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 410);

H.R. 2989, to further amend the Missing Persons Act to cover certain persons detained in foreign countries against their will (H. Rept. 411);

H.R. 2998, to amend U.S. Code with respect to the award of certain medals and the Medal of Honor Roll (H. Rept. 412);

H.R. 3179, to provide that judges of the U.S. Court of Military Appeals shall hold office during good behavior (H. Rept. 413);

H.R. 4338, regarding travel and transportation allowance to canceled, revoked, or modified orders (H. Rept. 414);

H.R. 4739, regarding advance movement of dependents, baggage, and household effects (H. Rept. 415);

H.R. 6681, to improve active-duty promotion opportunities of Air Force officers from the grade of major to lieutenant colonel (H. Rept. 416);

H.R. 6767, to amend the U.S. Code to provide gold star lapel buttons for the next of kin of members of the Armed Forces who lost or lose their lives in war, or as a result of cold war incidents (H. Rept. 417);

H.R. 6996, to revise and consolidate the special enlistment active duty for training programs available to Reserve personnel (H. Rept. 418);

H.R. 4174, to continue until the close of June 30, 1964, the suspension of duties for metal scrap, amended (H. Rept. 419); and

H. Res. 405, closed rule, waiving points of order, and providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 6791, to continue for 2 years the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents (H. Rept. 420). Pages 11036, 11065–11066

Printing Resolutions: By voice votes the House adopted the following resolutions authorizing the printing of sundry congressional documents:

H. Res. 251, to provide for the printing as a House document of the eulogies and other pertinent matter presented in honor of the late Honorable James Patrick McGranery (H. Rept. 394);

H. Res. 343, authorizing the printing of eulogies delivered in the House of Representatives as a tribute to Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt as a House document (H. Rept. 395);

H. Res. 357, providing for additional copies of H. Rept. 119, 86th Congress, 1st session entitled "Patterns of Communist Espionage" (H. Rept. 396);

H. Res. 358, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the publication entitled "Communist Youth Activities (Eighth World Youth Festival, Helsinki, Finland, 1962)," 87th Congress, 2d session (H. Rept. 397);

H. Res. 359, providing for additional copies of "Communist and Trotskyist Activity Within the Greater Los Angeles Chapter of the Fair Play for Cuba Committee," 87th Congress, 2d session (H. Rept. 398);

H. Res, 360, providing for additional copies of "Communist Propaganda—And the Truth—About Conditions in Soviet Russia (Testimony of David P. Johnson)," 87th Congress, 2d session (H. Rept. 399);

H. Con. Res. 161, providing for additional copies of H. Doc. 336, 86th Congress, 2d session, entitled "Facts on Communism—Volume I, the Communist Ideology"; and H. Doc. 139, 87th Congress, 1st session, entitled "Facts on Communism—Volume II, The Soviet Union, From Lenin to Khrushchev" (H. Rept. 400);

H. Con. Res. 162, providing for additional copies of H. Rept. 2559, 87th Congress, 2d session (H. Rept. 401);

H. Con. Res. 163, providing for additional copies of the publication entitled "Communist Outlets for the Distribution of Soviet Propaganda in the U.S., Parts 1 and 2" (H. Rept. 402);

H. Con. Res. 164, providing for additional copies of the publication entitled "U.S. Communist Party Assistance to Foreign Communist Governments (Medical Aid to Cuba Committee and Friends of British Guiana), Parts 1 and 2" (H. Rept. 403);

S. Con. Res. 30, to reprint copies of the committee print, 87th Congress, entitled "Part 1 of Concentration Ratios in Manufacturing Industry, 1958" (H. Rept. 404);

S. Con. Res. 32, authorizing the printing for the use of the Senate Select Committee on Small Business of its hearing of the 87th Congress on "Space Satellite Communication" (H. Rept. 405);

S. Con. Res. 35, authorizing the printing of additional copies of part 1 of the hearings of the Joint Economic Committee on the January 1963 Economic Report of the President (H. Rept. 406);

S. Con. Res. 37, authorizing the printing for use of the Senate Committee on the Judiciary of additional copies of a report and hearings on "State Department Security" issued by its Internal Security Subcommittee during the 87th Congress (H. Rept. 407); and

S. Con. Res. 43, authorizing the printing of additional copies of part 1 and part 2 of the 1963 hearings of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy on the "Development, Growth, and State of the Atomic Energy Industry" (H. Rept. 408). Pages 11005–11007

Private Calendar: The following three bills: H.R. 2300, 2706, and 2728, composing the Private Calendar, were passed over without prejudice. Page 11011

Additional Committee Employee: Adopted H. Res. 393, amended to authorize the Committee on Armed Services to employ an additional employee. **Page 11011**

Architect's Employees' Gratuities: Adopted H. Res. 291, authorizing the payment of death gratuities in the case of certain employees under the jurisdiction of the Architect of the Capitol who are assigned to duty in the House of Representatives. **Pages 11011–11012**

State, Justice, Commerce, and Judiciary Appropriations: By a record vote of 301 yeas to 93 nays the House passed H.R. 7063, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies for fiscal year 1964.

Adopted an amendment to provide that no funds be used to pay salaries or expenses of study group for creation of a domestic peace corps or the National Service Corps.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Reduce by $200,000 the representation allowance funds of the State Department;

Cut $19,491,000 from the funds provided for contributions to international organizations; and

Cut $575,000 from funds provided for operation of Commission on Civil Rights.

The bill provides appropriations totaling $1,851,269,900; which amount is $292,156,941 below the 1963 appropriation and $308,622,000 under the budget estimates. **Pages 11012–11036**

Bills Referred: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 11064**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:42 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TOBACCO

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Tobacco held a hearing on tobacco pricing policy by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, and heard testimony from a public witness. Hearings continue Wednesday, June 19.

MILITARY MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 2989 (amended), to extend the Missing Persons Act to include persons detained in foreign countries against their will;

H.R. 3179, to appoint three civilian judges to the U.S. Court of Military Appeals;

H.R. 4338, to authorize travel allowances for travel performed by members of the Armed Forces under orders that are later canceled or modified;

H.R. 4739, regarding the advance movement of the dependents and household effects of a member of the uniformed services who has been directed to a permanent change of station outside the United States;

H.R. 6681, to improve the active duty promotion opportunity of Air Force officers from the grade of major to the grade of lieutenant colonel;

H.R. 2998, to amend U.S. Code with respect to the award of certain medals and the Medal of Honor Roll;

H.R. 6767, to provide gold star lapel buttons for next of kin of members of the Armed Forces who lost or lose their lives in war or as a result of cold war incidents; and

H.R. 6996 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 4241), regarding Reserve training program.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 met in executive session on various bills regarding crime in the District of Columbia. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 5625, the National Service Corps bill. Heard testimony from Representative Carl Perkins; and public witnesses.

ELEMENTARY-SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 5344, the Public Education Improvement Act.

WORK HOURS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on hours of work and their impact on employment. Heard testimony from a Department of Labor official.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problem. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT-MANAGEMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations held a hearing on systems development and management. Testimony was given by John D. Young, Director of Administration, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Stephen P. Lejko, Budget Officer, NASA; and Ralph E. Cushman, Assistant Director of Administration for Field Operations, NASA.

GOVERNMENT ACTIVITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities held a hearing on H.R. 6237, to amend section 503 of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act. Heard testimony from Representative Miller of California; Justice John Harlan, U.S. Supreme Court; Bernard L. Boutin, Administrator, General Services Administration; L. O. Mumford, Librarian of Congress; Wayne Grover, Archivist of the U.S.; and public witnesses.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4149 (amended), to provide for the satisfaction of claims arising out of scrip, lieu selection, and similar rights.

Prior to taking action heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses.

The subcommittee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

OIL–GAS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power began hearings on H.J. Res. 220, to extend the interstate compact on oil and gas. Heard testimony from Jack M. Campbell, Governor of New Mexico.

A statement from Matthew E. Welsh, Governor of Indiana, was presented for the Record.

MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety met in executive session on H.R. 3688, and related bills, the Community Mental Health Centers Act.

WOOD LABELING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 1998 and 6226, the Decorative Wood and Simulated Wood Products Labeling Act; and H.R. 5669, to prohibit the use of the term "mahogany" in interstate commerce in connection with woods that are not in fact mahogany. Heard testimony from Representatives Hemphill and Keith; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman of the Federal Trade Commission; and public witnesses.

AIRCRAFT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 2522, to amend the Federal Aviation Act regarding title to aircraft. Heard testimony from Representative Lindsay; a Federal Aviation Agency official; and public witnesses.

DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 1997, to provide that in direct actions against an insurer based on a contract of liability insurance such insurer may be deemed a citizen of the State of the insured for diversity of citizenship purposes. Heard testimony from Albert P. Tuttle, chief judge, Fifth Judicial Circuit; Frank B. Ellis, U.S. court judge, Eastern District of Louisiana; Albert B. Marris, senior judge, Third Judicial Circuit; and Benjamin C. Dawkins, Jr., chief judge, Western District of Louisiana.

FISHERIES-WILDLIFE PROTECTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held a hearing on H.R. 2857 and 5589, to provide for advance consultation with the Fish and Wildlife Service and with State wildlife services before the beginning of any Federal program involving the use of pesticides or other chemicals designed for mass biological controls; and H.R. 4487 and 5588, to prevent or minimize injury to fish and wildlife from the use of insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, and pesticides. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman's statement was read for the record.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization heard testimony from R. Sargent Shriver, Jr., Director of the Peace Corps, on manpower utilization in the Peace Corps.

DUTY EXEMPTION

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule, waiving points of order, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 6791, regarding exemption from duty for returning residents.

Representative Mills was heard on the request for a rule.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Applications and Tracking and Data Acquisition met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. Made tentative decisions regarding deductibility of State and local taxes; and investment credit. A press release is available on these subjects in the committee room, 1102 Longworth House Office Building.

Wednesday, June 19, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on civil rights and job opportunities.

Senate passed eight sundry bills and took up bill on veterans' service life insurance.

House passed bills on equal-time rule suspension and VA hospital construction.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11075–11132

Bills Introduced: 20 bills and 7 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1731–1750; S.J. Res. 91–95; and S. Res. 164–165. **Pages 11083–11084**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1032, to exclude cargo which is lumber from certain filing requirements under the Shipping Act (S. Rept. 261);

H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, with amendment (S. Rept. 262);

S. 979, providing for the inclusion of a district judge or judges on the judicial council of each circuit, with individual views (S. Rept. 263);

S. 535, extending the principles of equitable adjudication to sales under the Alaska Public Sale Act (S. Rept. 264);

S. 1122, authorizing exchange of lands between the town of Powell, Wyo., and the Presbyterian Retirement Facilities Corp., with amendment (S. Rept. 265);

S. 130, changing the name of Fort Randall Reservoir, S. Dak., to Lake Francis Case (S. Rept. 266);

S. 453, to change the name of the Memphis lock and dam, Alabama, to Aliceville lock and dam (S. Rept. 267);

S. 850, to change the name of Bruces Eddy Dam and Reservoir, Idaho, to the Dworshak Dam and Reservoir (S. Rept. 268);

S. 131, changing the name of Big Bend Reservoir, S. Dak., to Lake Sharpe (S. Rept. 269);

S. 530, to provide for a study of means of making the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence Seaway available for year-round navigation, with amendment (S. Rept. 270);

S. 1523, to make certain changes in the functions of the Beach Erosion Board and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, with amendments (S. Rept. 271);

H.R. 5367, designating the Bear Creek Dam on the Lehigh River in Pennsylvania, as the Francis E. Walter Dam (S. Rept. 272);

H.J. Res. 82, to change the name of Short Mountain lock and dam and reservoir, in Oklahoma, to Robert S. Kerr lock and dam and reservoir (S. Rept. 273);

S. 142, designating lake formed by Clark Canyon Dam, Mont., as Hap Hawkins Lake (S. Rept. 274);

S. 1416, to provide for the submission of certain cost estimates for the completion of the national highway system (S. Rept. 275);

S. 626, increasing limitation on payments for construction engineering for Federal-aid primary, secondary, and urban highway projects, with amendments (S. Rept. 276);

S. 254, authorizing acquisition of certain D.C. land as an addition to the grounds of the Supreme Court building (S. Rept. 277);

S. 1139, to repeal a portion of the law relating to the purchase and installation of air-conditioning equipment in Government buildings (S. Rept. 278);

S.J. Res. 17, designating the O'Mahoney Lake and Recreation Area, Wyo. and Utah, with amendments (S. Rept. 279); and

H.R. 5860, to facilitate the carrying out of voluntary programs for promotion, research, and education relating to livestock (S. Rept. 280). **Page 11083**

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills and concurrent resolutions were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 11074–11075**

President's Message—Civil Rights: President's comprehensive message on Civil Rights and Job Opportunities was received, read, and referred to Committee on the Judiciary. **Pages 11156–11161**

President's Communication—Legislative Appropriations: Communication from President transmitting amendments to the budget for the fiscal year 1964 in the amount of $104,640 for the legislative branch, with an accompanying paper—received, referred to Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 25. **Page 11082**

Sundry Bills Passed: Senate took from calendar and passed, as indicated, seven bills as follows:

Water: H.R. 131, providing for the renewal of certain long-term water supply contracts under the Reclamation

Project Act (without amendment and cleared for President);

Public lands—California: H.R. 3574, providing for the withdrawal and use of public lands at Cuddeback Lake Air Force Range, Calif., by the Air Force (without amendment and cleared for President);

Public lands—Sequoia National Park: H.J. Res. 180, authorizing continued use of certain lands in Sequoia National Park by portions of an existing hydroelectric project in California (without amendment and cleared for President);

Public lands—Oregon: S. 1185, authorizing exchange of certain lands between the U.S., the State of Oregon, and the C. & B. Livestock Co. (with committee amendment);

Colorado River storage project: S. 614, authorizing use of water from San Juan-Chama unit of the Colorado River storage project for recreational purposes at Cochiti Reservoir (with committee amendments);

Public lands—South Carolina: S. 1326, directing the sale of reserved mineral rights to surface owners of a 53-acre tract of land in South Carolina (with committee amendment); and

Public lands—Minnesota: S. 1154, providing for the sale of the mineral rights of a 66-acre tract of land in Minnesota to the surface owners (with committee amendments). Pages 11146–11148, 11152–11155

Veterans: Senate passed S. 625, including within the definition of "VA facilities" private hospitals under contract to the VA in States without such facilities (Alaska and Hawaii), after adopting Bartlett amendment to add a new section providing for termination 10 years after enactment of the authority granted to VA Administrator under clause 4 of section 601(4)(c) of title 38, U.S.C. Pages 11132, 11148–11150

Veterans' Service Life Insurance: Senate took up H.R. 220, permitting the conversion or exchange of policies of national service life insurance to a new modified plan. Pages 11155–11156

Confirmations: Numerous nominations in the Public Health Service were confirmed. Pages 11174

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Sidney W. Bishop, of California, to be Deputy Postmaster General, and Alexander Henry Flax, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force. Pages 11174

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills: S. 51, authorizing relinquishment to Wyoming of the jurisdiction over the Pole Mountain District of Medicine Bow National Forest; S. 1388, to extend the boundaries of the Cache National Forest in Utah by including 1,700 additional acres; S. 582, to extend for 2 years exemption of peanuts for boiling from marketing quotas; S. 400, providing uniform penalties for misuse of feed made available for relieving distress, etc.; S. 581, extending for 2 years provisions for permitting the lease and transfer of tobacco acreage allotments (amended); S. 623, providing for a program of agricultural land development in Alaska; H.R. 5860, to facilitate the carrying out of voluntary programs for promotion, research, and education relating to livestock; and H.R. 40, authorizing funds for State construction of research facilities at State agricultural experiment stations.

Committee also approved seven watershed projects as follows: Buckhorn-Mesa, Ariz.; Tupelo Bayou, Ark.; Naalehu, Hawaii; Bear-Pierce-Cedar, Nebr.; Bellwood, Nebr.; Caney Creek, Okla.; and Thompson Creek, Tenn. (supplemental plan).

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for independent offices, having as its witness Bernard L. Boutin, Administrator, General Services Administration, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 21.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, with testimony from Senators Engle and Kuchel, on funds for various projects in their State; Senator Clark, on funds for Raystown Reservoir, and other Pennsylvania projects; Representatives Baldwin, McFall, Younger, Clausen, Edwards, Hagen, Johnson, Gubser, Teague, Hanna, and Leggett, who testified in behalf of funds for various projects in their respective districts in California; and Representative Whalley, on funds for projects in his district in Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

STOCKPILING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on the National Stockpile met in executive session to discuss its final report, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

SECURITIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Securities continued its hearings on S. 1642, proposing various amendments to the Securities Acts, having as its witnesses Hudson Lemkau, National Association of Securities Dealers; Bayard Dominick, Association of Stock Exchange Firms; and Amyas Ames, Investment Bankers Association of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RADIO AVIGATION CHARTS

Committee on Commerce: The Aviation Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1336, to provide that the price at which the Coast and Geodetic Survey sells radio avigation charts shall not be less than the cost thereof, with testimony from Senators Allott and Dominick; Representatives Rogers of Colorado and Brotzman; Dr. William W. Eaton, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Science and Technology, who was accompanied by Adm. Arnold Karo, Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Gordon Christianson, Assistant General Counsel, all of the Department of Commerce; and E. B. Jeppesen, president, Jeppesen & Co., Denver.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

DRUG REGULATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations held hearings on interagency coordination in drug research and regulation, having as its witnesses Dr. Lowell Coggeshall, Chairman, Commission on Drug Safety, and a former Special Assistant to the Secretary of HEW; Dr. Austin Smith, president, Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association, and Dr. Theodore Clumpp, president, Winthrop Laboratories; and Leroy Burney, vice president for health sciences, Temple University, and former Surgeon General of the U.S.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 26, when representatives of the AMA will be heard.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, having as its witnesses Andrew J. Biemiller, department of legislation, AFL–CIO; Robert L. MacDonald, director of placement, University of Pennsylvania; and Dr. Daniel H. Kruger, school of labor and industrial relations, Michigan State University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, having as its witnesses B. F. Ayer, Council of the Southern Mountains; Sanford Sollender, Jewish Welfare Board; Henry Avery, Pittsburgh Chemical Co.; Dr. Haskell Miller, the Methodist Church; and Curtis Mial, National Training Institute, NEW.

Hearings are tentatively scheduled to continue on Friday, June 21.

FARM EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Migratory Labor Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 527, proposed Voluntary Farm Employment Service Act, with testimony from Representative Leggett; Philip Beck, Department of Agriculture; Rev. Shirley Greene, National Council of Churches; Richard T. O'Connell, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives; Mrs. Grace McDonald, California Farm Research & Legislative Committee; and Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its hearings on S. 649, establishing within the Department of HEW a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, and related measures (S. 737, 1118, and 1183), receiving testimony from Senators Neuberger and Nelson; Dr. Robert J. Anderson, Chief, Bureau of State Services, U.S. Public Health Service; Jack T. Garrett, water resources committee, Manufacturing Chemists Association; John I. Taylor, American Farm Bureau; L. F. Oeming, Michigan Water Resources Commission, Lansing; Robert T. Dennis, Isaac Walton League; and John E. Kinney, sanitary engineering consultant, Ann Arbor, Mich.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 7135–7148; 3 private bills, H.R. 7149–7151; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 490–493; H. Con. Res. 183 and 184, and H. Res. 407 and 408, were introduced. Pages 11226–11227

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5445, regarding unifications or acquisitions of control of freight forwarders under the Interstate Commerce Act, amended (H. Rept. 421);

(Adverse) H. Res. 372, disapproving Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1963 (H. Rept. 422);

H.R. 2221, regarding duty-free entry of mass spectrometer for Stanford University, amended (H. Rept. 423);

H.R. 2675, continuing exemption from duty for certain tanning extracts (H. Rept. 424);

H.R. 3272, regarding duty-free entry of orthicon image assembly for Medical College of Georgia (H. Rept. 425);

H.R. 5712, continuing suspension of duty on hepatonic acid (H. Rept. 426);

H.R. 6011, continuing suspension of duty on certain istle or Tampico fiber (H. Rept. 427);

H.R. 5171, to authorize Administrator of General Services Administration to coordinate and otherwise provide for the economic and efficient purchase, lease, maintenance, operation, and utilization of electronic data processing equipment by Federal departments and agencies (H. Rept. 428); and

Fifth report of the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Common Trust Funds—Overlapping Responsibility and Conflict in Regulations" (H. Rept. 429). Page 11226

Defense Department Appropriations: The Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to file a report on the bill making appropriations for the fiscal year 1964 by midnight Friday. Page 11174

President's Message—Civil Rights: Received and read a message from the President on civil rights and job opportunities. The message was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 124). Pages 11174–11179

Equal-Time Rule Suspension: By a record vote of 263 yeas to 126 nays the House passed H.J. Res. 247, to suspend for the 1964 campaign the equal opportunity requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for legally qualified candidates for the office of President and Vice President, after adopting several committee amendments.

Rejected an amendment that would have limited the suspension of the equal-time rule to joint appearances of candidates. H. Res. 402, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 11181–11195

VA Hospital Construction: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 4347, to limit the authority of the Veterans' Administration and the Bureau of the Budget with respect to new construction or alteration of veterans' hospitals, after adopting a committee substitute amendment that provided new text. One amendment to the committee amendment was adopted that would exempt previously authorized projects from the provisions of the bill. H. Res. 403, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 11182, 11195–11206

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TOBACCO

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Tobacco held a hearing on tobacco pricing policy of the Department of Agriculture. Heard testimony from a Department of Agriculture official; and public witnesses.

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved several pending watershed projects. The subcommittee will continue, in open and executive session, on Thursday, June 20.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4177, to convey certain public lands to St. Paul, Minn.; and H.R. 2940 (amended), a private bill.

Prior to the executive action heard testimony in an open hearing from Representative Holifield; Maj. Gen. Chester R. Allen, Quartermaster General, Marine Corps; Joseph Hennessey, General Counsel, Atomic Energy Commission; and other departmental witnesses.

ABC ACT—D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 684 and 2036, to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act. Testimony was given by D.C. Alcoholic Beverage Control officials; and public witnesses.

ELEMENTARY-SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 5344, the Public Education Improvement Act.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5625, the National Service Corps bill, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

WORK HOURS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on hours of work and their impact on employment. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 405 (amended), the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.J. Res. 324, to extend an invitation to the International Olympic Committee to hold the 1968 winter Olympic Games in the U.S. at Lake Placid, N.Y.

H.J. Res. 405, to provide for U.S. participation in the International Bureau for the Protection of Industrial Property; and

S.J. Res. 60, relating to amending the constitution of the International Labor Organization.

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following measures:

H. Res. 372 (to be reported with recommendation that it not be approved), disapproving the Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1963;

H.R. 5171, regarding use of electronic data processing equipment by Federal agencies;

The committee also approved the following reports:

"Part II, Survey of Selected Activities—Efficiency and Economy in the Department of Commerce";

"Part VI–VII, Survey of Selected Activities—Efficiency and Economy in the Civil Aeronautics Board and the Federal Aviation Agency";

"Consumer Protection Activities of State Governments—Regulation of Drugs and Related Products";

"Common Trust Funds—Overlapping Resolutions and Conflicting Regulations"; and

"Investigation and Study of the Home Loan Bank Board—Alice, Tex."

PUBLIC LANDS—PACIFIC ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6218, to authorize additional extensions of time for final proof by certain entrymen under the desert land laws;

H.R. 6689, to extend the principles of equitable adjudication to sales under the Alaska Public Sale Act;

H.R. 5076 (amended), relating to the exchange of certain lands between the town of Powell, Wyo., and the Presbyterian Retirement Facilities Corp.; and

H.R. 2942, to adjudicate a claim to certain land in Marengo County, Ala.

Discussed H.R. 3198, to promote the economic and social development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. Took no final action.

OIL—GAS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power concluded hearings on H.J. Res. 220, to extend the interstate compact on oil and gas. Heard testimony from William Orrick, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Justice Department.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4646, to provide for abandonment of a portion of the Benton Harbor Canal, Benton Harbor, Mich., as a nonnavigable stream; and H.R. 2906 (amended), to exempt emergency towing wrecked or disabled vehicles from the provisions of part II of the Interstate Commerce Act.

MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 1576 (amended), regarding grants for construction of research centers to combat mental retardation.

WOOD LABELING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 1998 and 6226, the Decorative Wood and Simulated Wood Products Labeling Act; and H.R. 5669, and related bills, to prohibit the use of the term "mahogany" in interstate commerce in connection with woods that are not in fact mahogany. Heard testimony from Representatives Hemphill, Matthews, Sikes; and public witnesses.

POPULATION-IMMIGRATION STUDY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on population and immigration study (regarding Cubans). Heard testimony from a departmental official.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony on several private claim bills.

FISH-WILDLIFE PROTECTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held hearings on H.R. 2857 and 5589, identical bills, to provide for advance consultation with the Fish and Wildlife Service and with State wildlife services before the beginning of any Federal program involving the use of pesticides or other chemicals designed for mass biological controls; H.R. 4487 and 5588, identical bills, to prevent or minimize injury to fish and wildlife from the use of insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, and pesticides; and H.R. 5240, for the protection of marine mammals on the high seas. Testimony was given by Representative Saylor and a departmental official (H.R. 5240); and public witnesses (H.R. 2857, 5589, 4487, and 5588).

COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations heard testimony from departmental witnesses on the operation and agency implementation of the program enacted by Congress last year designed to stem the flow of Communist political propaganda into the United States from foreign countries.

PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 4559, H.R. 6141 (amended), H.R. 6109, and H.R. 6140 (amended) (provisions of the four bills to be included in a clean bill to be introduced), highway measures;

H.R. 4823, to modify Rend Lake, Ill., flood control project;

H. Con. Res. 179, to extend the appreciation of Congress to American Association of State Highway Officials;

Approved several watershed, flood control, navigation, and beach erosion resolutions.

Prior to full committee action, Subcommittee on Watershed Development approved watershed development projects. Heard testimony from Representative Trimble; and departmental witnesses.

COTTON BILL

Committee on Rules: Resumed hearings on H.R. 6126, the cotton bill. Heard testimony from Representatives McIntire, Findley, and Beermann. No final action was taken.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

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Thursday, June 20, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed nine sundry bills.

House passed bill extending duty-free allowance reduction.

Senate Finance Committee reported tax-extension bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11253–11283

Bills Introduced: Two bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1751–1752; S. Con. Res. 50; and S. Res. 166. Pages 11254–11255

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 6755, extending for 1 year existing corporate normal-tax rates and certain excise-tax rates (S. Rept. 281);

S. 51, authorizing relinquishment to Wyoming of the jurisdiction over the Pole Mountain District of Medicine Bow National Forest (S. Rept. 282);

S. 1388, to extend the boundaries of the Cache National Forest in Utah by including 1,700 additional acres (S. Rept. 283);

S. 400, providing uniform penalties for misuse of feed made available for relieving distress, etc. (S. Rept. 284);

S. 582, to extend for 2 years exemption of peanuts for boiling from marketing quotas (S. Rept. 285);

S. 581, extending for 2 years provisions for permitting the lease and transfer of tobacco acreage allotments, with amendments (S. Rept. 286);

S. 623, providing for a program of agricultural land development in Alaska (S. Rept. 287);

H.R. 40, authorizing funds for State construction of research facilities at State agricultural experiment stations (S. Rept. 288); and

S. 1039, authorizing exchange of surplus park property at Blue Ponds off Baltimore Freeway for property at Great Falls, Va., with amendment (S. Rept. 289). Page 11254

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 11253–11254

Freight Forwarders: Senate took up S. 684, to place the unification or acquisition of control of freight forwarding under the regulation of section 5 of the Interstate Commerce Act, and adopted committee amendment in the nature of a substitute which it was agreed would be considered as original text for purpose of further amendment. Subsequently, and by unanimous consent, further consideration of the bill was postponed for an indefinite period. Pages 11283–11293

Veterans' Service Life Insurance: H.R. 220, permitting the conversion or exchange of policies of national service life insurance to a new modified plan, was passed after adoption of committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. Motion to reconsider this action was tabled. Pages 11290, 11293, 11296–11297

Sundry Bills Passed: The following eight bills respecting the naming of various dams, lakes, and reservoirs passed the Senate in the manner indicated:

Lake Francis Case: S. 130, changing the name of Fort Randall Reservoir, S. Dak., to Lake Francis Case;

Aliceville Dam: S. 453, to change the name of the Memphis lock and dam, Alabama, to Aliceville lock and dam;

Dworshak Dam: S. 850, to change the name of Bruces Eddy Dam and Reservoir, Idaho, to the Dworshak Dam and Reservoir;

Lake Sharpe: S. 131, changing the name of Big Bend Reservoir, S. Dak.; to Lake Sharpe;

Francis E. Walter Dam: H.R. 5367, designating the Bear Creek Dam on the Lehigh River in Pennsylvania, as the Francis E. Walter Dam (without amendment and cleared for President);

Robert S. Kerr Dam: H.J. Res. 82, to change the name of Short Mountain lock and dam and reservoir, in Oklahoma, to Robert S. Kerr lock and dam and reservoir (without amendment and cleared for President);

Hap Hawkins Lake: S. 142, designating lake formed by Clark Canyon Dam, Mont., as Hap Hawkins Lake; and

O'Mahoney Lake and Recreation Area: S.J. Res. 17, designating the O'Mahoney Lake and Recreation Area, Wyo. and Utah (with committee amendment).

Pages 11298–11301

Confirmations: Numerous Coast Guard nominations were confirmed. Page 11301

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:04 p.m.

Chamber Action

APPROPRIATIONS—BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation and power marketing agencies, with testimony from Senators Carlson and Curtis, who introduced and accompanied witnesses from their respective States; Representative Johnson of California, on funds for the Pacific intertie; Representative Hagen of California, on funds for projects in his State; and other public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SECURITIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Securities continued its hearings on S. 1642, proposing various amendments to the Securities Acts, having as its witnesses John C. Williamson, director, National Association of Real Estate Boards; M. A. Schapiro, president, M. A. Schapiro Co., Inc.; Ralph P. Coleman, Jr., publisher, Over-the-Counter Securities Review; Dennis E. Murphy, vice president, the Ohio Co.; and Richard Ney, Richard Ney & Associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 6755, extending for 1 year existing corporate normal-tax rates and certain excise-tax rates, prior to which action, in open session, testimony thereon was heard from Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on the activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, having as its witnesses Walter S. Surrey and Monroe Karasik, partners in a Washington, D.C., law firm, and former registered foreign agents for the Dominican Republic; Samuel Efron, of New York City, a former law partner of Messrs. Surrey and Karasik; and Bernard Fagelson, an attorney of Alexandria, Va.

Executive hearings continue on Monday, June 24.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, having as its witnesses Robert C. Goodwin, Administrator, Bureau of Employment Security, and Louis Levine, Director, U.S. Employment Service, both of the Department of Labor.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOURTH-CLASS MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee concluded its hearings on H.R. 5795, to repeal the power of the Postmaster General to fix postage rates on fourth-class mail, after receiving testimony from J. Edward Day, Postmaster General, who was accompanied by his associates; Paul A. Porter, the Parcel Post Association, Inc., and the Mail Order Association; Jerome Keating, National Association of Letter Carriers; Max Jordan, National Rural Letter Carriers Association; Daniel Jaspan, National Association of Postal Supervisors; William J. Taylor, REA Express; C. B. Bailey, Brotherhood of Railway & Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express & Station Employees; Paul Oberkotter, United Parcel Service; and J. Austin Latimer, Automotive Service Industry Association.

It was announced that the record would remain open until noon, tomorrow, for the inclusion of additional written material.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its hearings on S. 649, establishing within the Department of HEW a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, and related measures (S. 737, 1118, and 1183), receiving testimony from Representative Dingell; Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and Stewart L. Udall, Secretary, Department of the Interior. Following testimony by these witnesses, a panel discussion of this matter was participated in by the following panelists: Representative Dingell; James M. Quigley, Assistant Secretary, HEW; Secretary Udall; William A. Schmidt, Deputy Commissioner, General Services Administration; Brig. Gen. Graham, Director of Civil Works, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 25.

TECHNOLOGICAL RESOURCES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing resumed its hearings on the role and effects of technology in the Nation's economy, having as its witness Seymour L. Wolfbein, Director, Office of Manpower, Automation, and Training, Department of Labor.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 7152–7172; 6 private bills, H.R. 7173–7178; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 494 and 495 and H. Res. 409–411, were introduced. Pages 11252–11253

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 976, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to acquire and add certain lands in the Salem Maritime National Historic Site, Mass., amended (H. Rept. 430);

H.J. Res. 405, regarding U.S. participation in International Bureau for the Protection of Industrial Property (H. Rept. 431);

S. 1359, to provide for an additional Assistant Secretary in the Treasury Department (H. Rept. 432);

S.J. Res. 60, amendment to the Constitution of the International Labor Organization (H. Rept. 433);

H. Res. 409, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 5312, to increase the authorization for appropriation for continuing work in the Missouri River Basin (H. Rept. 434);

H. Res. 410, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 5795, to repeal the provisions of law relating to the fixing of rates of postage on fourth-class mail (H. Rept. 435); and

H. Res. 411, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 6016, additional authorization for certain river basin plans (H. Rept. 436). Page 11252

New Member Sworn: Representative-elect Del M. Clawson, of the 23d Congressional District of California, appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office. Page 11233

Late Reports: The Committee on Ways and Means was granted permission to file by midnight Friday reports on H.R. 3674, to amend the Tariff Act of 1930 to provide that polished sheets and plates of iron or steel shall be subject to the same duty as unpolished sheets and plates; and H.R. 3781, to amend the Tariff Act of 1930 to provide a uniform rate of duty for certain headwear. Similar permission was granted the Committee on the District of Columbia for filing sundry reports. Pages 11234, 11236

Duty Suspension Extension: Pursuant to unanimous-consent requests the following bills were called up and passed:

Metal scrap: H.R. 4174, to continue to June 30, 1964, the suspension of duties for metal scrap, amended. Page 11234

Chicory: H.R. 2827, to extend to June 30, 1966, the suspension of duty on imports of crude chicory and the reduction of duty on ground chicory, amended. Pages 11234–11235

Dependent Children—Placement: Passed without amendment H.R. 2651, to extend for 1 year the period during which responsibility for the placement and foster care of dependent children, under the program of aid to families with dependent children under title IV of the Social Security Act, may be exercised by a public agency other than the agency administering such aid under the State plan. Pages 11235–11236

Continuing Appropriations: Agreed to make in order any day next week the consideration of a resolution continuing appropriations for certain Government departments pending enactment of their regular appropriation bills. Page 11236

Duty-Free Allowance Reduction: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 6791, to continue for 2 years the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents. H. Res. 405, the closed rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 11236–11238

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of June 26. Page 11247

Bills Referred: Five Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 11252

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved a watershed project.

Prior to executive action held an open hearing on several pending watershed projects, and heard testimony from Representatives Gibbons and Matsunaga; and public witnesses.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2664, to exempt the sole surviving son of a family when the father died as a result of military service, from service under the Universal Military Training and Service Act; H.R. 2192, a private bill; H.R. 6000, to change method of computing retired pay of certain enlisted men of the Army, Navy, Air Force, or Marine Corps; and H.J. Res. 375, to provide for appropriate ceremonies for raising and lowering of flags surrounding Washington Monument in D.C.

Prior to executive action held an open hearing with testimony from Representatives Fino (H.R. 2664); Cleveland (H.R. 2192); and public witnesses (all measures).

MEDALS—COINS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs met in executive session and ordered favorably reported to the full committee the following bills: H.R. 3488, regarding Sesquicentennial of Indiana Statehood; H.R. 3575, regarding 250th anniversary of birth of Padre Junipero Serra; H.R. 4003, regarding Sesquicentennial of Battle of Lake Erie; H.R. 2380, regarding Centennial of Nevada Statehood; and H.R. 6014 (amended), regarding 50th anniversary of founding by International Ladies Garment Workers Union of Nation's first union health center.

Prior to executive action heard a briefing by John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, U.S. Civil Service Commission, regarding the establishment of the Presidential Medal of Freedom.

D.C. FUNDS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6177 (amended), to increase the authorized Federal contribution to the District of Columbia; and

H.R. 4277, to increase the borrowing authority of the District of Columbia.

IMPACTED AREAS—TEACHER TRAINING

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and approved a proposed draft on impacted areas legislation; also approved H.R. 6672 (a clean bill to be introduced), to provide for training of teachers of all exceptional children.

Considered H.R. 6938, to insure that Federal funds will not be used to assist educational institutions which practice racial discrimination; and H.R. 405, the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act.

U.N. PARTICIPATION—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6283 (amended), to amend the U.N. Participation Act.

Began markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3306, to establish a revolving fund from which the Secretary of the Interior may make loans to finance the procurement of expert assistance by Indian tribes in cases before the Indian Claims Commission; H.R. 6710, to cancel irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned land under the Wind River Indian irrigation project, Wyoming; and H.R. 5883, to correct a land description in the act entitled "To provide for an exchange of lands between the U.S. and the Southern Ute Tribe."

Considered H.R. 6287, regarding sale of Indian timber; H.R. 4394, concerning harvesting of Indian timber; H.R. 3671 and 3685, regarding judgments against the U.S. under the Indian Claims Commission Act; and H.R. 2977, to authorize the sale of certain lands of the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe.

Testimony was given by Representatives Harrison (H.R. 6710); Berry of South Dakota (H.R. 2977); and departmental witnesses (all measures).

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session. No announcements were made.

BROADCAST RATINGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings on broadcast rating services. Testimony was given by William E. Henry, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

WOOD LABELING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 1998 and 6226, the Decorative Wood and Simulated Wood Products Labeling Act; and H.R. 5669, and related bills, to prohibit the use of the word "mahogany" in interstate commerce in connection with woods that are not in fact mahogany. Heard testimony from Representative Utt; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, June 21.

SUPERSONIC AIRCRAFT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Heard testimony from Najeeb Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency, on the development of supersonic commercial aircraft. Hearings continue Friday, June 21.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1054 (amended), to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and render judgment in cases of claims referred to the court by either House of Congress; and H.R. 6910, to provide for settlement of claims against the U.S. by members of the uniformed services and civilian officers and employees of the U.S. for damage to, or loss of, personal property incident to their service; also took action on several private claim bills.

COPYRIGHTED MUSIC

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and agreed upon provisions of a substitute bill for H.R. 5174, to provide for payment of royalties for the public performance of copyrighted musical compositions by means of coin-operated machines. (To be introduced for reporting to the full committee.)

COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on operation and agency implementation of the program enacted by Congress last year designed to stem the flow of Communist political propaganda into the United States from foreign countries. Heard testimony from a Post Office Department official.

FOURTH-CLASS MAIL

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 5795, to repeal the provisions of law relating to the fixing of rates of postage on fourth-class mail.

Representatives Murray, Olsen of Montana, Gary, and Corbett were heard on the request for a rule.

MISSOURI RIVER BASIN AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 5312, to increase the authorization for appropriation for continuing work in the Missouri River Basin.

Heard Representative Aspinall on the request for a rule.

RIVER BASIN PLANS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 6016, regarding additional authorization for certain river basin plans.

Heard Representatives Baldwin and Jones of Alabama on the request for a rule.

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care resumed hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans. Heard testimony from a public witness.

Joint Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS, AEC AUTHORIZATIONS, AND BRIEFING ON "THRESHER"

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Dr. Gerald F. Tape, to be a member, and Glenn Seaborg, for reappointment as Chairman, both of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Committee also ordered reported S. 1745 and H.R. 7139, authorizing funds for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1964.

Also in executive session, committee received a briefing from its staff in connection with the loss of the submarine *Thresher*.

OCEAN SHIPPING RATES

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from officials of the Federal Maritime Commission on the existence of differential freight rates in ocean shipping which discriminate against American exporters. Witnesses heard were Thomas E. Stakem, Chairman, John S. Patterson, Vice Chairman, Rear Adm. John Harllee, Ashton C. Barrett, and James V. Day, members, and James L. Pimper, General Counsel, all of the Federal Maritime Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from officials of the Maritime Administration, Department of Commerce.

Monday, June 24, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate cleared for President bill extending corporate and excise tax rates and passed 11 other sundry bills.

House passed bills on D.C. finances, flood control and navigation, and parcel post rates.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11306–11350

Bills Introduced: 13 bills as follows: S. 1753–1765. **Page 11315**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1125, providing for striking of medals on 100th anniversary of Nevada statehood (S. Rept. 290);

S. 743, to furnish medals in commemoration of 250th anniversary of death of Father Junipero Serra, with amendment (S. Rept. 291);

S. 628, to broaden the definition of "slum or blighted area" under the D.C. Redevelopment Act (S. Rept. 292);

S. 995, granting the D.C. the right to close streets in urban renewal areas under certain circumstances (S. Rept. 293);

H.R. 1937, to make punishable on the same basis as perjury the making of false statements under oath relative to applications for licenses for the sale of insurance in the D.C. (S. Rept. 294);

S. 489, to allow hearing time to be set by controlling statutes in the D.C. small claims court (S. Rept. 295);

S. 490, eliminating requirement that an alphabetical file on motor vehicle and trailer liens be kept by the D.C. (S. Rept. 296);

H.R. 3537, increasing the jurisdiction of the municipal court for the D.C. in civil actions, and to change the name of the court (S. Rept. 297);

H.R. 4330, proposed D.C. Business Corporation Act amendments, with amendments (S. Rept. 298);

S. 1401, authorizing the D.C. Commissioners to construct and operate a public offstreet parking facility (S. Rept. 299);

S. 1082, to establish in the Treasury a correctional industries fund for the D.C., with amendment (S. Rept. 300);

S. 485, requiring payment of $1 fee for each auto reinspection subsequent to initial reinspection, with amendments (S. Rept. 301);

H.R. 5081, permitting sale of a right-of-way across the District Training School to the Baltimore Gas & Electric Co., with amendments (S. Rept. 302);

S. 1745, authorizing funds for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1964 (S. Rept. 303); and

H.J. Res. 467, to extend for 2 years the broadened eligibility presently provided for certain mortgage insurance (S. Rept. 304). **Page 11307**

Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were referred to Committee on Finance. **Page 11305**

Taxation: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 6755, extending for 1 year existing corporate normal-tax rates and certain excise-tax rates, after rejecting, by 22 yeas to 51 nays, Cotton amendment to eliminate the present 5-percent tax on transportation of persons by air. **Pages 11350–11359, 11362**

Sundry Bills Passed: Eight sundry bills were taken from calendar and passed in the manner indicated:

Alaska Railroad: S. 622, to encourage collective bargaining between the management of the Alaska Railroad and representatives of its employees (with committee amendment);

Alaska public sales: S. 535, extending the principles of equitable adjudication to sales under the Alaska Public Sale Act;

Public lands—Wyoming: S. 1122, authorizing exchange of lands between the town of Powell, Wyo., and the Presbyterian Retirement Facilities Corp. (with committee amendment);

Rivers and harbors: S. 1523, to make certain changes in the functions of the Beach Erosion Board and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors (with committee amendments);

Highways: S. 1416, to provide for the submission of certain cost estimates for the completion of the national highway system;

Highways: S. 626, increasing limitation on payments for construction engineering for Federal-aid primary, secondary, and urban highway projects (with committee amendments);

Supreme Court Building: S. 254, authorizing acquisition of certain D.C. land as an addition to the grounds of the Supreme Court building;

Public buildings: S. 1139, to repeal a portion of the law relating to the purchase and installation of air-conditioning equipment in Government buildings;

Livestock: H.R. 5860, to facilitate the carrying out of voluntary programs for promotion, research, and education relating to livestock (without amendment and cleared for President); and

Lumber: S. 1032, to exclude cargo which is lumber from certain filing requirements under the Shipping Act. **Pages 11362–11369, 11376**

Export-Import Bank: By 73 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, after adopting committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute). **Pages 11362, 11370–11374**

AEC Authorizations: By unanimous consent, it was ordered that when Senate concludes its morning business on Tuesday, June 25, it will take up S. 1745, authorizing funds for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1964. **Page 11374**

Printing: S. Res. 159, authorizing the printing of the 65th annual report of the National Society of the DAR, was adopted. **Page 11379**

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nominations of Gerald F. Tape, of New York, and Glenn T. Seaborg, of California, to be members, AEC. **Page 11386**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: James I. Loeb, of New York, to be Ambassador to Guinea; numerous Diplomatic and Foreign Service officers; numerous Army officers; and one judicial; and the withdrawal of one Navy officer. **Pages 11379–11386**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, June 21, subcommittee concluded its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation and power marketing agencies, after receiving testimony from Senator Proxmire, on Glen Elder reclamation project, Kansas; Senator Fong, on an irrigation project in Hawaii; and Representative Baldwin, on various reclamation projects in California.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Alan S. Boyd, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board, and John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission, who were accompanied by their associates.

On Friday, June 21, subcommittee received testimony on behalf of funds for his agency from Robert C. Weaver, Administrator, and other officials of the Housing and Home Finance Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, June 21, subcommittee concluded its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for public works, after receiving testimony from Senator Holland and Gov. Farris Bryant, of Florida, and Senator Dirksen, on funds for various projects in their respective States; and Senators Williams of New Jersey, Case, and Keating, and Representative Murphy of New York, on funds for drift removal survey for New York Harbor.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

SECURITIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Securities continued its hearings on S. 1642, proposing various amendments to the Securities Acts, receiving testimony from William McC. Martin, Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; James J. Saxon, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; W. C. Ridgway, Jr., president, Association of Casualty & Surety Companies; and Lewis D. Gilbert, of New York City.

On Friday, June 21, testimony on this bill was received from G. Keith Funston, president, New York Stock Exchange; Edwin D. Etherington, president, American Stock Exchange; James E. Day, president, Midwest Stock Exchange; and Albert H. LeShane, treasurer, Employers' Group Associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, June 21, committee continued its hearings on S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, receiving testimony from Senators Javits, Keating, and Miller; and numerous public witnesses.

Committee will receive further testimony on this bill tomorrow.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, receiving testimony from representatives of the Jewish Agency.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, June 21, Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, receiving a panel discussion on the subject of European labor market programs from the following panelists: William H. Miernyk, Institute of Behavioral Sciences, University of Colorado; Carl G. Uhr, professor, division of social sciences, University of California; Robert J. Myers, Deputy Commissioner of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; Joseph S. Zeisell, Office of Manpower, Automation, and Training, Department of

Labor; and Kurt Braun, Research Consultant to the Chief of the Division of Foreign Labor Conditions, Department of Labor.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 28.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES' HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Health Benefits and Life Insurance held hearings on S. 1561, to propose clarifying amendments to the Federal Employees' Health Benefits Act, with testimony from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, who was accompanied by Andrew E. Ruddock, Director, Bureau of Retirement and Insurance, both of the Civil Service Commission; Joseph E. Harvey, health benefits program, Blue Cross-Blue Shield; Louis L. Feldman, consultant, Group Health Association of America, and underwriter, Health Insurance Plan of Greater New York; Jerome Keating, National Association of Letter Carriers; John F. O'Connor, United Federation of Postal Clerks; and John McCart, Government Employees' Council, AFL–CIO.

It was announced that the record will remain open through July 3 (10 days) for the inclusion of additional written material.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 48 public bills, H.R. 7179–7226; 7 private bills, H.R. 7227–7233; and 21 resolutions, H.J. Res. 496–507, H. Con. Res. 185 and 186, and H. Res. 412–418, were introduced. **Pages 11442–11444**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4277, regarding an increase in D.C. borrowing authority, filed on June 20 (H. Rept. 437);

H.R. 6177, increasing authorization for Federal contribution to the District of Columbia, filed on June 21 (H. Rept. 438);

H.R. 7179, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964, filed on June 21 (H. Rept. 439);

H.R. 3674, regarding duty on polished sheets and plates of iron or steel, filed on June 21 (H. Rept. 440);

H.R. 3781, regarding duty on Panama hats, filed on June 21 (H. Rept. 441);

H.R. 4897, to repeal subsection (d) of section 2388 of title 18 of U.S. Code (H. Rept. 442);

H.R. 6481, permitting the Government of Guam to authorize a public authority to undertake urban renewal and housing activities (H. Rept. 443);

H.J. Res. 324, extending an invitation to hold the 1968 winter Olympic games in the United States (H. Rept. 444);

Seventh report of the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Consumer Protection Activities of State Governments—Part I, The Regulation of Drugs and Related Products" (H. Rept. 445);

H.R. 7139, authorizing appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission (H. Rept. 446); and

Sixth report by the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Investigation and Study of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, Alice, Tex." (H. Rept. 447). **Pages 11441–11442**

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were considered and passed:

Federal contribution to D.C.: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 6177, relating to the annual payment to the District of Columbia by the United States, after adopting a committee amendment removing a restriction on allocaion of Federal contribution. A recommittal motion designed to increase the Federal contribution from $45 million to $53 million was rejected by a record vote of 99 yeas to 237 nays. The same language, when offered as an amendment earlier, had been rejected by a teller vote of 75 yeas to 111 nays after it had been amended to earmark certain funds for use of D.C. public schools. **Pages 11388–11405**

Borrowing authority: By voice votes the House rejected a recommittal motion and passed H.R. 4277, to authorize an increase in the borrowing authority for the general fund of the District of Columbia. The bill increases the borrowing authority from $75 million to $150 million.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Raise the borrowing authority to $225 million; and

Require school building improvements be given top priority. **Pages 11405–11411**

Flood Control and Navigation: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 6016, authorizing additional appropriations for prosecution of projects in certain river basin plans for flood control and navigation. Adopted an amendment to incorporate into the bill the text of H.R. 5312, to increase the authorization for appropriations of $100 million for continuing work in the Missouri River Basin. Subsequently H.R. 5312 and H. Res. 409, the rule for its consideration, were tabled.

H. Res. 411, the open rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 11411–11418**

Parcel Post: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 5795, to provide a 3-year suspension of certain restrictions in the Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1951, on the withdrawal from the Treasury of postal appropriations, after adopting a committee amendment that supplied new text.

Rejected an amendment that would have shortened the suspension to 30 months.

H. Res. 410, the open rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 11412–11413, 11418–11426

Bills Referred: Six Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 11441

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOIL CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 6491, the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act. Heard testimony from Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture. Hearings continue Tuesday, June 25.

DEFENSE DEPARTMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, June 21, met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7179, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Heard testimony from Representative Olsen; and public witnesses.

On Friday, June 21, the subcommittee also heard public witnesses on this subject.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Friday, June 21, Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on urban renewal in the District of Columbia and heard testimony from a D.C. official.

WORK HOURS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on hours of work and their impact on employment, and heard testimony from a public witness.

On Friday, June 21, a public witness testified on this subject.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Tuesday, June 25.

WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on S. 2, H.R. 2683, 2689, and 4048, to establish water resources centers at land-grant colleges and State universities, to stimulate water research at other colleges; and to promote a more adequate national program of water research.

Testimony was given by Representatives Teague of Texas (H.R. 2689); Matthews (H.R. 4048); and departmental witnesses (all measures).

A statement was presented for the record by Representative Morris (H.R. 2683).

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, June 21, Subcommittee on Indian Affairs ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2977, to authorize sale of certain lands of the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe; H.R. 6496 (amended), to convey certain federally owned land in trust status to the Cherokee Indian Tribe of Oklahoma; and H.R. 3306, to establish a revolving fund from which the Secretary of the Interior may make loans to finance the procurement of expert assistance by Indian tribes in cases before the Indian Claims Commission.

Considered, but took no final action on, H.R. 6287 and 4394, regarding the sale and harvesting of Indian timber; and H.R. 3671 and 3685, to provide that judgments against the U.S. under the Indian Claims Commission Act shall run only in favor of a tribe, band, or group of Indians or a successor organization.

Tabled H.R. 981 and 3278, bills to finance the testimony of expert witnesses before the Indian Claims Commission.

Testimony was given by Representative Edmondson (H.R. 6496); and departmental officials (H.R. 3685, 3671, and 6496).

SUPERSONIC AIRCRAFT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: On Friday, June 21, continued hearings on the development of supersonic commercial aircraft, and heard testimony from Najeeb E. Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency; and public witnesses.

WOOD LABELING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: On Friday, June 21, Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 1998 and 6226, the Decorative Wood and Simulated Wood Products Labeling Act; and H.R. 5669, to prohibit use of word "mahogany" in interstate commerce in connection with woods that are not in fact mahogany. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

POPULATION—IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on population and immigration study, and heard testimony from Department of Labor officials regarding admission of foreign workers.

DATA PROCESSING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Government Statistics heard testimony from departmental witnesses regarding the use of electronic data processing equipment by the Federal Government.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Friday, June 21, Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization heard testimony regarding manpower utilization from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman of the Civil Service Commission.

Joint Committee Meetings

BRIEFING ON THE "THRESHER"

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to discuss and receive further briefings on the loss of the submarine *Thresher.*

OCEAN SHIPPING RATES

Joint Economic Committee: On Friday, June 21, committee received further testimony on the existence of differential freight rates in ocean shipping which discriminate against American exporters. Witnesses heard were Thomas E. Stakem, Chairman, John S. Patterson, Vice Chairman, Rear Adm. John Harllee, Ashton C. Barrett, and James V. Day, members, and James L. Pimper, General Counsel, all of the Federal Maritime Commission; and James W. Gulick, Deputy Maritime Administrator, Graydon L. Andrews, Deputy General Counsel, Edward Aptaker, Chief of the Office of Government Aid, and Marion E. Parr, Chief, Division of Trade Routes, all of the Maritime Administration, Department of Commerce.

Committee recessed subject to call.

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Tuesday, June 25, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared continuing appropriations for President.
Senate passed numerous sundry bills, clearing some for President, and worked on area redevelopment, agreeing to limit debate thereon.
House debated Defense Department appropriation bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11530–11568

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1766–1784; S. Con. Res. 51; and S. Res. 167. **Pages 11536–11537**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 6791, continuing the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents, with amendments (S. Rept. 305);

H.J. Res. 508, continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1964 through August 31, 1963 (S. Rept. 306);

H.R. 2651, extension of period relating to placement and foster care of dependent children under the Social Security Act (S. Rept. 307);

H.R. 2827, extending the suspension of duty on imports of crude chicory and reduction in duty on ground chicory (S. Rept. 308);

H.R. 4174, extending the suspension of duties for metal scrap (S. Rept. 309);

Report of Committee on Government Operations entitled "American Guild of Variety Artists" (S. Rept. 310);

H.R. 5795, to repeal the power of the Postmaster General to fix postage rates on fourth-class mail (S. Rept. 311);

S. 1033, establishing a uniform system of time standards and measurement for the U.S. and to require the observance thereof for all purposes, with amendments (S. Rept. 312); and

H.R. 6868, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch, with amendments (S. Rept. 313). **Pages 11533–11536, 11541**

Bills Referred: Five House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 11530–11531, 11541**

Indian Parliamentarians: Senate welcomed several parliamentarians from the Republic of India. Pages 11584–11585

AEC Authorizations: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 1745, authorizing construction funds for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1964. Pages 11568, 11570–11574

Sundry Bills Passed: Senate took up, by unanimous consent, and passed in the manner indicated 14 sundry bills as follows:

Tariff: H.R. 6791, continuing the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents (with committee amendments—motion to reconsider passage tabled; subsequently, after its return from House, Senate insisted on its amendments, agreed to hold conference requested, and appointed as conferees Senators Byrd (Virginia), Long (Louisiana), Smathers, Williams (Delaware), and Carlson).

Continuing appropriations: H.J. Res. 508, continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1964 through August 31, 1963 (without amendment and cleared for President);

Dependent children: H.R. 2651, extension of period relating to placement and foster care of dependent children under the Social Security Act (without amendment and cleared for President);

Tariff: H.R. 2827, extending the suspension of duty on imports of crude chicory and reduction in duty on ground chicory (without amendment and cleared for President);

Tariff: H.R. 4174, extending the suspension of duties for metal scrap (without amendment and cleared for President);

Postal rates: H.R. 5795, to repeal the power of the Postmaster General to fix postage rates on fourth-class mail (without amendment and cleared for President);

Great Lakes—St. Lawrence Seaway: S. 530, to provide for a study of means of making the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence Seaway available for year-round navigation (with committee amendment);

Public lands—Wyoming: S. 51, authorizing relinquishment to Wyoming of the jurisdiction over the Pole Mountain District of Medicine Bow National Forest;

National forests: S. 1388, to extend the boundaries of the Cache National Forest in Utah by including 1,700 additional acres;

Feed grains: S. 400, providing uniform penalties for misuse of feed made available for relieving distress, etc.;

Peanuts: S. 582, to permanently exempt peanuts for boiling from marketing quotas;

Tobacco: S. 581, extending for 2 years provisions for permitting the lease and transfer of tobacco acreage allotments;

Alaska—farming: S. 623, providing for a program of agricultural land development in Alaska; and

George Washington Parkway: S. 1039, authorizing exchange of surplus park property at Blue Ponds off Baltimore Freeway for property at Great Falls, Va. (with committee amendment). Pages 11533–11535, 11541, 11550–11556, 11625

Legislative Appropriations: Senator Monroney submitted notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to H.R. 6868, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch. Page 11540

Area Redevelopment: Senate considered S. 1163, proposing several amendments to the Area Redevelopment Act, and reached agreement to limit further debate thereon as follows:

At conclusion of routine morning business on Wednesday, June 26, following a speech by Senator Bennett, debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table) will be limited to 30 minutes, equally divided, except for debate on a Miller amendment to be limited to 40 minutes and debate on a Scott amendment to be limited to 1 hour, each equally divided; no nongermane amendment will be received; and debate on final passage of the bill will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided. Pages 11574–11575, 11588, 11625

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE AND CONTINUING

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 6868, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide a total of $168,273,069, an increase of $28,234,150 over the House-passed figure of $140,038,919.

The committee also approved H.J. Res. 508, continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1964 through August 31, 1963.

DISARMAMENT

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session to receive testimony on arms control and disarmament matters from Leland J. Haworth, member, Atomic Energy Commission.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow to receive testimony from CNO Adm. George W. Anderson.

SECURITIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Securities concluded its hearings on S. 1642, proposing various amendments to the Securities Acts, after hearing testimony from William F. Kelly, representing the American Bankers Association.

RAILROAD FREIGHT CARS

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 1063, to insure the adequacy of the national railroad freight car supply, after receiving testimony from Senator Moss, who submitted a statement; A. J. Greenough, president, Pennsylvania Railroad; A. E. Perlman, president, New York Central Railroad; Frederick J. Orner and Carl E. Newton, both of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; George F. Glacy, Boston & Maine Railroad; Donald L. Manion, president, Short Line Railroad Association; and Eldon Martin, Burlington Lines.

It was announced that the record would remain open for 10 days for the inclusion of additional written material.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 4174, extending the suspension of duties for metal scrap; H.R. 2827, extending the suspension of duty on imports of crude chicory and reduction in duty on ground chicory; and H.R. 2651, extension of period relating to placement and foster care of dependent children under the Social Security Act; and with amendment H.R. 6791, continuing the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents.

FOREIGN AID, AND OTHER COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to receive testimony as follows:

Senators Hartke and Cooper, who directed their remarks to suggested modification of S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964;

William J. Crockett, Assistant Secretary of State for Administration, who testified with regard to S. 1512, to authorize one additional Assistant Secretary of State;

Harlan Cleveland, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs, and Roger Hilsman, Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs, who directed their remarks to S. 1627, enabling the United States to contribute its share of expenses of the International Commission for Supervision and Control in Laos; and

Harvey J. Winter, Bureau of Economic Affairs, Department of State, who discussed S.J. Res. 64, relating to United States participation in the International Bureau for the Protection of Industrial Property.

COLOMBIA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to discuss further certain problems on drugs in Colombia, but made no announcements.

CHEMICAL POISON CONTROL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations resumed its hearings on Federal programs and policies concerned with the control of chemical poisons, having as its witness Parke Brinkley, representing the National Agricultural Chemicals Association, the Manufacturing Chemists Association, Inc., and the Chemical Specialties Manufacturers' Association, Inc.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving testimony from several metallurgical experts representing the following companies: The Boeing Co., Seattle; Titanium Metals Co. of America, New York City; Bridgeport Brass Co.; Wyman-Gordon Forging Co., Worcester, Mass.; Battelle Memorial Institute, Columbus, Ohio; and Allied Research Associates, Concord, Mass.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 28.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee held hearings on the following bills:

S. 283, increasing the limitation on costs of projects authorized pursuant to the Small Reclamation Projects Act, with testimony from Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, who was accompanied by J. Karl Lee, Division of Project Development, and Rex Reed, loan engineer, of Denver, all of the Department of the Interior; Doyle Boen and William Welsh, both of the National Reclamation Association; Onie Sanders, Wheeler Ridge-Maricopa Water Storage District, Bakersfield, Calif.; and Sam Barling, Semitropic Water Storage District, California; and

S. 46, to provide that the cost of surveys, studies, etc., by the Bureau of Reclamation are not reimbursable, with testimony from Floyd E. Dominy; Daniel V. McCarthy, Chief, Division of Project Development, Department of the Interior; and William Welsh.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, receiving testimony from Francis Keppel, U.S. Commissioner of Education, who was accompanied by Dr. Peter P. Muirhead, Assistant Commissioner for Program and Legislative Planning.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 27.

VETERANS, AND DENTAL DISEASES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 5, proposed Cold War Veterans' Readjustment Assistance

Act (amended); and without amendment S. 330, to designate State agencies to work with the VA in approving educational courses for war orphans; and S. 1208, authorizing funds to States for programs for controlling dental diseases.

NOMINATION, AND FOURTH-CLASS MAIL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Sidney W. Bishop, to be Deputy Postmaster General.

The committee also approved H.R. 5795, to repeal the power of the Postmaster General to fix postage rates on fourth-class mail.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution resumed its hearings on S. 649, establishing within the Department of HEW a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, and related measures (S. 737, 1118, and 1183), having as its witnesses C. R. Lanman, Deputy Administrator, Small Business Administration; George Olmstead, S. D. Warren Co., and Richard Billings, Kimberly-Clark Co., both representing the American Pulp & Paper Association; Dr. Natale Colosi, chairman, Interstate Sanitary Commission, New York; and Dr. Spencer T. Smith, Jr., Citizens Committee on Natural Resources.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 34 public bills, H.R. 7234–7267; 10 private bills, H.R. 7268–7277; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 508–515, H. Con. Res. 187, and H. Res. 419, were introduced. Pages 11457, 11529–11530

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 508, making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 448);

H. Res. 418, authorizing the transfer of funds from "Miscellaneous Items, 1961," to "Miscellaneous Items, 1963," contingent fund of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 449);

Two private bills, H.R. 2942 and 5076 (H. Repts. 450 and 451, respectively);

H.R. 6218, authorizing additional extensions of time for final proof by certain entrymen under the desert land laws and making such additional extensions available to the successors in interest of such entrymen (H. Rept. 452);

H.R. 6689, extending the principles of equitable adjudication to sales under the Alaska Public Sale Act (H. Rept. 453);

H.R. 394, to amend the Bankruptcy Act relating to statutory liens and the powers of the trustee, amended (H. Rept. 454);

S. Con. Res. 25, favoring observance of July 4 of each year by the ringing of bells throughout the United States (H. Rept. 455);

Eighth report by the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Survey of Selected Activities (Part 1—Efficiency and Economy in the Department of Commerce)" (H. Rept. 456);

Ninth report by the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Survey of Selected Activities (Parts 6 and 7—Efficiency and Economy in the Civil Aeronautics Board and the Federal Aviation Agency)" (H. Rept. 457);

H.R. 7161, proposed Teachers of Exceptional Children Training Act (H. Rept. 458);

H.R. 3297, regarding income tax exemption for certain additional nonprofit corporations and associations (H. Rept. 459);

H.R. 6910, settlement of claims by members of the uniformed services and civilian employees of the United States for damage to, or loss of, personal property incident to their service, amended (H. Rept. 460);

Nine private bills, H.R. 1179, 1398, 1499, 1731, 2450, 5094, 6308, 5507, and 6567 (H. Repts. 461–469, respectively);

H.R. 5728, for the relief of the county of Cuyahoga, Ohio (H. Rept. 470); and

H.R. 4946, to amend the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act of 1959 to provide for reimbursement of transportation expenses for Members of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 471). Pages 11528–11529

Minority Employees: Received and read a communication to the Speaker from Beecher E. Hess, minority Postmaster, requesting retirement on June 30.

Adopted H. Res. 419, electing Tommy Lee Winebrenner to fill the vacancy thus created. Page 11457

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was granted permission to sit during general debate of the sessions of the House on June 26 and 27. Page 11457

Continuing Appropriations: By a voice vote the House adopted H.J. Res. 508, making continuing appropriations through August 31 for fiscal year 1964. Pages 11458–11461

House Administration: By a voice vote the House adopted H. Res. 418, authorizing the transfer of funds from "Miscellaneous Items, 1961," to "Miscellaneous Items, 1963," contingent fund of the House of Representatives. Page 11462

Defense Department Appropriations: Commenced the consideration of H.R. 7179, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964, and after concluding general debate thereon the first paragraph of the bill was read for amendment before further action on the bill was deferred to Wednesday. Pages 11462–11496

Duty-Free Allowance Reduction: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 6791, to continue for 2 years the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mills, King of California, O'Brien of Illinois, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Baker. Page 11497

House Travel: Adopted a committee amendment and by a voice vote passed H.R. 4946, to amend the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act of 1959 to provide for reimbursement of transportation expenses for Members of the House of Representatives. Page 11498

Bills Referred: Seven Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 11527–11528

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOIL CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture: Concluded hearings on H.R. 6491, the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, and heard testimony from an Agriculture Department official; and public witnesses.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, June 26.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6128, to require stock life insurance companies in D.C. to maintain records of stockholders at its principal place of business in the District; H.R. 6348, to eliminate the requirement that an alphabetical file on motor vehicle and trailer liens be kept by D.C.; H.R. 6350, regarding dentistry license requirements in D.C.; and H.R. 6353, to allow confidential information concerning benefit rights to be disclosed to D.C. Department of Public Welfare. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TEACHER TRAINING

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House, H.R. 7161, to provide for the training of teachers of all exceptional children.

The committee considered H.R. 405, the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act. No final action was taken.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Wednesday, June 26.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Nation's water pollution control problems. Testimony was given by John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, accompanied by other Agriculture Department officials; and public witnesses.

WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation heard testimony from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior, on H.R. 2683, and similar bills, to establish water resources research centers at land-grant colleges and State universities, stimulate water research at other colleges; and to promote a more adequate national program of water research. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 5728 (amended), to provide for the payment of $115,928 to the county of Cuyahoga, Ohio;

H.R. 6910 (amended), to provide for the settlement of claims against the U.S. by members of the uniformed services and civilian officers and employees of the U.S. for damage to, or loss of, personal property incident to their service;

H.R. 394 (amended) (reconsidered), to amend the Bankruptcy Act relating to statutory liens and powers of the trustee; and

S. Con. Res. 25, to favor observance on July 4 of each year by the ringing of bells throughout the United States.

MOHOLE PROJECT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography held a discussion on the Mohole project. Heard testimony from Alan T. Waterman, Director, National Science Foundation.

OBNOXIOUS AND COMMUNIST LITERATURE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee heard testimony from Representative Udall, and public witnesses, on H.R. 319, and related bills, to protect postal patrons from obscene mail matter and Communist propaganda.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7195, to amend various sections of title 23 of U.S. Code relating to the Federal-aid highway systems.

TRANSPORTATION PLANNING

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held a hearing on urban transportation planning and heard testimony from Rex M. Whitton, Federal Highway Administrator; and public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session on H.R. 5466, National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. Recessed until Wednesday, June 26.

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans, and heard testimony from a public witness.

Joint Committee Meetings

TARAPUR REACTOR

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to discuss negotiations with India on the proposed Tarapur reactor. Witnesses heard were Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, James T. Ramey, member, A. R. Luedecke, General Manager, Algie A. Wells, Assistant General Manager for International Activities, all of the Atomic Energy Commission; and Carl Thomas, representing the Department of State.

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HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed 17 sundry bills, including area redevelopment and legislative appropriations.

House passed Defense Department appropriation bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11646–11662

Bills Introduced: 18 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1785–1802. Pages 11647–11648

Bills Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 879, providing for striking of medals on 150th anniversary of the building of Perry's Fleet and the Battle of Lake Erie (S. Rept. 314). Page 11647

Bill Referred: H.R. 4946, to amend the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act of 1959 to provide for reimbursement of transportation expenses for Members of the House of Representatives, was referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Page 11646

Area Redevelopment: By 65 yeas to 30 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendment S. 1163, proposing several amendments to the Area Redevelopment Act, as amended by committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, which had first been amended by adoption of:

Case amendment comprising the so-called antipiracy provisions on training or retraining projects (adopted June 25); Pastore amendment to eliminate requirement that cities of less than 150,000 must pay three-fourths rather than two-thirds of the cost of urban renewal projects; Scott amendment to permit designation of redevelopment areas by contiguous groupings; Holland amendment providing for designation as a redevelopment area any area within U.S. where substantial unemployment exists and it has been certified that the number of Cuban refugees therein is at least 50,000; Dominick amendment barring assistance to any foreign concern to establish plants or facilities or to establish or expand plants or facilities in the U.S.; Douglas amendment of a technical corrective nature; and Williams (New Jersey) amendment of a technical nature respecting the gathering of statistical data.

Rejected were the following amendments: By 28 yeas to 60 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Scott amendment providing a new formula for designation of redevelopment areas; by 17 yeas to 76 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Miller amendment adding to the facts to be considered by Administrator in determining whether a farm area shall be covered, the number of farm operators or workers working off the farm 100 days or more during the previous year, and providing designation of redevelopment areas in farm areas where the number of persons so employed is declining and from which there has been a continuing migration because of unemployment.

Tower amendment to bar assistance to any applicant practicing racial discrimination was, in effect, rejected when Mansfield point of order on the ground of germaneness was upheld. Pages 11662–11706

Legislative Appropriations: Senate passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 6868, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch, after adopting all committee amendments en bloc, and by 59 yeas to 29 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Williams (Delaware) amendment to bar funds for franking of certain types of mail by any Member of Congress rather than confining such limitation to Members of Senate only.

Senate rejected a Proxmire amendment to eliminate all funds for the Office of the Capitol Architect.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference, and appointed as conferees Senators Monroney, Humphrey, Mansfield, Bartlett, Hayden, Saltonstall, Young (North Dakota), and Kuchel. Pages 11707–11716

Tariff: Conference report on H.R. 6791, continuing the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents, was adopted. Pages 11716–11717

Sundry Bills Passed: Senate took up and passed, in the manner indicated, five sundry bills as follows:

Medals: S. 743, to furnish medals in commemoration of the 250th anniversary of death of Father Junipero Serra (with committee amendment—motion to reconsider such passage tabled);

Medals: S. 1125, providing for striking of medals on 100th anniversary of Nevada statehood;

Government employees' health: H.R. 1819, to amend the Federal Employees' Health Benefits Act so as to provide additional choice of health benefits plans (without amendment and cleared for President);

Mineral rights: H.R. 1492, private bill (without amendment and cleared for President);

Mortgage insurance: H.J. Res. 467, to extend for 2 years the broadened eligibility presently provided for certain mortgage insurance (without amendment and cleared for President—motion to reconsider passage tabled). Pages 11717–11721

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 10 bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

D.C.—insurance: H.R. 1937, to make punishable on the same basis as perjury the making of false statements under oath relative to applications for licenses for the sale of insurance in the D.C.;

D.C.—courts: H.R. 3537, increasing the jurisdiction of the municipal court for the D.C. in civil actions, and to change the name of the court; and

D.C.—corporations: H.R. 4330, proposed D.C. Business Corporation Act amendments.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

D.C.—right-of-way: H.R. 5081, permitting sale of a right-of-way across the District Training School to the Baltimore Gas & Electric Co.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

D.C.: S. 995, granting the D.C. the right to close streets in urban renewal areas under certain circumstances;

D.C.—courts: S. 489, to allow hearing time to be set by controlling statutes in the D.C. small claims court; and

D.C.—autos: S. 490, eliminating requirement that an alphabetical file on motor vehicle and trailer liens be kept by the D.C.

With amendment and cleared for House:

D.C.—parking: S. 1401, authorizing the D.C. Commissioners to construct and operate a public offstreet parking facility;

D.C.: S. 1082, to establish in the Treasury a correctional industries fund for the D.C.; and

D.C.—autos: S. 485, requiring payment of $1 fee for each auto reinspection subsequent to initial reinspection. Pages 11721–11728

D.C. Redevelopment: Senate made its unfinished business S. 628, to broaden the definition of "slum or blighted area" under the D.C. Redevelopment Act. Page 11728

Confirmation: Nomination of Sidney W. Bishop, of California, to be Deputy Postmaster General, was confirmed. Page 11746

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Joseph Campbell, Comptroller General, General Accounting Office; and Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System, all of whom were accompanied by their associates.

On Tuesday June 25, subcommittee heard testimony in behalf of funds for his agency from Joseph C. Swidler, Chairman, Federal Power Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DISARMAMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, to receive testimony on arms control and disarmament matters, receiving testimony from Adm. George W. Anderson, Chief of Naval Operations.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow when it will hear Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. Curtis E. LeMay.

POLITICAL BROADCASTING

Committee on Commerce: Communications Subcommittee began hearings on S. 251, 252, and 1696, bills relating to equal broadcast opportunities for political candidates in the 1964 elections, having as its witnesses Senator Hartke; E. William Henry, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; and Robert Sarnoff, Chairman of the Board, NBC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, receiving further testimony from David E. Bell, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DRUG REGULATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations resumed its hearings on interagency coordination in drug research and regulation, receiving testimony from Dr. Hugh Hussey, Director, Division of Scientific Activities, headquarters, Chicago; Dr. Harry Dowling, University of Illinois, and AMA Council on Drugs; and Dr. Maxwell Wintrobe, University of Utah, and chairman of the council's sections on adverse drug reaction, all of the American Medical Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Harry Phillips, of Tennessee, to be U.S. circuit judge for the sixth circuit, with testimony from Senators Kefauver and Gore; Representatives Fulton of Tennessee and Baker; and a number of attorneys at law representing various bar associations from Tennessee.

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following watershed projects: Big Nance Creek, Ala.; Apache Junction-Gilbert, Ariz.; Williams-Chandler, Ariz.; supplement to Little Tallapoosa River, Ga.; Chuquatonchee Creek, Miss.; Stillwater Creek, Okla.; Guayanes River, P.R.; Cheah Creek, Ala.; Poteau River, Ark. and Okla.; and Middle Fork of Obion River, Tenn.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its hearings on S. 649, establishing within the Department of HEW a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, and related measures (S. 737, 1118, and 1183), having as its witnesses E. Scott Pattison, J. P. Moser, Lever Bros. Co., and Dr. J. G. Pleasants, Procter & Gamble, all representing the Soap & Detergent Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 7278–7302; 4 private bills, H.R. 7303–7306; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 516–522, were introduced. Pages 11793–11794

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: Conference report on H.R. 6791, to continue for 2 years the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents (H. Rept. 472). Page 11793

Export-Import Bank Act Extension: Objection was raised to an effort to send to conference the bill H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the Export-Import Bank of Washington may exercise its functions. Page 11746

Independence Day: The House adopted and thus concluded legislative action on S. Con. Res. 25, favoring observance of July 4 of each year by the ringing of bells throughout the United States. Page 11747

Defense Department Appropriations: By a record vote of 410 yeas to 1 nay the House passed H.R. 7179, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964.

Two amendments were adopted—one to reduce by $10,200,000 the funds provided for Army procurement of equipment and missiles; while the second amendment would prohibit use of any funds to pay salaries or expenses of a study group for creation of a domestic peace corps or the National Service Corps.

The bill reported from the Committee on Appropriations provided funds totaling $47,092,209,000, which amount is $1,257,873,500 less than the 1963 appropriation and $1,922,028,000 below the budget estimates.

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Bills Referred: Five Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 11792

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONSERVATION RESERVE CONTRACTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session on H.R. 7154, to provide for recontracting of conservation reserve contracts which expire in 1964. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, June 27.

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Special Subcommittee on the Food Stamp Program met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill, and heard testimony from Representative Pepper; William P. Durkee, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Civil Defense; J. George Stewart, Architect of the Capitol; and public witnesses.

FHA

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5048, to eliminate National Housing Act provision limiting mortgages to the cost of physical improvements; and H.R. 772, to permit the city of Detroit, Mich., to transfer land purchased for low-rent housing to urban renewal purposes.

Prior to the executive meeting held an open hearing on the recent Federal Housing Administration policy decision to become "self-insurer" on multifamily properties which it acquires on foreclosures, and heard testimony from Philip N. Brownstein, Commissioner, Federal Housing Administration; and public witnesses.

D.C. REAL ESTATE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 679, to provide certain tax incentives for the repair, improvement, or restoration of personal residences in D.C.; H.R. 59, to disregard for D.C. tax valuation purposes any increases in the value of residential property attributable to repair, alteration, renovation, and restoration; and H.R. 5882, to prohibit location of chanceries and other business offices of foreign governments in certain residential areas in D.C. Testimony was given by Representative Kyl; D.C. officials; and public witnesses.

EDUCATION—RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 6938, to amend the various acts providing Federal assistance for education, to insure that Federal funds will not be used to assist educational institutions which practice racial discrimination. Heard testimony from Representative Powell; James Quigley, Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; and a public witness.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 5625, the National Service Corps bill. Testimony was given by John Anderson, Jr., Governor of Kansas.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. No announcements were made.

INDONESIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing by Edwin L. Fox, Director of Agency for International Development mission to Indonesia.

INTERIOR-INSULAR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 3306 (amended), to establish a revolving fund from which the Secretary of the Interior may make loans to finance the procurement of expert assistance by Indian tribes in cases before the Indian Claims Commission;

H.R. 2977 (amended), to authorize the sale of certain lands of the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe;

H.R. 6496 (amended), to convey certain federally owned land in trust status to the Cherokee Indian Tribe of Oklahoma;

H.R. 6710, to cancel irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned land under the Wind River Indian irrigation project, Wyoming; and

H.R. 5883, to correct a land description in the act entitled "To provide for an exchange of lands between the U.S. and the Southern Ute Tribe."

Considered S. 1007, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority. No final action was taken.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 3669 (amended), the Quality Stabilization Act;

H.R. 2906 (amended), to exempt the emergency towing of wrecked or disabled vehicles from the provisions of part II of the Interstate Commerce Act; and

H.R. 4646, to provide for the abandonment of a portion of the Benton Harbor Canal, Benton Harbor, Mich., as a nonnavigable stream.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on bills relating to civil rights. Testimony was given by Robert F. Kennedy, U.S. Attorney General.

COAST GUARD

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5623, relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of officers of the Coast Guard.

Prior to the executive session held an open hearing on the bill with testimony from James A. Reed, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Edwin Roland, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard; and the executive director, Reserve Officers Association.

OBNOXIOUS AND COMMUNIST LITERATURE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 319, and related bills, to protect postal patrons from obscene mail matter and Communist propaganda, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

TRANSPORTATION PLANNING

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on urban transportation planning, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, June 27.

AEC AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 7139, to authorize appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission.

Representatives Holifield, Hosmer, and Price were heard on the request for a rule.

COURT OF MILITARY APPEALS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 3179, to provide that judges of the U.S. Court of Military Appeals shall hold office during good behavior.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Rivers of South Carolina and Arends.

SEAT BELT STANDARDS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 134, regarding safety standards of seat belts.

Representative Roberts of Alabama was heard on the request for a rule.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. *Recessed until Thursday, June 27.*

NURSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care continued hearings on provision of nursing-type care for veterans, and heard testimony from public witnesses. *Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.*

MENTAL RETARDATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on H.R. 3386, to provide for maternal and child health and mental retardation planning. The committee announced they will continue executive consideration of this measure on July 8.

Also announced a public hearing to be held on July 10 on the tax features contained in section 2(c) and section 7 of H.R. 3846, the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act.

Joint Committee Meetings

BRIEFING ON THE "THRESHER"

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from officials of the Navy in connection with their inquiry into the loss of the submarine *Thresher.* Witnesses heard were Secretary of the Navy Fred Korth; Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Assistant Chief of the Bureau of Ships for Nuclear Propulsion; Adm. B. L. Austin, head of the court of inquiry into this matter; Adm. Edward C. Stephan, Hydrographer of the Navy; Adm. W. A. Brockett, Bureau of Ships; Adm. J. H. Maurer, head of submarine warfare; and other Navy Department representatives.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 13 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1803–1815; and S.J. Res. 96. **Page 11855**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 546, granting an easement for the use of lands in Camp Pendleton, Calif., for a nuclear electric generating station, with amendments (S. Rept. 315);

S. 280, 568, 733, 753, 901, 1201, 296, 538, 496, H.R. 1267, 1275, 1292, 1332, 1736, 3356, 4214, 4773, and 1518, private bills (S. Repts. 316–333);

S. 330, to designate State agencies to work with the VA in approving educational courses for war orphans (S. Rept. 334);

S. 1291, authorizing Secretary of Commerce to employ aliens in a scientific or technical capacity, with amendments (S. Rept. 335);

S. 1064, to substitute "candela" for "candle" as the unit of measurements of luminous intensity (S. Rept. 336);

S. 1809, to improve the active-duty promotion opportunity of Air Force officers from the grade of major to the grade of lieutenant colonel (S. Rept. 337);

S. 627, to promote State commercial fisheries research and development activities, with amendment and with minority views (S. Rept. 338);

S. 1489 and 1230, private bills (S. Repts. 339–340); and

S.J. Res. 51, authorizing presentation of an Air Force Medal of Recognition to Maj. Gen. Benjamin D. Foulois, retired (no written report). **Page 11853**

Bills Referred: H.R. 7179, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964, was received from House, and referred to Committee on Appropriations. **Page 11852**

Battle of Lake Erie: Senate passed without amendment S. 879, providing for striking of medals on 150th anniversary of the building of Perry's Fleet and the Battle of Lake Erie. **Page 11860**

Private Bill: Senate passed without amendment S.J. Res. 51, authorizing presentation of an Air Force Medal of Recognition to Maj. Gen. Benjamin D. Foulios, retired. **Pages 11853–11854**

Taxation: By unanimous consent, S. 1807, to remove limitations on income tax deductions for exploration expenditures, was referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, with the proviso that if it is reported by that committee it then be referred to Committee on Finance. **Pages 11856–11857**

D.C. Redevelopment: Senate considered S. 628, to broaden the definition of "slum or blighted area" under the D.C. Redevelopment Act, but did not complete action on the bill. **Page 11891**

Confirmation: The nomination of Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, to be Chief of Staff of the Air Force, was confirmed, along with numerous Army nominations. **Page 11922**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; and Walter E. Washington, Executive Director, National Capital Housing Authority.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 8.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Adm. David L. McDonald, to be Chief of Naval Operations; Eugene G. Fubini, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; Alexander H. Flax, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, for reappointment as Chief of Staff of the Air Force; and 1,829 nominations in the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

The committee also approved S. 546, granting an easement for the use of lands in Camp Pendleton, Calif., for a nuclear electric generating station (amended); S.J. Res. 51, authorizing presentation of an Air Force Medal of Recognition to Maj. Gen. Benjamin D. Foulois, retired; and an original bill (S. 1809) to improve the active-duty promotion opportunity of Air Force officers from the grade of major to the grade of lieutenant colonel.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony was received from Secretary of the Navy Fred Korth in behalf of Admiral McDonald; and Dr. Harold E. Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, who testified in behalf of Mr. Fubini. Admiral McDonold and Messrs. Fubini and Flax were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

DISARMAMENT

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, to receive testimony on arms control and disarmament matters, receiving testimony from Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Chief of Staff, Air Force.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

POLITICAL BROADCASTING

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued its hearings on S. 251, 252, 1696, and H.J. Res. 247, bills relating to equal broadcast opportunities for political candidates in the 1964 elections, with testimony from Paul A. Porter, President's Commission on Campaign Costs; William E. Miller, chairman, Republican National Committee; Barry Sherman, managing director, station WQXI, Atlanta; Aaron M. Orange, Socialist Labor Party; Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union; and Gov. John Anderson, Jr., of Kansas.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries held hearings on the following three bills:

S. 1135, clarifying fishermen's organizations' bargaining right in the ex-vessel sale of fish on which the livelihood of their members depend, with testimony from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Daniel P. Moynihan, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Policy Development and Research; Joseph Saunders, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice; and Harold E. Crowther, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior;

S. 1460, relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of Coast Guard officers, with testimony from Adm. Edwin J. Roland, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard; and Col. John T. Carlton, USAR, Executive Director, Reserve Officers Association of the U.S.; and

S. 1459, authorizing the President to proclaim regulations for preventing collisions at sea, with testimony from Capt. Archibald H. McComb, Jr., Chief, International Maritime Safety Coordinating Staff, Office of Merchant Marine Safety, U.S. Coast Guard; and Harold E. Crowther, the latter of whom submitted a statement.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1512, to authorize one additional Assistant Secretary of State (amended); S. 1627, enabling the United States to contribute its share of expenses of the International Commission for Supervision and Control in Laos; S.J. Res. 64, relating to U.S. participation in the International Bureau for the Protection of Industrial Property; and an original resolution providing for participation by a Senate delegation in the next meeting of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association at Kuala Lumpur, Malaya.

Also, committee discussed further the matter of the problem of drugs in Colombia.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of J. Lindsay Almond, Jr., of Virginia, to be associate judge of the Court of Customs and Patent Appeals; John M. Cannella, to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of New York; Harry Phillips, of Tennessee, to be U.S. circuit judge for the sixth circuit; and Guy W. Hixon, to be U.S. marshal for the southern district of Florida; S. 1057, authorizing U.S. district courts to appoint public defenders to represent indigent defendants in criminal proceedings (with an amendment in the nature of a substitute); 14 private immigration bills (S. 280, 296, 496, 538, 566, 733, 753, 901, H.R. 1275, 1292, 1332, 1518, 1736, and 3356); and 6 private claims bills (S. 1201, 1230, 1489, H.R. 1267, 4214, and 4773).

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 14 private immigration bills (S. 36, 338, 360, 367, 429, 478, 505, 507, 508, 567, 832, 1112, 1592, and H.R. 1535); and 14 private claims bills (S. 257, 356, 368, 419, 905, 1128, 1484, 1586, H.R. 2179, 2772, 3022, 3240, 3624, and 3625).

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education concluded its hearings on S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, after receiving testimony from Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Assistant Chief of Bureau of Ships for Nuclear Propulsion, Navy; Dr. L. Quincy Mumford, Librarian of Congress; and Dr. Peter Sammartino, president, Fairleigh Dickinson University, Rutherford, N.J.

RULES OF THE SENATE

Committee on Rules and Administration: Subcommittee on Standing Rules of the Senate held hearings on the following measures:

S. Res. 89, amending Senate Rule VIII to provide for germaneness of debate under certain conditions, with testimony from Senators Pastore, Gruening, Randolph, Nelson, Moss, Pell, Monroney, Allott, and Clark;

S. Res. 111, to amend Senate Rule XXV relative to meetings of committees while the Senate is in session, with testimony from Senators Monroney, Allott, and Clark; and

S. Res. 78, to admit former U.S. Presidents to a seat in the Senate as Senators at Large, with certain privileges, with testimony from Senators Pell and Cooper.

Senators Church, Anderson, Hart, Kuchel, and McGee submitted statements on S. Res. 89, and Senators Church and McGee submitted statements on S. Res. 111.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 37 public bills, H.R. 7307–7343; 7 private bills, H.R. 7344–7350; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 523–529, H. Con. Res. 188 and 189, and H. Res. 420–425, were introduced. **Pages 11849–11851**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Five private bills, S. 312, 380, 409, 504, and 787 (H. Rept. 473–477, respectively);

H. Res. 422, providing for sending to conference the bill H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of and to extend the period within which the Export-Import Bank of Washington may exercise its functions (H. Rept. 478);

H. Res. 423, providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 134, to provide that seat belts sold or shipped in interstate commerce for use in motor vehicles shall meet certain safety standards (H. Rept. 479);

H. Res. 424, providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 3179, to provide that judges of the U.S. Court of Military Appeals shall hold office during good behavior (H. Rept. 480);

H. Res. 425, providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 7139, to authorize appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission in accordance with the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (H. Rept. 481);

H.R. 4646, declaring a portion of the Benton Harbor Canal to be a nonnavigable stream (H. Rept. 482); and

H.R. 2906, regarding emergency transportation of wrecked motor vehicles, amended (H. Rept. 483). **Page 11849**

Military Promotion Opportunities: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 6681, to improve the active-duty promotion opportunity of Air Force officers from the grade of major to the grade of lieutenant colonel. **Page 11804**

Duty-Free Allowance Reduction: The House adopted the conference report on H.R. 6791, to continue for 2 years the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents, and thus cleared the legislation for Presidential action. **Pages 11805–11806**

Tariff and Taxes: Pursuant to unanimous-consent requests the following bills from the Committee on Ways and Means were called up and passed:

Accrued vacation pay: H.R. 6246, relating to the deductibility of accrued vacation pay. **Pages 11806–11807**

Istle or Tampico fiber: H.R. 6011, to continue for a temporary period the existing suspension of duty on certain istle or Tampico fiber. **Page 11807**

Heptanoic acid: H.R. 5712, to suspend for a temporary period the import duty on heptanoic acid. **Page 11807**

Tanning extracts: H.R. 2675, to extend for 3 years the period during which certain tanning extracts, and extracts of hemlock or eucalyptus suitable for use for tanning, may be imported free of duty. **Pages 11807–11808**

Iron and steel polished sheets: H.R. 3674, to amend the Tariff Act of 1930 to provide that polished sheets and plates of iron or steel shall be subject to the same duty as unpolished sheets and plates. **Pages 11808–11809**

Nonprofit corporations: H.R. 3297, to amend Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to exempt from income taxation certain nonprofit corporations and associations organized to provide reserve funds for domestic building and loan associations. **Page 11809**

Treasury Department: S. 1359, to provide for an additional Assistant Secretary in the Treasury Department (cleared for the President). **Pages 11809–11810**

Medical equipment import: H.R. 3272, to provide for the free entry of an orthicon image assembly for the use of the Medical College of Georgia. **Page 11810**

Medical research import: H.R. 2221, to provide for the free entry of a mass spectrometer for the use of Stanford University, Stanford, Calif. **Pages 11810–11811**

Bills Referred: Six Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 11849**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONSERVATION RESERVE CONTRACTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following two bills:

H.R. 7154 (amended), to provide for recontracting of conservation reserve contracts which expire in 1964; and

H.R. 6998, to provide for increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California.

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat met in executive session on the International Wheat Agreement. No announcements were made.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3, in executive session, heard a briefing from a departmental witness on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill.

SERVICE ACADEMY APPOINTMENTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6611 (a clean bill to be introduced), to amend the provisions relating to the nomination and selection of candidates for appointment to the Military and Air Force Academies.

IMPACTED AREAS

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7156 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 4878), relating to the construction and maintenance and operation of public schools in federally impacted areas.

Considered H.R. 405, the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act. No final action was taken.

LAND-WATER CONSERVATION FUND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session for markup of H.R. 3846, and related bills, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6518 (amended), to accelerate, extend, and strengthen the Federal air pollution control program.

POPULATION—IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 heard testimony from a representative of the Immigration and Naturalization Service on the population and immigration study (regarding admission and screening of Cubans).

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on bills relating to civil rights, and heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

LUMBER

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1157, to exclude cargo which is lumber from certain tariff filing requirements under the Shipping Act, 1916.

Prior to the executive meeting held an open hearing on H.R. 1157, and related bills, and heard testimony from Representative Hansen; Thomas E. Stakem, Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission; other departmental witnesses; and public witnesses.

Also held a hearing on H.R. 2457, a private bill, and heard testimony from J. W. Gulick, Deputy Maritime Administrator.

OBNOXIOUS AND OFFENSIVE LITERATURE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 319, and related bills, to protect postal patrons from obscene mail matter and Communist propaganda, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

URBAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on urban transportation planning. Testimony was given by D.C. officials; and a public witness.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule to take from the Speaker's table and send to conference H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the Export-Import Bank of Washington may exercise its functions.

Representatives Rhodes of Arizona, Passman, Gary, Patman, Widnall, Jensen, Pelly, and Harvey of Michigan were heard on the request for a rule.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization bill.

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Friday, June 28, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11933–11992

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1815–1821; and S.J. Res. 97.

Page 11935

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 793, providing a permanent basis for the management of the four wildlife refuges in the Klamath Basin of California and Oregon, with amendments (S. Rept. 341).

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Bills Referred: Eight House-passed bills were referred to Committee on Finance.

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Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 6681, to improve the active-duty promotion opportunity of Air Force officers from the grade of major to the grade of lieutenant colonel, was ordered to be placed on calendar.

Page 11933

Taxation: Order was entered to reconsider the action taken on Thursday, June 27, to refer S. 1807, to remove limitations on income tax deductions for exploration expenditures, to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, and then, after report, to Committee on Finance; the bill was today referred directly to Committee on Finance, after Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was discharged from its further consideration.

Page 11941

Nuclear Power Station: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 546, granting an easement for the use of lands in Camp Pendleton, Calif., for a nuclear electric generating station. Pages 11992–11993

Private Bills: Senate passed 16 private bills as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President: H.R. 1267, 1275, 1292, 1332, 1736, 3356, 4214, and 4773.

With amendment and sent to House: S. 296 and 538.

Without amendment and sent to House: S. 280, 568, 733, 753, 901, and 1201. Pages 11998–12000

D.C. Redevelopment: S. 628, to broaden the definition of "slum or blighted area" under the D.C. Redevelopment Act, remained Senate's unfinished business at adjournment. 11993

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Eugene G. Fubini, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; Alexander Henry Flax, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; Adm. David Lamar McDonald, to be Chief of Naval Operations; five other Navy; five Air Force; numerous Army; and four judicial. Page 12017

Nomination: Nomination of Ashton C. Barrett, of Mississippi, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner, was received. Page 12017

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PAY HEARINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee announced that its Special Military Pay Subcommittee would begin a series of hearings on Tuesday, July 16, on H.R. 5555, proposed Uniform Services Pay Act. Membership of this subcommittee consists of Senators Cannon, chairman, Ervin, Engle, Young of Ohio, Saltonstall, and Beall.

POLITICAL BROADCASTING

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications continued its hearings on S. 251, 252, 1696, and H.J. Res. 247, bills relating to equal broadcast opportunities for political candidates in the 1964 elections, with testimony from Frank Stanton, president, Columbia Broadcasting System; Vincent Wasilewski, National Association of Broadcasters; and John Bailey, chairman, Democratic National Committee.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving testimony from Secretary of the Navy Fred Korth.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on the overall manpower problem, having as its witnesses Ernest Michanek, Under Secretary of Labor, Stockholm, Sweden; Arne Geijer, president of the Confederation of Swedish Trade Unions; and Berthil Kugelberg, president of the Confederation of Swedish Employers.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 17.

RULES OF THE SENATE

Committee on Rules and Administration: Subcommittee on Standing Rules of the Senate held hearings on the following two measures:

S. Con. Res. 1, to create a Joint Committee To Study Organization and Operation of the Congress, with testimony from Senators Case, Monroney, Bartlett, Keating, and Clark; and

S. 177, to establish a Commission on Congressional Reorganization to conduct a study on the organization and functions of Congress, with testimony from Senators Case, Monroney, Keating, and Clark.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, July 1, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, July 1, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Tuesday, July 2, at noon.

Committee Meetings

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee began hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, having as its witness Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: In a continuation of its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations heard testimony from Secretary of the Navy Fred Korth and James H. Wakelin, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Research and Development).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 7351–7370; 2 private bills, H.R. 7371 and 7372; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 530–538, H. Con. Res. 190, and H. Res. 426, were introduced. **Pages 12033–12034**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Six private bills, S. 292, 310, 686, 671, 735, and 866 (H. Repts. 484–489, respectively);

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 490);

H.R. 1341, to require passenger-carrying motor vehicles purchased for use by the Federal Government to meet certain safety standards, amended (H. Rept. 491);

H.R. 3306, to establish a revolving fund from which the Secretary of the Interior may make loans to finance the procurement of expert assistance by Indian tribes in cases before the Indian Claims Commission (H. Rept. 492);

H.R. 5883, to correct a land description in the act entitled "To provide for an exchange of lands between the United States and the Southern Ute Indian Tribe (H. Rept. 493);

H.R. 6496, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain federally owned land in trust status to the Cherokee Indian Tribe of Oklahoma, amended (H. Rept. 494);

H.R. 6710, to approve an order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Wind River Indian irrigation project, Wyoming (H. Rept. 495);

H.R. 6998, to provide for increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California (H. Rept. 496); and

Conference report on H.R. 5207, to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act, 1926, to authorize additional appropriations (H. Rept. 497). **Page 12033**

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Albert to act as Speaker pro tempore on Monday, July 1. **Page 12019**

Bills Referred: 15 Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 12032–12033**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through June 30, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	85	80	..
Time in session	452 hrs., 00′	278 hrs., 28′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	7,084	4,274	11,358
Appendix	..	..	4,152
Public bills enacted into law	11	44	55
Private bills enacted into law	2	7	9
Bills in conference	..	3	..
Bills through conference	1	4	..
Measures passed, total	341	402	..
Senate bills	149	13	..
House bills	67	230	..
Senate joint resolutions	6	1	..
House joint resolutions	7	9	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	17	16	..
House concurrent resolutions	6	11	..
Simple resolutions	89	122	211
Measures reported, total	*371	*450	..
Senate bills	168	11	..
House bills	42	306	..
Senate joint resolutions	6	2	..
House joint resolutions	7	13	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	19	15	..
House concurrent resolutions	5	10	..
Simple resolutions	124	93	217
Special reports	20	27	..
Conference reports	..	6	..
Reported measures not acted on	20	86	..
Measures introduced, total	2,136	8,493	10,629
Bills	1,821	7,350	9,171
Joint resolutions	97	529	626
Concurrent resolutions	51	189	240
Simple resolutions	167	425	592
Quorum calls	31	50	..
Yea-and-nay votes	81	41	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 341 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 483 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through June 30, 1963

Postmaster nominations, totaling 1,175, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	744
Withdrawn	6
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	425

Army nominations, totaling 8,953, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	8,953
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	None

Air Force nominations, totaling 15,837, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	15,837
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	None

Navy nominations, totaling 15,373, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	15,370
Withdrawn	1
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	2

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,465, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	3,465
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	None

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 2,229, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	2,102
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	124

Summary

Total nominations received	47,032
Total withdrawn	10
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	551
Total confirmed	46,471

Tuesday, July 2, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12044–12075

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1822–1834; and S. Res. 168.
Pages 12045–12046

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 168, providing for participation by a Senate delegation in the next general meeting of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association in Kuala Lumpur, Malaya (S. Rept. 342)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S.J. Res. 64, relating to U.S. participation in the International Bureau for the Protection of Industrial Property (S. Rept. 343);

H.R. 2461, to convey certain lands to the city of Henderson, Nev., with amendment (S. Rept. 344); and

S. 5, Cold War Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act, with amendments and with minority views (S. Rept. 345).
Page 12045

Authority To Report: Authority was granted until September 30, 1963, for filing by Committee on Government Operations of reports of last year's activities of its Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations. **Page 12057**

President Pro Tempore: Senator Metcalf was appointed to serve as acting President pro tempore on Friday, July 5.
Page 12120

D.C. Redevelopment: Senate resumed consideration of its unfinished business S. 628, to broaden the definition of "slum or blighted area" under the D.C. Redevelopment Act.
Page 12075

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, receiving further testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when the Attorney General will again testify.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs approved for full committee consideration H.R. 6177, authorizing payment of Federal funds for operation of the D.C. government (amended by substituting therefor the language contained in S. 871, a related measure).

Subcommittee indefinitely postponed further action on H.R. 4277, to increase the borrowing authority for the general fund of the D.C.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 7373–7385; 3 private bills, H.R. 7386–7388; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 539 and 540, H. Con. Res. 191, and H. Res. 427 and 428, were introduced.
Pages 12136–12137

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 6283, to amend the United Nations Participation Act relative to U.S. representatives to the United Nations (H. Rept. 498).
Page 12136

Bill Rereferred: The Committee on Post Office and Civil Service was discharged from further consideration of the bill H.R. 6081, to amend the Canal Zone Code to require that postage stamps in the Canal Zone shall bear no legend other than the words "Canal Zone," and the bill was rereferred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.
Page 12120

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Friday, July 5, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Senate met at 9 a.m. and, pursuant to order previously entered, immediately adjourned (without transaction of any business) until noon Tuesday, July 9, when its unfinished business will be S. 628, to broaden the definition of "slum or blighted area" under the D.C. Redevelopment Act.

Committee Meetings

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: On Wednesday, July 3, committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, receiving testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy, and Senators Hart, Cooper, and Keating.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 8.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Three public bills, H.R. 7389–7391; two private bills, H.R. 7392 and 7393; and one resolution, H. Con. Res. 192, were introduced. Page 12143

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Albert to act as Speaker on Friday, July 5. Page 12140

Suspensions: The majority whip announced that H.R. 5905, relating to per diem, mileage, and subsistence allowances of Federal jurors, would be considered on Monday, under suspension of the rules. Page 12140

Executive Communication: Received a communication from the President recommending enactment of legislation to provide $108 million for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1964. Page 12143

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Monday, July 8, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed AEC authorization bill and 36 sundry bills.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Tuesday, July 9, at noon.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Dr. Edward C. Welsh, Executive Secretary, National Aeronautics and Space Council; Jerome B. Wiesner, Director, Office of Science and Technology; and Edward A. McDermott, Director, Office of Emergency Planning.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, having as its witness Burke Marshall, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when Mr. Marshall will continue testifying.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Pat Mehaffy, of Arkansas, to be U.S. circuit judge, eighth circuit, with testimony from Senator Fulbright. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 7394–7421, and 7431; 9 private bills, H.R. 7422–7430; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 429 and 430, were introduced.

Pages 12184, 12201–12202

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 7431, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 499). Page 12201

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was authorized to sit during general debate of the sessions of the House on July 10, 11, and 12. Page 12145

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Alaska public sales: S. 535 (in lieu of H.R. 6689), to extend the principles of equitable adjudication to sales under the Alaska Public Sale Act;

Tobacco: S. 581 (in lieu of H.R. 5930), to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, to extend for 2 years the provisions permitting the lease and transfer of tobacco acreage allotments;

Coast and Geodetic Survey: S. 969, to provide medical care for certain Coast and Geodetic Survey retired ships' officers and crew members and their dependents;

Inland Waterways Corporation: S. 1031 (in lieu of H.R. 2876), to repeal the Inland Waterways Corporation Act; and

ILO amendment: S.J. Res. 60, amendment to the Constitution of the International Labor Organization.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

District court transcripts: H.R. 2838, to amend U.S. Code relating to transcripts furnished by court reporters for the district courts;

District courts venue: H.R. 2985, to amend U.S. Code relating to venue of U.S. district courts in civil actions on tort claims;

Medal of Honor: H.R. 2998, to amend titles 10, 14, and 38, U.S. Code, with respect to the award of certain medals and the Medal of Honor Roll;

Travel allowances: H.R. 4338, to amend title 37, U.S. Code, to authorize travel and transportation allowances for travel performed under orders that are canceled, revoked, or modified;

Benton Harbor Canal: H.R. 4646, to declare a portion of the Benton Harbor Canal, Benton Harbor, Mich., a nonnavigable stream;

Movement of dependents: H.R. 4739, regarding advance movement of dependents, baggage, and household effects;

U.S. merchant marine—nurses: H.R. 5781, to provide that professional nurses shall be registered as staff officers in the U.S. merchant marine;

Land description correction: H.R. 5883, to correct a land description in the act entitled "To provide for an exchange of lands between the U.S. and the Southern Ute Indian Tribe";

Desert land laws: H.R. 6218, to authorize additional extensions of time for final proof by certain entrymen under the desert land laws and to make such additional extensions available to the successors in interest of such entrymen;

Irrigation charge cancellation: H.R. 6710, to approve an order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned land under the Wind River Indian irrigation project, Wyoming;

Gold star buttons: H.R. 6767, to amend the U.S. Code to provide gold star lapel buttons for the next of kin of members of the Armed Forces who lost or lose their lives in war, or as a result of cold war incidents;

Reserve training programs: H.R. 6996, to revise and consolidate the special enlistment active duty for training programs available to Reserve personnel;

Olympic games invitation: H.J. Res. 324, extending an invitation to hold the 1968 winter Olympic games in the United States;

Tobacco: H.J. Res. 403, to amend section 316 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 to extend the time by which a lease transferring a tobacco acreage allotment may be filed; and

Industrial property protection: H.J. Res. 405, regarding U.S. participation in International Bureau for the Protection of Industrial Property.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

California durum wheat: S. 762 (in lieu of H.R. 6998), to provide for increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California;

Navigation rules: S. 1036, to amend the inland and western rivers rules concerning anchor lights and fog signals required in special anchorage areas;

Bankruptcy Act amendment: H.R. 394, to amend the Bankruptcy Act relating to statutory liens and the powers of the trustee;

Public lands—Massachusetts: H.R. 976, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire and add certain lands to the Salem Maritime National Historic Site in Massachusetts;

Wrecked vehicle towage: H.R. 2906, regarding the emergency transportation of wrecked motor vehicles;

Missing Persons Act: H.R. 2989, to further amend the Missing Persons Act to cover certain persons detained in foreign countries against their will;

Canal Zone: H.R. 3050, to expand the authority of the Canal Zone government to settle claims not cognizable under the Tort Claims Act;

Indian tribal claims: H.R. 3306, to establish a revolving fund from which the Secretary of the Interior may make loans to finance the procurement of expert assistance by Indian tribes in cases before the Indian Claims Commission;

Taxes—bankruptcy: H.R. 3438, limiting the priority and nondischargeability of taxes in bankruptcy;

Canal Zone Code: H.R. 3999, to amend the Canal Zone Code regarding furnishing of information to Congress on operation of Panama Canal Company;

Electric energy sales: H.R. 4062, to amend the act authorizing the transmission and disposition by the Secretary of the Interior of electric energy generated at Falcon Dam on the Rio Grande, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to also market power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande;

Claims: H.R. 4837, to provide for the payment of certain amounts and restoration of employment benefits to certain Government officers and employees improperly deprived thereof;

Cuyahoga County—relief: H.R. 5728, for the relief of the county of Cuyahoga, Ohio;

Collisions at sea: H.R. 6012, to authorize the President to proclaim regulations for preventing collisions at sea; and

Public lands—Cherokee Indians: H.R. 6496, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain federally owned land in trust status to the Cherokee Indian Tribe of Oklahoma.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 73, 228, 4818, 5905, 6481, and 6910. **Pages 12145–12165**

Jurors' Allowance: By a voice vote the House suspended the rules and passed H.R. 5905, to amend section 1871 of title 28, U.S. Code, to increase the per diem and subsistence, and limit mileage allowances of grand and petit jurors. **Pages 12165–12166**

AEC Authorizations: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 7139, to authorize appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission in accordance with section 261 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended. This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 1745, an identical bill, was passed in lieu of the House bill and thus cleared for Presidential action.

Rejected an amendment that sought to delete project 64-i-2, providing $500,000 for additional animal quarters, Lovelace Foundation, Albuquerque, N. Mex.

H. Res. 425, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 12166–12176**

Committee Size: Adopted H. Res. 429, providing that for the balance of the session of Congress the Committee on Banking and Currency shall be composed of 33 members. **Page 12184**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit approved five watershed projects. Recessed until Tuesday, July 9.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, and heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; accompanied by another Labor Department witness.

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 6938, to insure that Federal funds will not be used to assist educational institutions which practice racial discrimination. Testimony was given by a Department of Justice official; and a public witness.

INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements held a hearing on the recent 47th Conference of the International Labor Organization, and heard testimony from Representative Ayres; George L-P Weaver, Assistant Secretary of Labor for International Affairs; George P. Delaney, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State and Coordinator of International Labor Affairs; and Rudolph Faupl, U.S. employees' representative to the ILO Conference.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing by Frederick E. Nolting, U.S. Ambassador to Vietnam.

MINERAL INTERESTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4211, to provide for the conveyance of certain mineral interests of the U.S. in property in South Carolina to the record owners of the surface of that property. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

A statement on the bill was presented for the record by Representative Dorn.

The subcommittee, in executive session, heard testimony from the Director of the Office of Emergency Planning; and Interior Department witnesses regarding stockpiling objectives for lead and zinc, and posssible use of presently stockpiled lead and zinc.

Joint Committee Meetings

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from Secretary of the Treasury Dillon, and his associates, covering the overall balance-of-payments situation and measures being taken both to eliminate the deficit in the balance of payments and to finance it during the period of transition to equilibrium.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Tuesday, July 9, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed eight bills on calendar call, adopted conference report on foreign buildings—Philippine war damage claims, and took up lead-zinc bill.

House passed bill on military appeals judges and sent Export-Import Bank Act extension bill to conference.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12205–12248

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1835–1853; S.J. Res. 98–99; and S. Res. 169. **Pages 12211–12212**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 169, authorizing two employees of a Senate committee to appear and testify in the criminal action of *U.S.* v. *Nate Stein* in the U.S. district court for the southern district of California (no written report). **Page 12211**

Bills Referred: 14 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 12205, 12283–12284**

President's Communication—Peace Corps: Communication from President transmitting draft of proposed legislation to amend further the Peace Corps Act (75 Stat. 612) was received—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Page 12205**

Wheat: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 762, providing for increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California. This action cleared the bill for President's signature. **Page 12248**

Foreign Service Buildings—Philippine War Damage Claims: Conference report on H.R. 5207, proposed Foreign Service Buildings Act amendments, was adopted. **Pages 12230–12231**

D.C. Redevelopment: Senate resumed consideration of S. 628, to broaden the definition of "slum or blighted area" under the D.C. Redevelopment Act, but the bill was displaced and was returned to calendar when Senate took up other business on motion. **Pages 12248, 12265**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar eight bills, of which three were private, were passed as follows:

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Armed services: H.R. 6681, to improve the active-duty promotion opportunity of Air Force officers from the grade of major to the grade of lieutenant colonel; and

Private bill: H.R. 1518.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Veterans: S. 330, to designate State agencies to work with the VA in approving educational courses for war orphans;

Measurements: S. 1064, to substitute "candela" for "candle" as the unit of measurements of luminous intensity;

Industrial property: S.J. Res. 64, relating to U.S. participation in the International Bureau for the Protection of Industrial Property; and

Private bill: S. 901.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Alien employment: S. 1291, authorizing Secretary of Commerce to employ aliens in a scientific or technical capacity; and

Private bill: S. 496.

Bill indefinitely postponed: S. 1809. **Pages 12248–12253**

Lead-Zinc: Motion was adopted to take up H.R. 3845, stabilization of domestic lead and zinc industry. **Page 12265**

Senate Employees' Testimony: Senate adopted S. Res. 169, authorizing two employees of a Senate committee to appear and testify in the criminal action of *U.S.* v. *Nate Stein* in the U.S. district court for the southern district of California. **Page 12211**

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Dr. Walter Adams, of Michigan, and Dr. Mabel M. Smythe, of New York, to be members of U.S. Advisory Commission on International Educational and Cultural Affairs; Charles R. Ferguson, of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review; 2 judicial; 30 Navy in the rank of admiral; and the withdrawal of 2 postmasters. **Page 12289**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Edward A. McDermott, Director, Office of Emergency Planning, who concluded his testimony begun on Monday, July 8; William L. Cary, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission; and Lawrence E. Hartwig, Chairman, Renegotiation Board.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 11.

SECURITIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Securities, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1642, amending in several regards the Securities Act and the Securities Exchange Act.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, with further testimony from Burke Marshall, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division. Testimony was also received from Senator Javits.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Secretary of State Rusk will testify.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on the situation in Vietnam from Ambassador Frederick E. Nolting, Jr.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 7432–7459; 15 private bills, H.R. 7460–7474; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 541–551, and H. Res. 431, were introduced. **Pages 12291, 12320–12321**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 375, relating to appropriate flag-raising ceremonies around Washington Monument (H. Rept. 500);

H. Con. Res. 179, extending appreciation of Congress to the American Association of State Highway Officials for its service to this Nation (H. Rept. 501);

H.R. 2664, regarding exemption from induction of sole surviving son of family whose father died as result of military service, amended (H. Rept. 502);

H.R. 4823, to modify the flood control project for Rend Lake, Ill. (H. Rept. 503);

H.R. 5543, extending to Loudoun County, Va., the provisions of law which permit commitment to St. Elizabeths Hospital of persons of unsound mind found on certain Federal reservations in Virginia and Maryland (H. Rept. 504);

H.R. 6000, regarding crediting Inactive Reserve service for enlisted personnel (H. Rept. 505);

H.R. 7156, to extend for 1 additional year certain temporary provisions of Public Laws 81–815 and 81–875 relating to construction and maintenance and operation of public schools in federally impacted areas (H. Rept. 506);

H.R. 4177, to release certain restrictions on the use of land previously transferred to the city of St. Paul, Minn. (H. Rept. 507);

H.R. 6518, to improve, strengthen, and accelerate programs for the prevention and abatement of air pollution, amended (H. Rept. 508);

S. 546, granting an easement for the use of lands in Camp Pendleton, Calif., for a nuclear electric generating station (H. Rept. 509); and

Twenty-eight private bills, S. 192, 219, 1003, 1643, H.R. 1545, 1761, 1861, 2192, 2228, 2238, 2256, 2756, 2770, 2925, 3843, 4141, 5145, 5307, 5811, 5812, 5814, 6091, 6180, 6373, 6443, 6628, 6663, and 6808 (H. Repts. 510-537, respectively). **Pages 12319-12320**

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 431, electing Representative Del Clawson to membership on the Committee on Banking and Currency. **Page 12291**

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 292, 312, 380, 409, 504, 686, 735, 787, and 866.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1179, 1398, 2942, 5094, 5507, 6308, and 6567.

Sent to the Senate, amended: S. 310, 671, 1122, H.R. 1499, 1731, and 2450.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2300, 2706, and 2728. **Pages 12291-12294**

Export-Import Bank Act Extension: By a voice vote the House adopted H. Res. 422, providing for sending to conference the bill H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the Export-Import Bank of Washington may exercise its function. The House disagreed to the Senate amendments, requested a conference with the Senate, and appointed as conferees Representatives Patman, Rains, Multer, Barrett, Kilburn, Widnall, and Harvey of Michigan. By a unanimous division vote of 110 yeas the House adopted a motion to instruct the House conferees to insist on House position of financing the bank through direct appropriations. **Pages 12294-12298**

Military Appeals Judges: By a record vote of 314 yeas to 82 nays the House passed without amendment H.R. 3179, to provide that judges of the U.S. Court of Military Appeals shall hold office during good behavior. H. Res. 424, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 12298-12308**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of July 10. **Pages 12308-12309**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit, in executive session, approved five watershed projects.

Prior to the executive meeting held an open hearing with testimony from Representatives Matsunaga, Everett, Poff, Jennings, Rhodes of Arizona, Udall, and Staggers.

A statement was presented for the record by Representative Mills.

ARMED SERVICES

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6000, regarding crediting Inactive Reserve service for enlisted personnel;

H.R. 2664 (amended), regarding exemption from induction of sole surviving son of family whose father dies as result of military service;

H.R. 2192, a private bill;

H.J. Res. 375, relating to appropriate flag-raising ceremonies around Washington Monument;

H.R. 4177, to release certain restrictions on the use of land previously transferred to the city of St. Paul, Minn.;

S. 546 (amended), to grant easements for use of lands in the Camp Joseph H. Pendleton Naval Reservation, Calif., for a nuclear electric generating station; and

H.R. 7356, relating to nomination and selection of candidates for appointment to the Military, Naval, and Air Force Academies.

U.S. TERRITORIAL WATERS—RUSSIAN TRAFFIC

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee for Special Investigations held a hearing on Russian trawler traffic in territorial waters of the U.S., particularly on the coast of Florida. Testimony was given by Representative Rogers of Florida; Coast Guard officials; and a public witness.

STUDY PROJECTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Domestic Finance met in executive session to consider various pending study proposals.

TRANSIT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 heard testimony from officials of the National Capital Transportation Agency on H.R. 6633 and 7249, bills to provide for a transit development program for the National Capital region.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962. Testimony was given by Ivan A. Nestingen, Under Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 6938, to insure that Federal funds will not be used to assist educational institutions which practice racial discrimination. Heard testimony from Representatives Roosevelt and Joelson; and a public witness.

Following open hearing considered the bill in executive session. The subcommittee will continue on this subject in executive session, Wednesday, July 10.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Wednesday, July 10.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing by John B. Martin, Ambassador to the Dominican Republic.

GEOTHERMAL STEAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held a hearing on H.R. 278, 1091, and 7358, bills regarding geothermal steam; and H.R. 5451, a private bill. Heard testimony from Representatives Baring, Hosmer, Don Clausen; Department of Interior officials; public witnesses (H.R. 278, 1091, and 7358); Representative Harrison; and a public witness (H.R. 5451).

BIOLOGICAL ORDERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety concluded hearings on H.R. 3408, to provide for judicial review of Public Health Service orders concerning biological products. Heard testimony from Representative Libonati; officials of the National Institutes of Health; and a public witness.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session. No announcements were made.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6138 (amended), to provide for recording of proceedings in the U.S. district courts by means of electronic sound recording as well as by shorthand or mechanical means; and

H.R. 5543, to extend to Loudoun County, Va., the provisions of law which permit commitment to St. Elizabeths Hospital of persons of unsound mind found on certain Federal reservations in Virginia and Maryland.

Approved several private claim bills.

VESSEL "SPITFIRE"

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 2457, to extend certain time limitations of section 901(b) of the Merchant Marine Act of 1936, with respect to the vessel *Spitfire.* Heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

DATA PROCESSING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Government Statistics continued hearings on use of electronic data processing equipment by the Federal Government. Heard testimony from officials of Government employee groups; and departmental witnesses.

URBAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads resumed hearings on urban transportation planning, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, July 10.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session on National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, July 10.

Joint Committee Meetings

ATOMIC POWER DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation held hearings in connection with three proposed Atomic Energy Commission cooperative power reactor demonstration program projects. Witnesses heard were James T. Ramey and John G. Palfrey, members, A.R. Luedecke, General Manager, and other officials of the AEC; Samuel Nelson, department of water and power, Los Angeles; Sherman R. Knapp, president, Connecticut Light & Power Co.; James F. Davenport, Southern California Edison; Joseph Rengel, Westinghouse Electric Corp., Pittsburgh; and Carroll F. Hardy, engineering and fuels technology department, National Coal Association.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee received further testimony on the overall balance-of-payments situation and measures being taken both to eliminate the deficit in the balance of payments and to finance it during the period of transition to equilibrium, having as its witness Robert V. Roosa, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

Wednesday, July 10, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on agricultural research and Rio Grande dams, and continued consideration of lead-zinc bill.

House committee approved the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12341–12365

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1854–1862; and S. Con. Res. 52–53. Page 12342

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1057, proposed Criminal Justice Act of 1963 (S. Rept. 346);

S. Res. 167, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "The Arts and the National Government" (S. Rept. 347);

H.R. 4946, authorizing reimbursement for Members of the House of Representatives for transportation expenses for two round trips to their home districts each fiscal year (S. Rept. 348);

S. Res. 110, to print as a Senate document a translation of a book entitled "Large Dams of the U.S.S.R.," with amendment (S. Rept. 349);

H. Con. Res. 161, to print additional copies of H. Docs. 336, 86th Congress, and 139, 87th Congress, entitled "Facts on Communism," volumes I and II, respectively (S. Rept. 350);

S. Con. Res. 47, to print additional copies of certain hearings on effects of television portrayal of crime on young people, with amendment (S. Rept. 351);

S. Res. 162, to print additional copies of S. Rept. 8, 88th Congress, on "Developments in Aging, 1959–63" (S. Rept. 352);

S. Res. 168, accepting an invitation to attend the next general meeting of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaya (S. Rept. 353);

H. Con. Res. 162, to print additional copies of H. Rept. 2559 of the 87th Congress (S. Rept. 354);

H. Con. Res. 163, to print additional copies of publication entitled "Communist Outlets for the Distribution of Soviet Propaganda in the U.S." (S. Rept. 355); and

H. Con. Res. 164, to print additional copies of publication entitled "U.S. Communist Party Assistance to Foreign Communist Governments, Parts 1 and 2" (S. Rept. 356). Pages 12341–12342

Bills Referred: 14 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 12341

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 4062, respecting transmission and disposition by Secretary of the Interior of electric energy generated at Falcon Dam and Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande, was ordered to be placed on calendar. Page 12341

Export-Import Bank: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, agreed to hold conference with House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Clark, Sparkman, Proxmire, Williams (New Jersey), Neuberger, McIntyre, Dominick, Tower, and Javits. Page 12388

Rio Grande Dams: Senate passed without amendment S. 851, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Falcon Dam and Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande. Pages 12401–12402

Agricultural Experiment Stations: H.R. 40, authorizing funds for State construction of research facilities at State agricultural experiment stations, was passed without amendment and cleared for White House. Page 12402

Lead-Zinc: Senate considered H.R. 3845, stabilization of domestic lead and zinc industry, but final actions were not taken and the bill remains Senate's unfinished business. Page 12365

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, having as its witness Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 6177, authorizing payment of Federal funds for operation of the D.C. government (amended by substituting therefor the language contained in S. 871, a related measure); S. 933, relating to the criteria for the issuance of a D.C.

practical nursing license; S. 994, strengthening the enforcement procedures for the abatement of unsafe structures in the D.C.; S. 999, providing for the taking of a school census of all children in the D.C. under age 18; S. 1078, authorizing funds for expenses incurred by the D.C. school lunch program; H.R. 1933, to lower from 21 years to 19 years age requirement for registration as a nurse by the Nurses' Examining Board of the D.C.; and H.R. 2485, authorizing immediate treatment of minors in the D.C. who are found to have venereal disease (amended).

Prior to this action, Public Health Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration all of the above bills except H.R. 6177.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS ACADEMY, AND FREEDOM COMMISSION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 865, providing for the establishment of a Foreign Affairs Academy, and S. 414, to create a Freedom Commission to help guide the U.S. in achieving its objectives in the world struggle, and related measures, but took no action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, having as its witnesses Hamilton Wright, president, and Hamilton Wright, Jr., executive vice president, both of the Hamilton Wright Organization, Inc., a public relations firm.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Constitutional Rights Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 1117, to extend the Commission on Civil Rights.

Subcommittee also considered, but took no final action on, S. 935, establishing procedures for treatment of the mentally ill in the D.C.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures: H.R. 4946, authorizing reimbursement for Members of the House of Representatives for transportation expenses for two round trips to their home districts each fiscal year; S. Res. 168, accepting an invitation to attend the next general meeting of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaya; H. Con. Res. 161, to print additional copies of H. Docs. 336, 86th Congress, and 139, 87th Congress, entitled "Facts on Communism," volumes I and II, respectively; H. Con. Res. 162, to print additional copies of H. Rept. 2559 of the 87th Congress; H. Con. Res. 163, to print additional copies of publication entitled "Communist Outlets for the Distribution of Soviet Propaganda in the U.S."; H. Con. Res. 164, to print additional copies of publication entitled "U.S. Communist Party Assistance to Foreign Communist Governments, Parts 1 and 2"; S. Res. 162, to print additional copies of S. Rept. 8, 88th Congress, on "Developments in Aging, 1959–63"; S. Res. 167, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "The Arts and the National Government"; S. Con. Res. 47, to print additional copies of certain hearings on effects of television portrayal of crime on young people (amended); and S. Res. 110, to print as a Senate document a translation of a book entitled "Large Dams of the U.S.S.R." (amended).

Also, committee approved a request of the Architect of the Capitol for the approval of the execution of certain civil defense licensing forms affecting buildings on the Senate side of the Capitol.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 7475–7487; 4 private bills, H.R. 7488–7491; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 552 and 553, were introduced. **Page 12340**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 7356, to amend title 10, U.S. Code, relating to the nomination and selection of candidates for appointment to the Military, Naval, and Air Force Academies (H. Rept. 538). **Page 12340**

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Boggs to act as Speaker pro tempore on July 10. **Page 12326**

Military Promotion Opportunities: The House concurred in Senate amendments to H.R. 6681, to improve the active-duty promotion opportunity of Air Force officers from the grade of major to the grade of lieutenant colonel; and thus cleared the legislation for Presidential action. **Page 12327**

Auto Seat Belt Standards: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 134, to provide that seat belts sold or shipped in interstate commerce for use in motor vehicles shall meet certain safety standards. H. Res. 423, the open rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 12327–12331**

Interior Department Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 5279, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for fiscal year 1964; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Kirwan, Denton, Cannon, Harrison, and Reifel. Permission was granted that the conferees have until midnight Friday to file a conference report thereon. **Page 12334**

Bills Referred: Five Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 12339**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat met in executive session for a discussion on the present wheat situation.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Serivces: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Testimony was given by Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense); Walmer E. Strope, Director for Research, Office of Civil Defense; and a public witness. Hearings continue Thursday, July 11.

U.S. TERRITORIAL WATERS—RUSSIAN TRAFFIC

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee for Special Investigations continued hearings on Russian trawler traffic in territorial waters of the U.S., particularly off the coast of Florida. Testimony was given by Rear Adm. A. L. Reed, Acting Deputy Chief of Naval Operations; Rear Adm. Rufus L. Taylor, Director, Naval Intelligence; Rear Adm. Bernard M. Strean, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations; U. Alexis Johnson, Deputy Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; Raymond T. Yingling, Assistant Legal Adviser for Special Functional Problems, Department of State; Rear Adm. I. J. Stephens, commander, Seventh Coast Guard District; other Coast Guard officials; and a public witness. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TRANSIT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 heard testimony from officials of the National Capital Transportation Agency on H.R. 6633 and 7249, bills to provide for a transit development program for the National Capital region.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session on H.R. 405, the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, July 11.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Thursday, July 11.

HUNGARY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe heard an executive briefing by Owen T. Jones, U.S. Chargé d'Affaires to Hungary.

NORTHWEST POWER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S. 1007 (amended), to limit the sale or delivery of electric energy generated in Federal hydroelectric plants in the Pacific Northwest outside such area to surplus and surplus peaking capacity, and to give consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on the electrical energy produced in the area; and

H.R. 4211 (amended), a private bill.

Rereferred to subcommittee H.R. 4149, to provide for the satisfaction of claims arising out of old scrip, lieu selection, and similar rights.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety held a hearing on S. 1576, Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act. Testimony was given by Boisfeuillet Jones, Special Assistant to the Secretary; Luther L. Terry, U.S. Surgeon General; Dr. Robert H. Felix, Assistant Surgeon General, all of Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and public witnesses.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, July 11.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on legislation pertaining to civil rights, and heard testimony from Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary; James M. Quigley, Assistant Secretary; and Francis Keppel, Commissioner of Education, all of Health, Education, and Welfare Department.

VESSEL REQUISITION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on the Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 83, to provide that owners of vessels requisitioned by the U.S. shall be accorded preference toward reacquiring these vessels when they can be released by the

Government. Heard testimony from Don W. Alexander, Administrator, Maritime Administration; and a public witness. Hearings continue Thursday, July 11.

OBNOXIOUS—COMMUNIST MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Concluded hearings on H.R. 319, to protect postal patrons from obscene mail matter and Communist propaganda. Heard testimony from Representatives Daniels and Dowdy; General Counsel of the Post Office Department; and president of the Letter Carriers Association.

A statement was presented for the record by Representative Derwinski.

URBAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on urban transportation planning, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS

Committee on Rules: Denied a rule waiving points of order against the conference report on H.R. 5207, to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act.

Representatives Hays, Adair, Bow, Rooney, Kelly, Gross, Barry, and Zablocki were heard on the request for a rule.

ELECTRONIC DATA PROCESSING

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 5171, to authorize the General Services Administration to coordinate, purchase, and lease electronic data processing equipment for Federal agencies.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Dawson, Brooks of Texas, and Wallhauser.

SEDITIOUS ACTIVITIES—ARMED FORCES

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 4897, relating to seditious activities affecting the Armed Forces.

Heard Representatives Feighan, Poff, and Kastenmeier on the request for a rule.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5466 (a clean bill to be introduced), National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization bill.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on tax features of H.R. 3846, the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act. Heard testimony from Representative Fallon; Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; John Carlock, Fiscal Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Stanley Surrey, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Rex Whitton, Federal Highway Administrator, Department of Commerce; John Stillman, Deputy to the Secretary of Commerce for Congressional Relations; and public witnesses.

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Thursday, July 11, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed 10 bills on calendar call and cleared for President bills on industrial protection and Nevada public lands.

House passed D.C. appropriation bill.

Federal equal employment opportunity bill approved by House committee.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12411–12426

Bills Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1863–1868. Page 12412

Bill Referred: H.R. 134, to provide that automobile seat belts sold or shipped in interstate commerce shall meet certain safety standards, was referred to Committee on Commerce. Page 12412

Industrial Protection: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 405, relating to U.S. participation in the International Bureau for the Protection of Industrial Property. This action was taken after Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from further consideration of the bill. Page 12427

Public Lands—Nevada: H.R. 2461, to convey certain lands to the city of Henderson, Nev., was passed without amendment and cleared for White House. Page 12427

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 10 measures were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

House Members' transportation: H.R. 4946, authorizing reimbursement for Members of the House of Representatives for transportation expenses for two round trips to their home districts each fiscal year.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 167, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "The Arts and the National Government";

Commonwealth Parliamentary Association: S. Res. 168, accepting an invitation to attend the next general meeting of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaya;

Printing: S. Res. 162, to print additional copies of S. Rept. 8, 88th Congress, on "Developments in Aging, 1959–63";

Printing: H. Con. Res. 161, to print additional copies of H. Docs. 336, 86th Congress, and 139, 87th Congress, entitled "Facts on Communism," volumes I and II, respectively;

Printing: H. Con. Res. 162, to print additional copies of H. Rept. 2559 of the 87th Congress;

Printing: H. Con. Res. 163, to print additional copies of publication entitled "Communist Outlets for the Distribution of Soviet Propaganda in the U.S."; and

Printing: H. Con. Res. 164, to print additional copies of publication entitled "U.S. Communist Party Assistance to Foreign Communist Governments, Parts 1 and 2."

Resolutions adopted with amendment:

Printing: S. Con. Res. 47, to print additional copies of certain hearings on effects of television portrayal of crime on young people; and

Printing: S. Res. 110, to print as a Senate document a translation of a book entitled "Large Dams of the U.S.S.R." **Pages 12427–12428**

Lead and Zinc: Senate resumed consideration of its unfinished business H.R. 3845, stabilization of domestic lead and zinc industry. **Page 12427**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: 2 Navy in the grade of admiral; 144 postmasters; and numerous Coast and Geodetic Survey. **Pages 12442–12443**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for his Agency from Najeeb E. Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 15.

MILITARY RESERVE, AND MEDALS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 2998, revising the standards for granting the Medal of Honor, and other medals.

Prior to this action committee held hearings on H.R. 6996, revising authority for deferment from certain Reserve training and revising special enlisted training programs, with testimony from the following witnesses: Lt. Gen. William H. S. Wright, Chief, Office of Reserve Components, Army; Rear Adm. Henry S. Monroe, Chief of Naval Reserve; Capt. Bernard E. Scalen, Office of Reserves, Coast Guard; Maj. Gen. Curtis R. Low, Assistant Chief of Staff for Reserve Forces, Air Force; Brig. Gen. R. R. VanStockum, Director of Marine Corps Reserve; Col. Daniel O. Omer, Deputy Director, Selective Service System; Col. John T. Carlton, executive director, Rear Adm. Alexander Jackson, and Maj. Gen. George N. Lodoen (Army), all of the Reserve Officers Association; and Maj. Gen. William H. Harrison, National Guard Association. Committee took no action on this bill.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, having as its witness Frank H. Morris, Mayor of Salisbury, Md., who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, having as its witnesses Gen. Lucius Clay, Chairman, and AFL–CIO President George Meany, member, both of the President's Committee To Strengthen the Security of the Free World.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Navy Fred Korth.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special subcommittee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee with an amendment in the nature of a substitute bill S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 40 public bills, H.R. 7492–7531; 7 private bills, H.R. 7532–7538; and 8 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 193–196, and H. Res. 432–435, were introduced. Pages 12480–12481

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 432, providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 5171, authorizing the General Services Administration to coordinate and provide for the purchase, lease, maintenance, operation, and utilization of automatic data processing equipment by Federal departments and agencies (H. Rept. 539);

H. Res. 433, providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 4897, repealing subsection (d) of section 2388 of title 18 of U.S. Code to extend geographical application of laws relating to seditious activities affecting the Armed Forces (H. Rept. 540);

Eight private bills, H.R. 7019, 1532, 2724, 2790, 4145, 4288, 5822, and 6377 (H. Repts. 541–548, respectively);

H.R. 6138, to provide that the recording of proceedings in U.S. district courts by shorthand or mechanical means may be augmented by electronic sound recording, amended (H. Rept. 549);

H.R. 7195, to amend various sections of title 23, U.S. Code, relating to the Federal-aid highway systems (H. Rept. 550); and

Conference report on H.R. 5279, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 551). Page 12480

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of July 17. Page 12447

D.C. Appropriations: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 7431, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for fiscal year 1964.

The bill provides funds totaling $284,286,800, which amount is $11,365,164 below the 1963 appropriations and $5,295,000 less than the budget estimates. Pages 12447–12459

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FAMILY FARMERS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Family Farms held a hearing on problems of the family farmer, and heard testimony from Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Heard testimony from Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense); and a public witness.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee for Special Investigations met in executive session on pending business.

WORLD BANK—INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 7405, to authorize the U.S. Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development to vote for an increase in the Bank's authorized capital stock; and H.R. 7406, to provide for increased participation by the U.S. in the Inter-American Development Bank. Heard testimony from C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury; John C. Bullitt, U.S. Executive Director, World Bank; and Tom Killefer, U.S. Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank.

D.C. CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 met in executive session and ordered to be introduced for reporting to the full committee a bill relating to crime and criminal procedures in the District of Columbia.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 405 (amended), the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act.

Rereferred to subcommittee H.R. 4879, Library Services and Construction Act.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963.

YEMEN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Near East met in executive session for a briefing on the situation in Yemen with Bushrod Howard, Jr., adviser to the Government of the Kingdom of Yemen; and a State Department official.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held a meeting with Charles H. Stoddard, Director, Bureau of Land Management, for a mutual exchange of ideas concerning the administration of public lands.

Heard testimony from a public witness on H.R. 5159, to authorize and direct that certain lands exclusively administered by the Secretary of the Interior be managed under principles of multiple use and to produce a sustained yield of products and services. Hearings continue Friday, July 12.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety continued hearings on S. 1576, Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act. Heard testimony from Representative Conte; John W. Reynolds, Governor of Wisconsin; Boisfeuillet Jones, Special Assistant to the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; other HEW officials; and public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on bills pertaining to civil rights. Heard testimony from Representatives Dorn and Lindsay.

PATENT OFFICE FEES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7370, to fix the fees payable to the Patent Office; and H.R. 5703, a private bill.

WAR RISK INSURANCE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on the Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 6814, to amend title 12 of the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 to remove certain limitations with respect to war risk insurance issued under the provisions of such title. Testimony was given by Don Alexander, Administrator, Maritime Administration. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Held a hearing on H.R. 7381, regarding employment of civilians in more than one position and civilian employment of retired members of the uniformed services. Heard testimony from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman; Robert E. Hampton, Commissioner; and other Civil Service Commission officials.

A statement from Representative Vinson was read for the record.

SUBCOMMITTEE AFFAIRS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee in executive session agreed, in part, to the administration revenue proposals contained in H.R. 3846, the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1963, concerning the transfer of certain taxes derived from gasoline and special motor fuels used in motorboats from the highway trust fund to the land and water conservation account envisioned by the other parts of H.R. 3846. Under the committee decision, existing law relative to the amounts of these taxes will remain the same, as will also be true of the refund provisions (concerning 2 cents of the 4-cent tax). However, the proceeds from the taxes will go into the land and water conservation account instead of the highway trust fund. The committee agreed that these revenue provisions should be placed in a separate title in the bill, and that language therefor with respect thereon would be transmitted to the Interior Committee.

The committee also agreed that the chairman would introduce a clean bill embodying the provisions of H.R. 3386, the maternal and child health and mental retardation bill, amended in two particulars. This clean bill will be introduced within the next several days.

The committee will meet next on Monday, July 15, 1963, in executive session, to resume consideration of the President's 1963 tax recommendations.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Conferees, in executive session agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5279, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies.

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Monday, July 15, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on lead-zinc bill.
House passed 10 miscellaneous bills.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12527–12550

Bills Introduced: Six bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1869–1874; and S. Res. 170. **Page 12529**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1627, enabling the United States to contribute its share of expenses of the International Commission for Supervision and Control in Laos (S. Rept. 357);

S. 1512, to authorize one additional Assistant Secretary of State, with amendments (S. Rept. 358); and

H.R. 2998, with respect to the award of certain medals and the Medal of Honor Roll (S. Rept. 359). **Page 12529**

Bill Referred: H.R. 7431, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for fiscal year 1964, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. **Page 12527**

Senate Reporters of Debate: S. Res. 170, appointing Gregor Macpherson and Herbert N. Budlong Official Reporters of the Senate, was adopted. **Pages 12527–12528**

Wildlife: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 793, providing a permanent basis for the management of the four wildlife refuges in the Klamath Basin of California and Oregon. Motion to reconsider passage was tabled. **Pages 12550–12559**

Lead-Zinc: Senate considered H.R. 3845, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act so as to assure that only small producers will receive benefits, and reached agreement to limit debate as follows on Williams (Delaware) amendment to terminate the assistance under the legislation on December 31, 1963, rather than on December 31, 1965. At conclusion of routine morning business on Tuesday, July 16, debate on amendment will be limited to 30 minutes, equally divided. **Pages 12550, 12576–12581**

Confirmations: Nominations of Pat Mehaffy, of Arkansas, to be U.S. circuit judge for the eighth circuit; and of Homer Thornberry, of Texas, to be U.S. district judge for the western district of Texas, were confirmed. **Page 12613**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Adm. George W. Anderson, Jr., USN, of the D.C., to be Ambassador to Portugal; Howard Rex Cottam, of the D.C., to be Ambassador to Kuwait; Claude G. Ross, of California, to be Ambassador to the Central African Republic; one Army in the grade of lieutenant general; and numerous Navy nominations. **Pages 12599–12613**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Detlev W. Bronk, Chairman, and Dr. Philip Handler, member, both of the National Science Board; and Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 17.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, receiving testimony from Gov. George C. Wallace, of Alabama.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Governor Wallace.

On Friday, July 12, committee received testimony on this bill from Gov. Ross R. Barnett, of Mississippi; James J. Kilpatrick, editor, Richmond (Va.) News Leader; and Sam H. Hicks, Eagle Hurst Ranch, Huzzah, Mo.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: On Friday, July 12, committee held hearings on the nomination of Ashton C. Barrett, of Mississippi, for reappointment as a member of the Federal Maritime Commission, receiving testimony from Senators Gruening and Stennis. The nominee was present to answer questions and testify on his own behalf.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 18.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee began executive consideration of S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, but made no announcements, and will meet again tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Navy Fred Korth.

On Friday, July 12, committee heard further testimony from Secretary Korth.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 17.

GOLD-MINING INDUSTRY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels began hearings on S. 100 and S. 1273, authorizing a study by the Department of the Interior of the domestic gold-mining industry, with testimony from Representatives Johnson of California and Chenoweth; G. d'Andelot Belin, General Counsel, who was accompanied by Dr. Leland Howard, Office of Domestic Gold and Silver Operations, both of the Department of the Treasury; and Dr. Jack N. Behrman, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GEOTHERMAL STEAM LEASES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, July 12, Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels held hearings on S. 883, to amend the Mineral Leasing Act so as to authorize the leasing of geothermal steam deposits, with testimony from Senator Bible; Jerry O'Callaghan, Bureau of Land Management, who was accompanied by Max Caplan and John Moon, both of the Minerals Division, all of the Department of the Interior; Durand A. Hall, Western Geothermal, Inc., of Nevada, who was accompanied by Benjamin W. Boley, an attorney of Washington, D.C.; Henry Falk, Magma Power Co., Ukiah, Calif.; Robert J. Wright and Seymour S. Bernfeld, representing American Metal Climax, Inc., New York, and Southwest Potash Corp.; and John B. Ashmun, representing Joseph I. O'Neill, Jr., and Ashmun & Hilliard, independent oil and gas operators of Midland, Tex.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 7539–7567; 13 private bills, H.R. 7568–7580; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 554 and 555, and H. Res. 436 and 437, were introduced. Pages 12488, 12526

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 4211, a private bill (H. Rept. 552); and

H.R. 2977, authorizing the sale of certain lands of the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe, amended (H. Rept. 553). Pages 12525–12526

Subpena: Adopted H. Res. 436, relating to compliance by Representative Edmondson with a subpena issued by the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia. Page 12488

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

State highway officials: H. Con. Res. 179, extending appreciation of Congress to the American Association of State Highway Officials for its service to this Nation;

Monument flag raisings: H.J. Res. 375, relating to appropriate flag-raising ceremonies around the Washington Monument;

Minnesota land transfer: H.R. 4177, to release certain restrictions on the use of land previously transferred to the city of St. Paul, Minn.;

Census enumerators: H.R. 4818, repeal of certain provisions relating to the duties of census enumerators;

Illinois flood control: H.R. 4823, to modify the flood control project for Rend Lake, Ill.;

Virginia insane commitments: H.R. 5543, extending to Loudoun County, Va., the provisions of law which permit commitment to St. Elizabeths Hospital of persons of unsound mind found on certain Federal reservations in Virginia and Maryland; and

Military retired pay: H.R. 6000, regarding crediting Inactive Reserve service for certain enlisted personnel.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Nuclear power station: S. 546, granting an easement for the use of lands in Camp Pendleton, Calif., for a nuclear electric generating station;

Induction exemption: H.R. 2664, regarding exemption from induction of sole surviving son of family whose father died as result of military service; and

Military claims: H.R. 6910, to provide for settlement of claims by members of the uniformed services and civilian employees of the U.S. for damage to, or loss of, personal property incident to their service.

Eligible bills not considered:
Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 73, 228, and 6481. Page 12488–12493

Bills Referred: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 12525

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED—WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session on the wheat program. No announcements were made.

On July 12, Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session on the San Gabriel watershed project. No final action was taken on the project.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session regarding fallout shelter legislation. Recessed until Wednesday, July 17, when the subcommittee will meet to mark up a clean bill on this subject.

MANPOWER ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from public witnesses on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Tuesday, July 16.

FOREIGN SERVICE ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session on the Foreign Service Act amendments. No announcements were made.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 1794, and related bills, regarding Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, and rehabilitation of Seneca Nation. Heard testimony from Army Corps of Engineers officials. Hearing continues Tuesday, July 16.

On July 12, Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 5498, and related bills, to authorize and direct that certain lands exclusively administered by the Secretary of the Interior be managed under principles of multiple use and to produce a sustained yield of products and services. Testimony was given by departmental and public witnesses.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety met in executive session on pending business. Recessed until Tuesday, July 16.

BROADCAST EDITORIALIZING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing on broadcast editorializing, and heard testimony from Representatives Hemphill, Dorn, Hall, and Van Deerlin; and a public witness. Hearings continue Tuesday, July 16.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.J. Res. 513, to authorize the President to proclaim the week beginning July 28, 1963, as Veterinary Medicine Week.

Prior to the executive session held an open hearing on H.R. 3086, to incorporate the National Committee on Radiation Protection and Measurements, and heard testimony from Representative Holifield and public witnesses. Heard testimony from Representative Purcell; Dr. Luther L. Terry, U.S. Surgeon General; and public witnesses, on H.J. Res. 439, H.J. Res. 513, and related measures, relating to Veterinary Medicine Week. Testimony was given by Representative Findley on H.J. Res. 472 and 491, measures relating to a Public Works Week.

On July 12, Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on bills pertaining to civil rights, and heard testimony from Representatives Watson, Selden, Stratton, Moorhead, and Waggonner.

DATA PROCESSING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Government Statistics heard testimony from departmental witnesses on use of electronic data processing equipment in the Federal agencies.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations.

The committee will continue on this subject, in executive session, Tuesday, July 16.

Joint Committee Meetings

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Monday, July 22.

On Friday, July 12, conferees began executive consideration of this matter.

Tuesday, July 16, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed five sundry bills.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12618–12648

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1875–1893; S.J. Res. 100; and S. Res. 171. **Pages 12623–12624**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 646, prohibiting the location of chanceries of foreign governments in certain residential areas in the D.C., with amendments (S. Rept. 360). **Page 12619**

Bills Referred: Eight House-passed bills and one House-passed concurrent resolution were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 12617–12618**

Lead-Zinc: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 3845, to amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act so as to assure that only small producers will receive benefits, after rejecting, by 32 yeas to 50 nays, modified Williams (Delaware) amendment to terminate the assistance under the legislation on February 15, 1964, rather than on December 31, 1965. **Pages 12649–12653**

Lead-Zinc: By 48 yeas to 34 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted Williams (Delaware) motion to recommit to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs H.R. 3120, to simplify the administration of the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act. **Pages 12654–12657**

Nuclear Power Station: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 546, granting an easement for the use of lands in Camp Pendleton, Calif., for a nuclear electric generating station. This action cleared the bill for the President's signature. **Page 12653**

D.C. Redevelopment: Senate passed with amendments S. 628, to broaden the definition of "slum or blighted area" under the D.C. Redevelopment Act, after adopting McIntyre amendment of a technical nature, and rejecting en bloc Miller amendments to bar acquisition and disposition of any building in a project area other than a substandard building. **Pages 12657, 12666–12672**

Laos: S. 1627, enabling the United States to contribute its share of expenses of the International Commission for Supervision and Control in Laos. was passed without amendment. **Pages 12673–12674**

Assistant Secretary of State: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 1512, to authorize one additional Assistant Secretary of State. **Pages 12674–12675**

Medals: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 2998, with respect to the award of certain medals and the Medal of Honor Roll. **Page 12675**

Tariff: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 2513, requiring new packages of imported articles to be marked so as to indicate country of origin. **Page 12675**

Nominations: Two Coast Guard nominations and one judicial nomination were received. **Page 12679**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, with testimony in open and executive sessions in behalf of funds for their Department from Secretary of State Dean Rusk and Deputy Under Secretary of State William J. Crockett.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY PAY INCREASE

Committee on Armed Services: Special subcommittee began hearings on H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the Armed Forces, with testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower, who was accompanied by Col. Leo E. Benade, Director, Task Force on Military Compensation, OSD; Fred Korth, Secretary of the Navy, who was accompanied by Vice Adm. W. R. Smedberg III, Chief of the Bureau of Naval Personnel, and Brig. Gen. Ormond R. Simpson, Assistant Director, Personnel Department, Marine Corps; Cyrus R. Vance, Secretary of the Army; Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chief of Staff, Army; Eugene M. Zuckert, Secretary of the Air Force; and Lt. Gen. William S. Stone, Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SECURITIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 1642, amending in several regards the Securities Act and the Securities Exchange Act.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, with further testimony from Gov. George C. Wallace, of Alabama. Testimony was also received from Bruce Bennett, attorney general of Arkansas.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. INSURANCE RATES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on S. 1184, relating to the regulation of certain insurance rates in the D.C., receiving testimony from Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, and Albert F. Jordan, Superintendent of Insurance, both of the D.C. government; and Robert V. Oxenham, D.C. Association of Insurance Agents.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 23.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its executive consideration of S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, but made no announcements, and will meet again on Thursday, July 18.

GOLD MINING INDUSTRY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels continued its hearings on S. 100 and S. 1273, authorizing a study by the Department of the Interior of the domestic gold mining industry, having as its witnesses Senator Bartlett; Robert S. Palmer, Colorado Mining Association, Denver; Dr. Elgin Groseclose, author and economic and financial consultant, Washington, D.C.; Charles F. Oddy, Optical Manufacturers Association; William P. Conklin, of Hartford, Conn., representing the Dental Gold Institute; and Robert M. Krementz, of Newark, N.J., Jewelers & Silversmiths of America, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee began hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, having as its witness Senator Ervin, who did not finish testifying, and will continue with his statement tomorrow.

MANPOWER RETRAINING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower held hearings on S. 1691, 1716, 1725, and 1831, bills proposing amendments to the Manpower Development and Training Act, having as its witnesses W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor, and Eli E. Cohen, National Committee on Employment of Youth.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 18.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 7581–7615; 11 private bills, H.R. 7616–7626; 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 556–561, H. Con. Res. 197, and H. Res. 438–442, were introduced. **Pages 12755–12756**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5703, a private bill (H. Rept. 554);

H.J. Res. 513, authorizing the President to proclaim the week beginning July 28, 1963, as Veterinary Medicine Week (H. Rept. 555);

H. Res. 440, providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 6518, to improve, strengthen, and accelerate programs for the prevention and abatement of air pollution (H. Rept. 556);

H. Res. 441, providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 7195, to amend various sections of title 23 of the U.S. Code relating to Federal-aid highway systems (H. Rept. 557); and

H. Res. 442, providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 7356, to amend title 10 of U.S. Code relating to nomination and selection of candidates for appointment to the Military, Naval, and Air Force Academies (H. Rept. 558). **Page 12755**

Papal Acknowledgment: Heard the reading of a letter expressing the thanks and appreciation of Pope Paul VI to the House of Representatives for passage of the resolution of sorrow upon the death of His Holiness Pope John XXIII. **Pages 12679–12680**

Dean of the House: Heard numerous Members speak in tribute to the service of Representative Carl Vinson, of the Sixth Congressional District of Georgia. Today Mr. Vinson's service totaled 48 years, 8 months, and 13 days, and thus exceeded the late Speaker Rayburn's service. **Pages 12680–12697**

Private Calendar: The call of the Private Calendar was dispensed with after the following three bills were passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2300, 2706, and 2728. **Page 12698**

Private Bill: Pursuant to a unanimous-consent request, H.R. 2192, a private bill, was called up and passed by a voice vote. Page 12699

Seditious Activity: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 4897, repealing subsection (d) of section 2388 of title 18 of U.S. Code to extend geographical application of laws relating to seditious activities affecting the Armed Forces. A recommittal motion had been rejected earlier by a record vote of 40 yeas to 339 nays. H. Res. 433, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 12699–12708

Bill Referred: One Senate-passed bill was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 12754

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FORESTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 1388 (amended), to add certain lands to the Cache National Forest, Utah.

Prior to the executive session held an open hearing on H.R. 5738, to provide different basis for determining amount of money for Illinois National Forest; and H.R. 7218 and S. 1388, identical bills (title above).

Testimony was given by Representatives Gray and Burton; and departmental witnesses.

MILITARY REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate and Construction met in executive session and approved several military real estate projects.

D.C. TRANSIT PROGRAM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 resumed hearings on H.R. 6633 and H.R. 7249, the D.C. transit development program. Heard testimony from Representative Mathias; David E. Finley, Chairman, Fine Arts Commission; and National Capital Transportation Agency officials. Hearings continue Thursday, July 18.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962. Heard testimony from a public witness.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES COMPENSATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from various public witnesses on H.R. 4912, to amend the Federal Employees Compensation Act.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on title IV–a of H.R. 3000, the National Educational Improvement Act (regarding elementary and secondary education). Heard testimony from Francis Keppel, Commissioner, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: The committee continued markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Wednesday, July 17.

LAOS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing by Leonard Unger, U.S. Ambassador to Laos.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs continued hearings on H.R. 1794, and related bills, regarding Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, and rehabilitation of Seneca Nation. Heard testimony from Army Corps of Engineers officials.

BROADCAST EDITORIALIZING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing on broadcast editorializing, and heard testimony from E. William Henry, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, accompanied by other FCC officials.

D.C. AIRPORTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 826, to provide for the operation of the federally owned civil airports in D.C. or its vicinity.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety met in executive session. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, July 17.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 7457 (amended), to provide legal assistance for indigent defendants in criminal cases in U.S. courts;

H.R. 5703, to extend a patent to the United Daughters of the Confederacy; and

H.J. Res. 513, to authorize the President to proclaim the week beginning July 28, 1963, as Veterinary Medicine Week.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 82 (amended), to provide for the reimbursement of certain vessel construction expenses.

Prior to the executive session, in an open hearing, heard testimony from Donald W. Alexander, Maritime Administrator, and public witnesses on H.R. 82 (title above); and H.R. 6813, to authorize the amendment of contracts between shipowners and the United States dealing with vessels whose life has been extended by Public Law 86–518.

DUAL COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: The committee heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses on H.R. 7381, and related bills, regarding dual employment and dual compensation.

U.S. ACADEMIES

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 7356, relating to the nomination and selection of candidates for appointment to the U.S. Academies.

Testimony was given on the request for a rule by Representatives Hébert and Bray.

CLEAN AIR

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 6518, the Clean Air Act.

Heard testimony on the request for a rule from Representatives Roberts of Alabama, Schenck, and Rogers of Florida.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 7195, the Federal-Aid Highway Act amendments.

Heard testimony from Representatives Fallon and Baldwin on the request for a rule.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7500, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, July 17.

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Wednesday, July 17, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Thursday, July 18, at noon.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee, in executive session, heard further testimony from Administrator James E. Webb, and other officials of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, in behalf of proposed authorizations for their agency for fiscal year 1964.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to hear further testimony from Mr. Webb.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.J. Res. 403, extending the time by which a lease transferring a tobacco acreage allotment may be filed; S. 1604, to permit a rice producer permanently withdrawing from rice production to transfer his history without transferring his land; and with amendment S. 1703, to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program.

Also, the committee approved the following two watershed projects: Johns Creek, Va., and Upper Deckers, W. Va.

Committee announced that it would take action on pending dairy legislation at its next regular executive meeting on Wednesday, August 7.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for his agency from John S. Gleason, Jr., Administrator of Veterans' Administration, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 24.

MILITARY PAY INCREASE

Committee on Armed Services: Special subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the Armed Forces, receiving testimony from Senators Goldwater and Fong; Representatives Bennett of Florida and Cleveland; Rear Adm. George A. Knudson, Chief of Personnel, Coast Guard; Dr. Luther L. Terry, Surgeon General, PHS; Dr. Gideon Lang, American Optometric Association; Gerald Gereau, American Veterans Committee; Fred J. Scanlon, Fleet Reserve Association; Maj. Gen. William H. Harrison, Jr., National Guard Association; and Col. John T. Carlton, Reserve Officers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TRUTH IN LENDING ACT HEARINGS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, by a vote of 8 to 7, agreed to hold hearings in four cities outside of the District of Columbia on the bill S. 750, proposed Truth in Lending Act, the expenses of which hearings are not to exceed $4,700.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, having as its witnesses Ford Frick, commissioner of baseball; Pete Rozelle, commissioner, National Football League; Joe Foss, commissioner, American Football League; C. Maurice Weidemeyer, delegate to the Maryland General Assembly; Edgar S. Kalb, manager, Beverly Beach Club, Mayo, Md.; and Samuel J. Setta, chairman, Referendum Committee of Maryland, Easton, Md.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PESTICIDES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations resumed its hearings on the effects of pesticides on human health and safety, having as its witnesses the following medical experts: Dr. Wayland B. Hayes, U.S. Public Health Service; Dr. Malcolm M. Hargraves, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn.; Dr. Joseph Holmes, University of Colorado School of Medicine; Dr. Charles Hine, University of California; and Dr. Theron G. Randolph, of Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary Fred Korth and Assistant Secretary James H. Wakelin, both of the Department of the Navy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOLD-MINING INDUSTRY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels concluded its hearings on S. 100 and S. 1273, authorizing a study by the Department of the Interior of the domestic gold-mining industry, after receiving testimony from Senator Mundt; John M. Kelly, Assistant Secretary of the Interior (Mineral Resources); Dr. Donald H. McLaughlin, American Mining Congress; George A. Nugent, Paramount Mining & Milling Co.; and Loren E. Thompson, Parkersburg, W. Va.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 27, providing for the establishment of the Canyonlands National Park in Utah, and S. 653, to provide an adequate basis for administration of the Lake Mead National Recreation Area, Ariz. and Nev.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, receiving further testimony from Senator Ervin. Statements were also received from Senators Dodd, Hart, and Keating.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Attorney General Kennedy will testify.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 6016, authorizing funds for certain river basin flood control and navigation projects (amended); S. 1652, to increase the period during which funds may be raised for the National Cultural Center; and H.R. 4646, declaring a portion of the Benton Harbor Canal, Mich., a nonnavigable stream.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 7627–7638; 4 private bills, H.R. 7639–7642; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 443 and 444, were introduced. Pages 12800–12801

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: 10th report by the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Military Air Transportation—1963" (H. Rept. 559). Page 12800

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was authorized to sit during general debate of the sessions of the House on Wednesday and the balance of the week. Page 12763

Interior Department Appropriations: By a record vote of 333 yeas to 50 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 5279, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for fiscal year 1964, and sent the legislation to the Senate. A recommittal motion providing for insistence of House disagreement to Senate amendment No. 52 providing for planning for construction of a National Air Museum had been rejected earlier by a record vote of 144 yeas to 245 nays.

Amendments Nos. 6, 7, and 10 were reported in disagreement and on which the House voted to recede and concur therein. Pages 12764–12772

Veterinary Medicine Week: Adopted H.J. Res. 513, authorizing the President to proclaim the week beginning July 28, 1963, as Veterinary Medicine Week. Pages 12772–12773

Peanuts: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 101, to extend for 2 years the exemption of peanuts for boiling from marketing quotas. This passage was subsequently vacated, the House bill tabled, and a similar bill, S. 582, was passed in lieu and thus the legislation was cleared for Presidential action. H. Res. 401, the rule making in order the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 12773–12779

Bills Referred: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 12792

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED—RICE—COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.J. Res. 192, regarding rice acreage allotment transfers.

Approved the following watershed projects: Bear-Pierce-Cedar Creek, Nebr.; Bellwood, Nebr.; Buckhorn-Mesa, Ariz.; Caney Creek, Okla.; Istokpoga Marsh, Fla.; Middle Fork of Hood River, Oreg.; Mulberry Creek, Tenn.; Nealahu, Hawaii; Tupelo Bayou, Ark.; Upper Deckers Creek, W. Va.; Upper Little Minnesota River, S. Dak.; Upper Tampa Bay, Fla.; Johns Creek, Va.; and Jumper Creek, Fla.

Referred H.R. 3928, the potato marketing quota bill, to Domestic Marketing Subcommittee for further consideration.

Discussed H.R. 6196, the cotton bill, which is pending before the Rules Committee. Agreed to accept a floor amendment which would set the 1964 support on the balance of the crop at 30 cents (middling 1-inch); for 1965 at 29½ cents, and for 1966 at 29 cents.

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Special Subcommittee on Food Stamp Program held an informal meeting to discuss pending legislation.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued in executive session on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Heard testimony from Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense), and another Civil Defense official, and Lawson B. Knott, Jr., Deputy Administrator, General Services Administration. Recessed until Thursday, July 18.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7525 (amended), relating to crime and criminal procedure in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 6353, to amend the D.C. Unemployment Compensation Act to allow confidential information concerning benefit rights to be disclosed to the D.C. Department of Public Welfare;

H.R. 6350, to waive the theoretical examination and issue a dentistry license to any applicant who holds a certificate from the National Board of Dental Examiners, provided he passes a practical examination;

S. 490, to eliminate requirement that an alphabetical file on motor vehicle and trailer liens be kept by D.C.;

S. 489, to allow hearing time to be set by controlling statutes in the D.C. small claims court; and

H.R. 6128 (amended), to require stock life insurance companies in D.C. to maintain records of stockholders at its principal place of business in D.C.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on title IV–a of H.R. 3000, the National Educational Improvement Act (regarding elementary and secondary education). Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 5625, the National Service Corps bill and heard testimony from Representatives Hansen, Ryan of New York, Halpern, Pepper, and Vanik.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued in executive session to mark up H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Thursday, July 18.

U.S. HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6237 (amended), to authorize $500,000 for Federal grants for the collection, reproduction, and publication of documentary source material significant to U.S. history.

Approved a report entitled "Military Air Transportation."

PRINTING RESOLUTIONS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 7043, to provide that certain proceedings of the Veterans of World War I of the United States, Inc., shall be printed as a House document;

H. Con. Res. 194, to authorize the printing of 322,500 additional copies of the "Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag";

H. Res. 428, to authorize the printing of additional copies of the study entitled "The Federal Government and Education"; and

S. Con. Res. 47, to authorize the printing for the use of the Senate Committee on the Judiciary of additional copies of its hearings on "Effects on Young People of Violence and Crime Portrayed on Television."

TRUST TERRITORY OF PACIFIC ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 3198 (amended), to promote the economic and social development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

BROADCAST EDITORIALIZING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on broadcast editorializing and heard testimony from public witnesses.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on civil rights legislation, and heard testimony from Representatives Rivers of South Carolina and Huddleston; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, July 18.

REINDICTMENT—PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7219, relating to reindictment after dismissal of a defective indictment.

MAIL TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Legislative Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 5179, regarding the transportation of mail by passenger common carriers by motor vehicle. Heard testimony from Post Office Department officials; and public witnesses.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, July 18.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC OMNIBUS BILL

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation held hearings on S. 1795 and H.R. 7300, amending the Atomic Energy Act and the EURATOM Cooperation Act, receiving testimony from James T. Ramey, member, who was accompanied by other officials of the Atomic Energy Commission; and H. Glasser, president, Radiological Services Co., Inc., of New York.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

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Thursday, July 18, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on balance of payments.

Senate cleared for White House Interior appropriations bill and passed bill requiring marking of imported articles.

House passed GSA automatic data processing bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12810–12846

Bills Introduced: 26 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1894–1919; S.J. Res. 101; and S. Res. 172–173. Pages 12812–12813

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 4646, declaring a portion of the Benton Harbor Canal, Mich., a nonnavigable stream (S. Rept. 361);

S. 1652, to increase the period during which funds may be raised for the National Cultural Center (S. Rept. 362);

H.R. 6016, authorizing funds for certain river basin flood control and navigation projects, with amendments (S. Rept. 363);

S. 1604, to permit a rice producer permanently withdrawing from rice production to transfer his history without transferring his land (S. Rept. 364);

H.J. Res. 403, extending the time by which a lease transferring a tobacco acreage allotment may be filed (S. Rept. 365);

S. 994, strengthening the enforcement procedures for the abatement of unsafe structures in the D.C. (S. Rept. 366);

S. 999, providing for the taking of a school census of all children in the D.C. under age 18 (S. Rept. 367);

S. 1078, authorizing funds for expenses incurred by the D.C. school lunch program (S. Rept. 368);

H.R. 1933, to lower from 21 years to 19 years age requirement for registration as a nurse by the Nurses' Examining Board of the D.C. (S. Rept. 369);

H.R. 2485, authorizing immediate treatment of minors in the D.C. who are found to have venereal disease, with amendment (S. Rept. 370); and

H.R. 6177, authorizing payment of Federal funds for operation of the D.C. government, with amendments (S. Rept. 371). **Page 12812**

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to Committee on Armed Services. **Page 12810**

President's Message—Balance of Payments: Message from President transmitting legislative recommendations to meet problems connected with balance-of-payments deficits, and large gold outflows was received—referred to Committee on Finance. **Pages 12806–12810**

Interior Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 5279, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies. This action cleared bill for President's signature. **Pages 12876–12879**

Tariff: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 2513, requiring new packages of imported articles to be marked so as to indicate country of origin, after adopting Magnuson amendment on sawed lumber.

Javits' motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Finance was rejected by 12 yeas to 62 nays. **Pages 12846, 12879–12884, 12888–12895**

Rio Grande Dams: H.R. 4062, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Falcon Dam and Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande, was, by unanimous consent, taken from calendar and referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. **Page 12899**

Fisheries Research: Senate took up and debated S. 627, to promote State commercial fisheries research and development activities, but the bill was displaced when other business was taken up on motion. **Pages 12895–12896**

Foreign Buildings: Senate made its unfinished business S. 646, prohibiting the location of chanceries of foreign governments in certain residential areas in the D.C.

Majority leader announced that this bill will be laid down as Senate's unfinished business at conclusion of morning hour on Monday, July 22. **Pages 12899–12900**

Veterinary Medicine Week: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 513, to proclaim as Veterinary Medicine Week the week beginning July 28, 1963. **Pages 12825–12826**

Nominations: Numerous Army nominations in the rank of general and three Navy nominations in the rank of admiral were received. **Pages 12939–12940**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee, in executive session, heard further testimony from Administrator James E. Webb, and other officials of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, in behalf of proposed authorizations for their agency for fiscal year 1964 as embodied in S. 1245.

Committee will meet again on Tuesday, July 23, to consider this proposed legislation.

MILITARY PAY INCREASE

Committee on Armed Services: Special subcommittee concluded its hearings on H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services, after receiving testimony from Senators Inouye and Yarborough; former Gov. Joe Foss, representing the Air Force Association, who was introduced by Senator Simpson; Dr. Leroy Burney, Commissioned Officers Association of the Public Health Service; Col. D. George Paston, Disabled Officers Association; Penrose L. Albright, Judge Advocates Association; Paul H. Robbins, National Society of Professional Engineers; Adm. Louis E. Denfeld, Retired Officers' Association; and Rear Adm. Arthur A. Ageton, USN, retired.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, having as it witnesses Senators Case and Williams of New Jersey, and W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 22.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its executive consideration of S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, following which it announced that it had agreed to (1) repeal statement of policy of section 102 of the Foreign Assistance Act, (2) reduce the amount for development grants and technical cooperation from $257 million to $225 million, (3) approve language authorizing separate appropriations for American schools and hospitals abroad, and (4) approve an increase in ceiling on specific risk portion of the investment guarantee program from $1.3 billion to $2.5 billion.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to continue consideration of this bill.

CANADIAN-AMERICAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Canadian Affairs Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a review of Canadian-American affairs from Delmar R. Carlson, Canadian Desk Officer, Department of State.

METROPOLITAN PLANNING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session to consider S. 855 and S. 915, to require improved coordination of land-use projects in the development of metropolitan areas with Federal funds, but took no action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

PESTICIDES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations continued its hearings on the effects of pesticides on human health and safety, having as its witnesses Dr. Irma West, department of public health, State of California; and Dr. William J. Darby, Vanderbilt University.

Statements were submitted for the record by Dr. Paul Kotin, National Institutes of Health, and Dr. Robert E. Eckert, Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 23.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary Fred Korth and Assistant Secretary James H. Wakelin, both of the Department of the Navy.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 23.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, having as its witness Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy, who did not conclude with his testimony, and will continue same on Wednesday, July 24.

MANPOWER RETRAINING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower held hearings on S. 1691, 1716, 1725, and 1831, bills relating to manpower retraining problems, with testimony from Francis Keppel, Commissioner of Education, Department of HEW; Andrew J. Biemiller, department of legislation, AFL–CIO; and Clarence L. Grieber and M. D. Mobley, both of the American Vocational Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 7643–7672; 9 private bills, H.R. 7673–7681; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 562–564, H. Con. Res. 198–202, and H. Res. 445 and 446, were introduced. Pages 12994–12995

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 254, to provide for acquisition of certain property in square 758 in the District of Columbia as an addition to the grounds of the U.S. Supreme Court Building (H. Rept. 560);

S. 489, relating to procedures before the small claims and conciliation branch in the District of Columbia court of general sessions (H. Rept. 561);

S. 490, eliminating requirement of duplicate alphabetical files regarding liens on motor vehicles and trailers (H. Rept. 562);

H.R. 6353, to permit D.C. Unemployment Compensation Board to advise D.C. Welfare Department as to status of applicants for public assistance (H. Rept. 563);

H.R. 6128, relating to maintenance of records of stockholders of stock life insurance companies (H. Rept. 564); and

H.R. 6350, to authorize D.C. Board of Dental Examiners to waive theoretical examination for applicants for license as dental hygienists who are certified by National Board of Dental Examiners (H. Rept. 565). Page 12993

President's Message—Balance of Payments: Received and read a message from the President reviewing the progress made in checking the balance-of-payments deficit. The message was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 141). Pages 12940–12944

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of July 24. Page 12946

GSA Automatic Data Processing: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 5171, to authorize the Administrator of the General Services Administration to coordinate and otherwise provide for the economic and efficient purchase, lease, maintenance, operation, and utilization of automatic data processing equipment by Federal agencies and departments.

A motion to recommit the bill was rejected by a record vote of 96 yeas to 258 nays.

In addition to numerous committee amendments the House adopted two amendments designed to—

Provide for congressional regulation of revolving fund and limitation of expenditures therefrom; and

Prevent General Services Administration from controlling, using, and operating data processing equipment.

Rejected an amendment to require competitive bidding on purchases of punched card machines.

H. Res. 432, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 12947–12969

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued in executive session on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Testimony was given by Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense).

SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee for Special Investigations met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

D.C. TRANSIT PROGRAM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 continued hearings on H.R. 6633 and H.R. 7249, the D.C. transit development program. Heard testimony from D.C. officials; and public witnesses.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from various public witnesses on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5625, the National Service Corps bill, and heard testimony from various public witnesses.

DATA PROCESSING

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee held a hearing on National Research Data Processing and Information Retrieval Center. Testimony was given by departmental and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued in executive session to mark up H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963.

SINO-SOVIET DIFFERENCES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session to hear Alan S. Whiting, Director, Office of Research and Analysis for Far East, Department of State, on the background of Sino-Soviet differences.

LAND-WATER CONSERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session on H.R. 3846, and related bills, to establish a land and water conservation fund for future outdoor recreation needs. Recessed until Friday, July 19.

BROADCAST EDITORIALIZING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on broadcast editorializing. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

MENTAL HEALTH

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: The committee released the following information regarding yesterday's action on S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act, which was reported from subcommittee.

Major subcommittee amendments to Senate-passed bill:

1. Mental retardation research centers (construction): Cut back to 3 years (from 5 years). Appropriations authorized for fiscal years 1964, 1965, 1966, totaling $20 million.

2. Mental retardation facilities (construction):

(*a*) University grants: Cut back to 3 years (from 5 years). Appropriations authorized for fiscal years 1964, 1965, 1966, totaling $22.5 million.

(*b*) State grants: Cut back to 2 years (from 4 years). Appropriations authorized for fiscal years 1965, 1966, totaling $27.5 million.

3. Community mental health centers (construction): Cut back to 2 years (from 4 years). Appropriations authorized for fiscal years 1965, 1966, totaling $115 million.

4. Community mental health centers (initial staffing): Cut back to 6 years (from 8 years). Appropriations authorized for fiscal year 1966 through fiscal year 1971, totaling $169 million.

Federal share of initial staffing costs cut to:

Maximum of 50 percent (from 75 percent)—first 18 months.

Maximum of 40 percent (from 60 percent)—next 12 months.

Maximum of 30 percent (from 45 percent)—next 12 months.

Maximum of 20 percent (from 30 percent)—final 12 months.

S. 1576, as amended by subcommittee, authorizes appropriations totaling $407 million. The Senate-passed bill authorizes appropriations totaling $850 million.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on legislation regarding civil rights. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

WILDLIFE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses on wildlife population trends and bag limits.

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee met in executive session on H.R. 10, to extend the apportionment requirement of the Civil Service Act to temporary summer employment. No final action was taken.

MAIL TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5179, regarding transportation of mail by passenger motor vehicle carriers.

DUAL COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 7381, and related bills, regarding dual employment and dual compensation.

PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S. 130, to change the name of Fort Randall Reservoir in the State of South Dakota to Lake Francis Case;

H.R. 1135, to designate the dam to be constructed and the reservoir to be formed on the Des Moines River, Iowa, as the Red Rock Dam and Lake Red Rock;

S. 131, to change the name of the Big Bend Reservoir in South Dakota to Lake Sharpe;

S. 850, to change the name of the Bruces Eddy Dam and Reservoir in Idaho to the Dworshak Dam and Reservoir;

H.R. 5478, to authorize a survey of the Frio River in the vicinity of Three Rivers, Tex., in the interest of flood control and allied purposes;

H.R. 6923, to authorize a survey of Cedar Bayou, Tex., for flood control;

H.R. 1696 (amended), to define interests of local public agencies in water reservoirs constructed by the Federal Government where such agencies have contributed to construction costs;

H.R. 1136, to pay fair value for improvements rendered inoperative or adversely affected by the construction of the Red Rock Reservoir project;

H.R. 5160, to authorize payments for certain improvements affected adversely by the construction of the Milford Dam and Reservoir project, Kansas;

H.R. 2671, to authorize construction of a bank protection and erosion prevention project on the Guyandot River at Barboursville, W. Va.;

H.R. 7594, to designate the McGee Bend Dam and Reservoir on the Angelina River, Tex., as the Sam Rayburn Dam and Reservoir; and

S. 254, to authorize the Architect of the Capitol to acquire certain property in the District of Columbia as an addition to the grounds of the U.S. Supreme Court Building.

Approved four flood control resolutions.

CIA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session for a briefing by Central Intelligence Agency officials. No announcements were made.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made.

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HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on railroad rules dispute.

Senate passed nine bills on calendar call.

House adjourned out of respect to the memory of Representative Nygaard.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13009–13040

Bills Introduced: Six bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1920–1925; S.J. Res. 102; and S. Res. 174–175.
Pages 13010–13011

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1703, to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program, with minority views (S. Rept. 372); and

S. Res. 174, authorizing the printing of additional copies of committee print entitled "Staffing Procedures and Problems of the Soviet Union" (no written report).
Page 13010

Bill Referred: H.R. 5171, to authorize efficient utilization of automatic data processing equipment by Federal agencies and departments, was referred to Committee on Government Operations.
Page 13010

President's Message—Railroad Rules: President transmitted special message on the railroad rules dispute with recommendations for legislative action thereon—at request of majority leader and by unanimous consent referred to Committee on Commerce.
Pages 13095–13099

Calendar Call: On call of calendar nine bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Benton Harbor, Mich.: H.R. 4646, declaring a portion of the Benton Harbor Canal, Mich., a nonnavigable stream;

Tobacco: H.J. Res. 403, extending the time by which a lease transferring a tobacco acreage allotment may be filed; and

D.C.: H.R. 1933, to lower from 21 years to 19 years age requirement for registration as a nurse by the Nurses' Examining Board of the D.C.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

D.C.: H.R. 2485, authorizing immediate treatment of minors in the D.C. who are found to have venereal disease.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

National Cultural Center: S. 1652, to increase the period during which funds may be raised for the National Cultural Center;

Rice: S. 1604, to permit a rice producer permanently withdrawing from rice production to transfer his history without transferring his land;

D.C.: S. 994, strengthening the enforcement procedures for the abatement of unsafe structures in the D.C.;

D.C.: S. 999, providing for the taking of a school census of all children in the D.C. under age 18; and

D.C.: S. 1078, authorizing funds for expenses incurred by the D.C. school lunch program.
Pages 13047–13052

Navigation: Senate agreed to House amendments to S. 1036, to amend the inland and western rivers rules concerning anchor lights and fog signals in special anchorage areas. This action cleared bill for the White House.
Page 13054

Fisheries Research: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 627, to promote State commercial fisheries research and development activities, after adopting committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute) which had been amended by Bartlett amendment respecting preference given to State suffering a commercial fishery failure due to disaster from natural causes.

Prior to its passage Senate rejected, by 21 yeas to 52 nays, Cotton motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Commerce.
Pages 13047, 13052, 13054–13070

D.C.: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 6177, authorizing payment of Federal funds for operation of the D.C. government.
Pages 13070–13071, 13087–13089

Condolence Resolution: S. Res. 175, expressing condolences on the death of Representative Nygaard, was adopted.
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Treaties Received: President transmitted the following three conventions, which were referred to Committee on Foreign Relations:

Convention on the Political Rights of Women, signed at New York on March 31, 1953 (Ex. J, 88th Cong., 1st sess.);

Convention concerning Abolition of Forced Labor, adopted by International Labor Conference at its 40th session on June 25, 1957 (Ex. K, 88th Cong., 1st sess.); and

Supplementary Convention on the Abolition of Slavery, signed at Geneva on September 7, 1956 (Ex. L, 88th Cong., 1st sess.). **Page 13046**

Confirmation: Nomination of Charles R. Ferguson, of Pennsylvania, to be member of the Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review, was confirmed. **Page 13107**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: David Statler Black, of Washington, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission; Howard Jenkins, Jr., of Colorado, to be a member of NLRB; and one judicial.

One reported postmaster nomination was recommitted to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **Page 13107**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, July 19, subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, with testimony in behalf of funds for their Department from the following State Department officials: William J. Crockett, Deputy Under Secretary for Administration; G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary for African Affairs; Phillips Talbot, Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; and Verne B. Lewis, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Budget and Finance.

On Friday, July 19, testimony was heard from Mr. Crockett; Thomas L. Hughes, Deputy Director of Intelligence and Research; and Jack N. Behrman, member, Board of the Foreign Service, all of the Department of State.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

STOCKPILING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on the National Stockpile met in executive session to discuss its report to be made as a result of its stockpiling hearings held in the 87th Congress, 2d session, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, having as its witness Roy Wilkins, executive secretary, NAACP.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from Under Secretary of Commerce Roosevelt.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: On Friday, July 19, committee concluded its hearings on the nomination of Ashton C. Barrett, to be a member of the Federal Maritime Commission, after receiving testimony from Senator Eastland, and the nominee.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, continued to mark up S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

Committee also considered this matter on Friday, July 19.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Public Lands Subcommittee held hearings on the following bills:

S. 1374, to amend the Alaska Admissions Act relating to the selection of public lands for the development of communities, with testimony from Senator Bartlett; and James F. Doyle, Assistant Director, and Irving Senzel, Division of Lands and Recreation, both of the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior;

H.R. 6218, authorizing additional extensions of time for final proof by certain entrymen under the desert-land laws, and H.R. 2942, a private bill, with testimony from Messrs. Doyle and Senzel; and

H.R. 4588, to provide for the withdrawal and reservation for the Navy of certain lands at Mojave B Aerial Gunnery Range, Calif., and H.R. 5222, providing for the withdrawal and reservation for the Navy of certain public lands at Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range, Calif., with testimony from Messrs. Doyle and Senzel; and Maj. Lawrence B. Hart, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations.

POSTAL EMPLOYEES' WORK MEASUREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Friday, July 19, committee held hearings to receive testimony in connection with the work measurement system employed by the Post Office Department. Witnesses heard were John F. O'Connor, United Federation of Postal Clerks; John W. MacKay, president, who was accompanied by David Silvergleid and Walter Noreen, all of the National Postal Union; John A. McCart, Government Employees' Council, AFL–CIO; and Daniel Jaspan, legislative representative, who was accompanied by Frederick J. O'Dwyer and Donald N. Ledbetter, all of the National Association of Postal Supervisors.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Nine public bills, H.R. 7682–7690; six private bills, H.R. 7691–7696; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 565, H. Con. Res. 203, and H. Res. 447–449, were introduced. Pages 13008–13009

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3669, proposed Quality Stabilization Act, amended (H. Rept. 566);

S. 130, changing the name of Fort Randall Reservoir, Missouri River, S. Dak., to Lake Francis Case (H. Rept. 567);

S. 131, changing the name of Big Bend Reservoir, S. Dak., to Lake Sharpe (H. Rept. 568);

S. 850, changing the name of Bruces Eddy Dam and Reservoir, Idaho, to the Dworshak Dam and Reservoir (H. Rept. 569); and

H.R. 405, proposed Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1963 amended (H. Rept. 570). Pages 13008–13009

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Price to act as Speaker on Monday, July 22. Page 13004

President's Message—Railroad Rules Dispute: Received and read a message from the President recommending enactment of legislation to provide for the settlement of the labor dispute between certain carriers by railroads and certain of their employees. The message and bill were referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 142). Pages 13004–13008

Condolence Resolution: Adopted H. Res. 449, providing for expressions of condolences and sympathy on the death of Representative Hjalmar C. Nygaard, of the First Congressional District of North Dakota. The Speaker appointed the following Members to serve on the funeral committee: Representatives Short, Halleck, Arends, Hoeven, Aspinall, Saylor, Berry of South Dakota, McIntire, Avery, Sisk, Cunningham, Langen, Rivers of Alaska, Beermann, Dole, MacGregor, Martin of Nebraska, Reifel, and Duncan. Page 13008

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat held a hearing on pending wheat bills. Heard testimony from Senator McGovern.

MEXICAN FARM LABOR

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Equipment, Supplies, and Manpower met for an informal conference on the Mexican farm labor program.

GRAIN

Committee on Agriculture: On July 19 held a hearing on the Austrian grain barter transaction, and heard testimony from Department of Agriculture witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: On July 19 Subcommittee No. 3 continued in executive session on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. Heard testimony from Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense).

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on recent changes in monetary policy for the purpose of aiding in the balance-of-payments problem. Heard testimony from members of the Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System.

D.C. URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: On July 19 Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on the Adams-Morgan urban renewal proposals. Testimony was given by D.C. officials and public witnesses.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

On July 19 also heard public witnesses on this subject.

DATA PROCESSING

Committee on Education and Labor: On July 19 Ad Hoc Subcommittee held a hearing on National Research Data Processing and Information Retrieval Center. Testimony was given by Representative Powell; Col. John Glenn, astronaut; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued in executive session to mark up H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Tuesday, July 23.

WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on S. 2, and related bills, to establish water resources research centers at land-grant colleges and State universities, to stimulate water research at other colleges, universities, and centers of competence, and to promote a more adequate national program of water research. Heard testimony from Dr. Jerome B. Wiesner, Director, Office of Science and Technology; and other departmental witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, July 23.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On July 19 Subcommittee on National Parks continued in executive session on H.R. 3846, and related bills, to establish a land and water conservation fund for future outdoor recreation needs.

BROADCAST EDITORIALIZING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: On July 19 Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on broadcast editorializing. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: On July 19 Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on legislation relating to civil rights. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

WILDLIFE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: On July 19 Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation heard testimony from public witnesses on wildlife population trends and bag limits.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Tuesday, July 23.

Joint Committee Meetings

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Wednesday, July 24.

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Tuesday, July 23, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate committee approved bill to create National Service Corps.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Wednesday, July 24, at noon.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee resumed executive consideration of S. 1245, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1964, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

NASA Administrator James E. Webb submitted brief clarifying testimony at today's session.

SMALL BUSINESS MATTERS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Small Business Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1309, to amend in several respects the Small Business Act.

Subcommittee agreed to hold additional hearings on S. 298, proposing several amendments to the Small Business Investment Act, which hearings are tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, August 6.

Subcommittee agreed to defer action, pending a study to be made by the Bureau of the Census, on S. 757, relating to Government contract set-asides for small business concerns.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, having as its witness Under Secretary of Commerce Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE AGENDA

Committee on Commerce: Committee held an executive meeting and announced that it would continue in morning sessions its hearings on S. 1732, eliminating discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, and hold hearings in afternoon sessions on S.J. Res. 102, providing for settlement of dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Committee began hearings on S.J. Res. 102, to provide for the settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods, having as its witness Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. INSURANCE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on the following bills:

S. 1184, to amend and consolidate the laws providing for regulation of certain insurance rates in the D.C., with testimony from Morton V. V. White, National Association of Insurance Agents, and William A. Stringfellow, National Association of Mutual Insurance Agents;

S. 1775, to amend the Life Insurance Act for the D.C. relating to annual statements, with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, and Albert F. Jordan, Superintendent of Insurance, both of the D.C.; and

H.R. 3191, to exempt life insurance companies of the D.C. from the regulation of loans on securities, with testimony from Messrs. Moyer and Jordan; and George Brady, Mortgage Bankers Association, Metropolitan Washington.

WILD ANIMAL IMPORTATION

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on H.R. 1839, authorizing free importation of wild animals and wild birds which are intended for exhibition in the U.S., with testimony from Representative Teague of California; Noble E. Buell, Chief, Division of Wildlife, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, who was accompanied by other officials of the Department of the Interior; V. D. Rider, Jr., Rider Animal Co., Warrenton, Va.; Mrs. Trudie Jerkins, Tarpon Springs Zoo, Florida; George Douglas, Audubon Park Zoo, New Orleans; Louis Goebel, One Thousand Oaks, Calif.; Julian Frazier, Denver Zoo, Colorado; Charles H. Callison, National Audubon Society; Christine Stevens, Animal Welfare Institute; Mrs. Paul M. Twynne, Virginia Federation of Humane Societies; Dr. E. Raymond Hall, State Biological Survey of Kansas; Mary H. Harris, Defenders of Wildlife; C. R. Gutermuth, Wildlife Management Institute; and Henry Trefflich, of New York City.

Committee will hold an executive session tomorrow to consider this and other pending tariff legislation.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued, in executive session, to mark up S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session with Secretary of State Dean Rusk to discuss the current negotiations for a nuclear test ban treaty.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Navy Fred Korth.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 25, when Air Force Secretary Zuckert will be heard.

PESTICIDES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations resumed its hearings on the effects of pesticides on human health and safety, having as its witnesses M. R. Clarkson, Associate Administrator, Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture; and Dr. Wilhelm C. Hueper, National Cancer Institute; O. L. Kline, Assistant Commissioner for Science, and Dr. Bert J. Voss, both of the Food and Drug Administration; and Dr. R. J. Anderson, Assistant Surgeon General, Bureau of State Services, PHS, all of the Department of HEW.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute bill S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps.

POSTMASTER NOMINATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 237 postmaster nominations.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 7697–7712; 5 private bills, H.R. 7713–7717; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 566–568, H. Con. Res. 204–206, and H. Res. 450–452, were introduced. Pages 13142–13143

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7043, to provide that certain proceedings of the Veterans of World War I of the United States, Inc., shall be printed as a House document (H. Rept. 571);

H. Con. Res. 194, authorizing the printing of 322,500 additional copies of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag (H. Rept. 572);

H. Res. 428, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the study entitled "The Federal Government and Education" (H. Rept. 573); and

S. Con. Res. 47, authorizing the printing for the use of the Senate Committee on the Judiciary of additional copies of its hearings on "Effects on Young People of Violence and Crimes on Television" (H. Rept. 574). Page 13142

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House sessions today and the balance of the week. Page 13111

Printing: House passed without amendment H.R. 7043, to provide that certain proceedings of the Veterans of World War I of the United States, Inc., shall be printed as a House document. Pages 13111–13112

Printing: The following resolutions authorizing the printing of certain documents were called up and passed by voice votes:

H. Con. Res. 194, authorizing the printing of 322,500 additional copies of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

H. Res. 428, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the study entitled "The Federal Government and Education."

S. Con. Res. 47, authorizing the printing for the use of the Senate Committee on the Judiciary of additional copies of its hearings on "Effects on Young People of Violence and Crimes Portrayed on Television." Pages 13112–13113

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up, considered, and passed:

Auto liens: S. 490, eliminating requirement of duplicate alphabetical files regarding liens on motor vehicles and trailers (cleared for the President). Page 13113

Life insurance records: H.R. 6128, to permit any stock life insurance company in the District of Columbia to maintain its record of stockholders at its principal place of business in the District of Columbia or at the office of its designated stock transfer agent in the District of Columbia. Pages 13113–13114

Dental hygienists: H.R. 6350, authorizing D.C. Board of Dental Examiners to waive theoretical examination of applicants for license as dental hygienists who are certified by National Board of Dental Examiners. Pages 13114–13115

Welfare applicants' status: H.R. 6353, to permit D.C. Unemployment Compensation Board to advise D.C. Welfare Department as to status of applicants for public assistance. Pages 13115–13116

Courts: S. 489, to allow hearing time to be set by controlling statutes in the D.C. small claims court (cleared for the President). Pages 13116–13117

Service Academies Appointments: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 7356, to amend title 10, U.S. Code, relating to the nomination and selection of candidates for appointment to the Military, Naval, and Air Force Academies.

Adopted an amendment to require a period of obligated service of 5 years from all appointees appointed subsequent to enactment of this legislation.

H. Res. 442, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 13117–13126

Bills Referred: Five Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 13141

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat held a hearing on pending wheat bills. Heard testimony from a public witness.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Mathias, Morton, and Dent.

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on H.R. 7216, Central Intelligence Agency Act amendments of 1963, and heard testimony from John A. McCone, Director; Lt. Gen. Marshall S. Carter, Deputy Director; and Emmett D. Echols, Director of Personnel, all of Central Intelligence Agency; and William E. Woodyear, Legislative Assistant to Director of Personnel, Department of State.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued in executive session on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill, and heard testimony from Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense), accompanied by another Civil Defense official.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on recent changes in monetary policy for the purpose of aiding in the balance-of-payments problem, and heard testimony from C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education resumed hearings on H.R. 5344, relating to title IV–a (elementary and secondary education) of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1963. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued in executive session to mark up H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Wednesday, July 24.

WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation continued hearings on S. 2, and related bills, to establish water resources research centers at land-grant colleges and State universities, to stimulate water research at other colleges, universities, and centers of competence, and to promote a more adequate national program of water research. Heard testimony from a representative of the National Science Foundation.

OCEANOGRAPHY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6997, to develop and maintain a long-range national program in oceanography.

In an open meeting heard a briefing by representatives of the Navy Department on deep-sea diving capabilities.

DUAL COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Resumed hearings on H.R. 7381, and related bills, regarding dual employment and dual compensation. Heard testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower), accompanied by another departmental witness; and public witnesses.

CHICAGO SKYWAY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held a hearing on H.R. 6289, and related bills, to provide that the Chicago Skyway (Calumet Skyway toll bridge) shall be operated as a freeway. Heard testimony from Representatives Kluczynski and Madden; Mayor Daley, of Chicago; and public witnesses.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, July 24.

Joint Committee Meetings

BRIEFING ON THE "THRESHER"

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive testimony from Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Assistant Chief of the Bureau of Ships for Nuclear Propulsion, and other officials of the Navy, in connection with the loss of the nuclear submarine *Thresher.*

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Joint Committee on the Library: Committee met in executive session and elected Representative Burleson and Senator Jordan as its chairman and vice chairman, respectively, and appointed Julian P. Langston and Gordon F. Harrison as its chief clerk and assistant chief clerk, respectively. Also, the committee agreed to a motion that the committee chairmanship would alternate between the House and Senate with each session of Congress.

Committee approved certain civil defense licensing agreements pertaining to the Library of Congress.

Committee approved the relocation in the crypt of the Capitol of the model of the Capitol and the Suffragettes statue in order to conform to the new East Front entrance.

Committee assigned the location for the statue of John Burke, of North Dakota, in the space in Statuary Hall formerly occupied by the Congressional Record Clerk.

Committee received a report from Librarian of Congress L. Quincy Mumford regarding the use of study rooms in the Library, and adopted a resolution controlling assignment of such spaces.

Committee discussed the status of proposals to provide urgently needed additional space for the Library of Congress, and agreed to discuss this subject further at a future meeting to be called by the chairman.

Wednesday, July 24, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bill on location of foreign chanceries.
House passed bill on air pollution control.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13158–13214

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1926–1937; S.J. Res. 103–104; and S. Res. 176. **Pages 13160–13161**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 2221, providing for free entry of a mass spectrometer for the use of Stanford University (S. Rept. 373);

H.R. 2675, extending for 3 years period during which certain tanning extracts may be imported duty free (S. Rept. 374);

H.R. 3272, providing for free entry of an orthicon image assembly for the use of the Medical College of Georgia (S. Rept. 375);

H.R. 3674, to provide that polished sheets and plates of iron or steel shall be subject to the same duty as unpolished sheets and plates (S. Rept. 376);

H.R. 5712, to suspend for 3 years the import duty on heptanoic acid (S. Rept. 377);

H.R. 6011, continuing until 1966 existing suspension of duty on certain istle or Tampico fiber (S. Rept. 378); and

S. 1642, amending in several regards the Securities Act and the Securities Exchange Act, with amendment (S. Rept. 379). **Page 13160**

Bills Referred: Five House-passed bills and one House-passed concurrent resolution were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 13158**

President's Communication—Immigration: President transmitted communication proposing legislation to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act—referred to Committee on the Judiciary. **Page 13158**

Foreign Buildings: S. 646, prohibiting the location of chanceries of foreign governments in certain residential areas in the D.C., was passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled), after adoption, by 59 yeas to 23 nays, of Mansfield motion to table Curtis amendment to exempt buildings lawfully being used as chanceries on January 31, 1963, rather than on date of enactment. **Pages 13214–13215, 13222–13231, 13233–13234**

River Basins—Flood Control: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 6016, authorizing funds for certain river basin flood control and navigation projects. **Page 13234**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Vietnam; John E. Horne, of Alabama, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board; Eugene P. Foley, of Minnesota, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration; 16 Public Health Service; and 26 Air Force in the rank of general. **Page 13253**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued its executive consideration of S. 1245, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1964, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to discuss current negotiations for a nuclear test ban treaty with Secretary of State Dean Rusk and William C. Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, having as its witness Erwin N. Griswold, member, Commission on Civil Rights.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: In an evening session, committee continued its hearings on S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods. Witnesses heard were Daniel Loomis, president, Association of American Railroads; and J. E. Wolfe, chairman, National Railway Labor Conference.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following tariff bills: H.R. 2221, providing for free entry of a mass spectrometer for the use of Stanford University; H.R. 2675, extending for 3 years period during which certain tanning extracts may be imported duty free; H.R. 3272, providing for free entry of an orthicon image assembly for the use of the Medical College of Georgia; H.R. 3674, to provide that polished sheets and plates of iron or steel shall be subject to the same duty as unpolished sheets and plates; H.R. 5712, to suspend for 3 years the import duty on heptanoic acid; and H.R. 6011, continuing until 1966 existing suspension of duty on certain istle or Tampico fiber.

U.S. MISSIONS ABROAD

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations resumed, in executive session, its hearings on the role and problems of U.S. Ambassadors and U.S. missions abroad, having as its witness Ambassador to Japan Edwin O. Reischauer.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

METROPOLITAN PLANNING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued, in executive session, to consider S. 855 and S. 915, to require improved coordination of land-use projects in the development of metropolitan areas with Federal funds, but took no action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, receiving further testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

Mr. Kennedy will continue with his testimony tomorrow.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower held hearings on pending bills dealing with discrimination in employment (S. 773, 1210, and 1211), having as its witnesses Senator Humphrey, and Under Secretary of Labor John F. Henning.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 7718–7752; 13 private bills, H.R. 7753–7765; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 569–574, H. Con. Res. 207 and 208, and H. Res. 453–458, were introduced. **Pages 13326–13328**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7638, authorizing additional appropriations for prosecution of the comprehensive plan in the Los Angeles-San Gabriel River Basin, Calif. (H. Rept. 575);

H. Res. 453, providing for the consideration of and the waiving of points of order against the conference report on H.R. 5207, to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act of 1926 to authorize additional appropriations (H. Rept. 576); and

H. Res. 454, providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 4638, Presidential Transition Act of 1963 (H. Rept. 577). **Page 13326**

Nygaard Eulogies: Numerous Members spoke on the life, character, and public service of the late Representative Hjalmar C. Nygaard, of the First Congressional District of North Dakota. **Pages 13253–13265**

Container-Marking Requirements: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 2513, to require certain new packages of imported articles to be marked to indicate the country of origin; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mills, King of California, O'Brien of Illinois, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Baker. **Page 13265**

NASA Authorization: The Committee on Science and Astronautics was granted permission to file by midnight Friday a report on H.R. 7500, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization bill for 1964. **Page 13265**

California Flood Control: Pursuant to a unanimous-consent request the bill, H.R. 7638, authorizing additional appropriations for prosecution of the comprehensive plan in the Los Angeles-San Gabriel River Basin, Calif., was brought up and passed. **Page 13265**

Federal-Aid Highways: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 7195, to amend various sections of title 23 of the U.S. Code relating to the Federal-aid highway systems. H. Res. 441, the open rule under which the bill was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 13266–13271**

Air Pollution Control: By a record vote of 273 yeas to 102 nays the House passed H.R. 6518, to improve, strengthen, and accelerate programs for the prevention and abatement of air pollution, after adopting several committee and perfecting amendments. A motion to recommit the bill had been rejected by a division vote of 29 yeas to 41 nays.

H. Res. 440, the open rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 13273–13294

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES—CACHE NATIONAL FOREST

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 904, to prohibit trading in Irish potato futures on commodity exchanges; and

S. 1388 (amended), to extend the boundaries of Cache National Forest, Utah.

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session on H.R. 7216, the Central Intelligence Agency Act amendments of 1963. Testimony was given by John A. McCone, Director, and other Central Intelligence Agency representatives.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on recent changes in monetary policy for the purpose of aiding in balance-of-payments problem, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, July 25.

D.C. TRANSIT PROGRAM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 continued hearings on H.R. 6633 and H.R. 7249, the D.C. transit development program. Heard testimony from Representative Sickles; J. George Stewart, Architect of the Capitol; Lawson B. Knott, Jr., Deputy Administrator, General Services Administration; John C. Kohl, Assistant Administrator (Transportation), Housing and Home Finance Agency; T. Sutton Jett, Vice Chairman, Motor Vehicle Parking Agency; and public witnesses.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 5344, relating to title IV–a (elementary and secondary education) of H.R. 3000, the National Education Improvement Act. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1963. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES—EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4879, to extend the Federal program of aid to public libraries to nonrural areas; and approved a committee print of proposed legislation to assure that Federal funds will not be used to assist educational institutions that practice racial discrimination.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Thursday, July 25.

LAND-WATER CONSERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session on H.R. 3846, and related bills, to establish a land and water conservation fund for future outdoor recreation needs.

RAILROAD LABOR DISPUTE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor, on H.J. Res. 565, regarding settlement of railroad labor disputes.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 ordered favorably reported to the full committee H.R. 4786, for the relief of the State of New Mexico; also several private claim bills.

In an open hearing heard testimony from Representative Montoya on H.R. 4786 (title above). Testimony was also taken on private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on legislation relating to civil rights, and heard testimony from Representative Gallagher; and public witnesses.

PRESIDENTIAL TRANSITION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 4638, the Presidential Transition Act of 1963.

Representatives Dawson and Fascell were heard on the request for a rule.

COTTON

Committee on Rules: Met in executive session and granted an open rule, with 4 hours of debate, on H.R. 6196, the cotton bill.

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS

Committee on Rules: Met in executive session and granted a rule, waiving points of order, against the conference report on H.R. 5207, the Foreign Service Buildings Act.

COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Legislative Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 319, and related bills, to protect postal patrons from obscene mail matter and Communist propaganda. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

CHICAGO SKYWAY

Committee on Public Works: The committee, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7638, regarding the Los Angeles-San Gabriel River Basin.

In an open hearing, heard testimony from Rex M. Whitton, Federal Highway Administrator, on H.R. 6289, and related bills, to provide that the Chicago Skyway (Calumet Skyway Toll Bridge) shall be operated as a freeway.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session on H.R. 7500, National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization bill. No announcements were made.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, July 25.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to discuss current negotiations for a nuclear test ban treaty with Secretary of State Dean Rusk and William C. Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the disagreement between the Senate and House conferees on Senate amendment to H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington.

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Thursday, July 25, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate cleared seven bills for White House, including six passed on calendar call.

House passed bill on Presidential transition.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13379–13412

Bills Introduced: Six bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1938–1943; S.J. Res. 105; S. Con. Res. 54; and S. Res. 177. **Page 13383**

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to Committee on Public Works. **Page 13380**

Bill Rereferred: S. 808, authorizing additional funds to conserve natural features for scientific study in the Canal Zone, was rereferred to Committee on Rules and Administration after Committee on Armed Services had been discharged from its further consideration. **Pages 13390–13391**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar six bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Tariff: H.R. 3272, providing for free entry of an orthicon image assembly for the use of the Medical College of Georgia;

Tariff: H.R. 2221, providing for free entry of a mass spectrometer for the use of Stanford University;

Tariff: H.R. 3674, to provide that polished sheets and plates of iron or steel shall be subject to the same duty as unpolished sheets and plates;

Tariff: H.R. 6011, continuing until 1966 existing suspension of duty on certain istle or Tampico fiber;

Tariff: H.R. 5712, to suspend for 3 years the import duty on heptanoic acid; and

Tariff: H.R. 2675, extending for 3 years period during which certain tanning extracts may be imported duty free. **Pages 13392–13394**

Public Lands—Wyoming: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 1122, authorizing exchange of lands between the town of Powell, Wyo., and the Presbyterian Retirement Facilities Corp. This action cleared bill for White House. **Pages 13391–13392**

Tariff: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 2513, requiring new packages of imported articles to be marked so as to indicate country of origin, agreed to hold conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Byrd of Virginia, Long of Louisiana, Smathers, Williams of Delaware, and Carlson. **Page 13412**

River Basins: Senate laid down its unfinished business H.R. 6016, authorizing funds for certain river basin flood control and navigation projects, but no actions were taken on the bill today. **Page 13412**

Confirmations: Numerous postmaster nominations were confirmed. **Pages 13426–13427**

Nomination: Nomination of Edward D. Re, of New York, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, was received. **Page 13426**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:13 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued its executive consideration of S. 1245, authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal year 1964, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, with testimony from Father John F. Cronin, National Catholic Welfare Conference, who was accompanied by Rabbi Irwin Blank, Synagogue Council of America, and Dr. Eugene Carson Blake, the National Council of Churches; and Roy Wilkins, NAACP, representing the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods. Witnesses heard were Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; and John P. Lewis, member, Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, having as its witness Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert, who did not conclude with his statement, and will continue testifying tomorrow.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, receiving further testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 30, with further testimony from Mr. Kennedy.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on bills relating to discrimination in employment (S. 773, 1210, and 1211), with testimony from George Meany, president, AFL–CIO; A. Philip Randolph, president, Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters, AFL–CIO; Whitney Young, National Urban League; Rabbi Irwin Blank, the Synagogue Council of America, who was accompanied by Dr. Eugene Carson Blake, the National Council of Churches of Christ, and Father John F. Cronin, the National Catholic Welfare Conference.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution met in executive session to consider S. 649, establishing within the Department of HEW a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 7766–7787; 9 private bills, H.R. 7788–7796; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 575–578, H. Con. Res. 209, and H. Res. 459 and 460, were introduced. **Pages 13336, 13378–13379**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the Bank may exercise its functions (H. Rept. 578);

H.R. 7525, relating to crime and criminal procedure in the District of Columbia, amended (H. Rept. 579);

H.R. 5179, regarding agreements for mail transportation by passenger-carrying motor vehicle common carriers, amended (H. Rept. 580);

H.R. 7594, designating the McGee Bend Dam and Reservoir on the Angelina River, Tex., as the Sam Rayburn Dam and Reservoir (H. Rept. 581);

H.R. 6237, to authorize grants for the collection, reproduction, and publication of documentary source material significant to the history of the United States, amended (H. Rept. 582);

H.R. 5623, to amend title 14 of U.S. Code, relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of officers of the Coast Guard, amended (H. Rept. 583);

Six private bills, H.R. 2260, 2303, 3648, 3762, 4075, and 4863 (H. Repts. 584–589, respectively);

S. 1007, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority, amended (H. Rept. 590); and

H.R. 7500, authorizing appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (H. Rept. 591).

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Committee Resignation: Read and accepted letter of resignation of Representative Edwards from membership on the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

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Committee Elections: Adopted H. Res. 459, electing the following Members to membership on the following committees: Mr. White, Banking and Currency; Mr. Nedzi, House Administration; Mr. Edwards, Judiciary; Mr. Wilson of California, Post Office and Civil Service; and Mr. Senner, Un-American Activities.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of July 31. Page 13338

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House sessions on July 29–31 and August 1 and 2. Page 13341

Presidential Transition: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 4638, to promote the orderly transfer of the executive power in connection with the expiration of the term of office of a President and the inauguration of a new President, after adopting several committee amendments.

A recommittal motion designed to eliminate the authorization of appropriations was rejected by a record vote of 29 yeas to 343 nays.

An amendment similar to the recommittal motion was also rejected by a voice vote while in the Committee of the Whole.

H. Res. 454, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 13338, 13341–13353

Bill Referred: S. 646, prohibiting the location of chanceries of foreign governments in certain residential areas in the District of Columbia, was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 13378

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight and Consumer Relations held a hearing on H.R. 7155, to facilitate the work of the Department of Agriculture, and heard testimony from Department of Agriculture officials.

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session on H.R. 7216, the Central Intelligence Agency Act amendments of 1963. No announcements were made. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on recent changes in monetary policy for the purpose of aiding in balance-of-payments problem. Testimony was given by Walter Heller, Chairman, accompanied by other officials from the Council of Economic Advisers.

D.C. TRANSIT PROGRAM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 continued hearings on H.R. 6633 and 7249, the D.C. transit development program. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES—EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 5542 (amended), the Adult Basic Education Act;

H.R. 4879, to extend the program of Federal aid to public libraries to nonrural areas; and

Approved a committee print to assure that Federal funds will not be used to assist educational institutions which practice racial discrimination.

The committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. No announcements were made.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE TRAVEL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 1959, to authorize transportation of privately owned motor vehicles of Government employees assigned to Alaska; H.R. 4460, to permit payment of travel expenses for student trainees who have been assigned to Federal positions for which there is a manpower shortage; and H.R. 5929, to authorize payment of travel expenses for individuals who are invited by a department to visit it for purposes of future employment. Heard testimony from Representative Rivers of Alaska (H.R. 1959); and departmental witnesses (all measures).

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Moorhead (H.R. 4460) and Macdonald (H.R. 5929).

MINES—MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1233, a private bill; H.R. 5451 and S. 1066, for the relief of the E.L.K. Oil Co.; S. 1154, to provide for the sale of certain reserved mineral rights in Minnesota to Christmas Lake, Inc.; and H.R. 4479 (amended), to provide for the conveyance to the State of California of certain mineral rights reserved to the U.S. in certain real property in California.

RAILROAD LABOR DISPUTE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 565, regarding settlement of railroad labor disputes. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: In executive session ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7194, to amend the Copyright Act by repealing the jukebox exemption;

H.R. 7457 (reconsidered and amended) to provide legal assistance for indigent defendants in criminal cases in U.S. courts; and

Took action on several private immigration bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on legislation regarding civil rights, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S. 1194 (amended), to remove percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted men of the Coast Guard;

H.R. 5623 (amended), relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of officers of the Coast Guard;

H.R. 1157 (amended), to exclude cargo which is lumber from certain tariff filing requirements under the Shipping Act, 1916;

H.R. 82 (amended), to provide for the reimbursement of certain vessel construction expenses; and

H.R. 6997 (amended), to develop and maintain a long-range program in oceanography.

Heard testimony from Coast Guard representatives on H.R. 5540 and S. 1194, similar bills (title above).

RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 2909, and related bills, regarding retirement of postal and other Federal employees after 30 years' service, regardless of age. Heard testimony from Bureau of the Budget officials; and public witnesses.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made.

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Monday, July 29, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate agreed to limit debate on river basins bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13437–13472

Bills Introduced: 12 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1944–1955. **Page 13450**

Bill Referred: H.R. 4638, Presidential Transition Act of 1963, was referred to Committee on Government Operations. **Page 13503**

River Basins: Senate considered H.R. 6016, authorizing funds for certain river basin flood control and navigation projects, adopting all committee amendments en bloc, which will be considered as original text for purpose of further amendment, and adopting (motion to reconsider tabled) Mundt amendment to eliminate language barring construction of any unit on the Missouri River Basin project not hereafter authorized by act of Congress.

Unanimous-consent agreement was adopted providing that further debate on the bill will be limited as follows: At conclusion of morning business on Tuesday, July 30, debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), including Javits amendment authorizing further amount of $6.8 million for Great Lakes-Hudson River Waterway will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; that no nongermane amendment may be received; and that further debate on the question of passage of the bill will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided.

Pages 13473–13474, 13500, 13503–13530

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Donald A. Dumont, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Burundi; Thomas M. Healy, of Georgia, to be a member of the Railroad Retirement Board; two other civilians; one Navy; and numerous Air Force. Page 13536–13539

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their Department from Roger Hilsman, Assistant Secretary for Far Eastern Affairs, and Sterling Cottrell, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Inter-American Affairs, both of the Department of State.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MILITARY PAY INCREASE

Committee on Armed Services: Special subcommittee met in executive session to consider H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, with testimony from Farris Bryant, Governor of Florida, who was introduced by Senator Holland; and I. Beverly Lake, an attorney of Raleigh, N.C.

On Friday, July 26, committee heard testimony from Ivan Allen, Jr., mayor of Atlanta; Donald Russell, Governor of South Carolina; and Carter Pitman, an attorney of Dalton, Ga.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued, in an evening session, its hearings on S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods. Witnesses expected to testify were L. J. Wagner, president, Order of Railway Conductors & Brakemen; C. Luna, president, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen; and N. P. Speirs, president, Switchmen's Union of North America.

On Saturday, July 27, committee received testimony on this proposed legislation from H. E. Gilbert, international president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen & Enginemen.

On Friday, July 26, committee had as its witness on this matter R. E. Davidson, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on the projected nuclear test ban treaty. Participants in today's session were Under Secretary of State W. Averell Harriman; and William C. Foster, Director, and Adrian S. Fisher, Deputy Director, both of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Also in attendance were members of the Senate Committee on Armed Services and the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: On Friday, July 26, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on pending bills relating to discrimination in employment (S. 773, 1210, and 1211), having as its witnesses Edward Howden, chief, California State Fair Employment Practice Commission; Henry Spitz, New York State Commission for Human Rights; James McDonald, State Commission Against Discrimination, St. Paul; Raymond Male, commissioner of labor, Trenton, N.J.; and Milton Litvak, Missouri Commission on Human Rights.

On Friday, July 26, subcommittee received testimony from Roy Wilkins, NAACP; Walter H. Wheeler, Jr., Pitney-Bowes, Inc., Stamford, Conn.; and James Farmer, Congress of Racial Equality.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 31.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 7797–7820; 3 private bills, H.R. 7821–7823; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 579–584, and H. Res. 461–463, were introduced.
Pages 13588–13589

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2671, authorizing construction of a bank protection project on the Guyandot River at Barboursville, W. Va. (H. Rept. 592);

H.R. 5478, authorizing a survey of the Frio River in the vicinity of Three Rivers, Tex., in the interest of flood control and allied purposes (H. Rept. 593);

H.R. 6923, authorizing a survey of Cedar Bayou, Tex., in the interest of flood control and allied purposes (H. Rept. 594);

H.J. Res. 192, relating to validity of certain rice acreage allotments for 1962 and prior crop years (H. Rept. 595);

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 596);

S. 1388, to add certain land to the Cache National Forest, Utah (H. Rept. 597); and

Four private bills, S. 752, H.R. 1201, 1280, and 7022 (H. Repts. 598–601, respectively).
Page 13588

No legislative business was transacted.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: On July 26 Subcommittee on Wheat held a hearing on pending wheat legislation, and heard testimony from Representatives Quie, Nelsen, Jensen, May, Thomson of Wisconsin, Langen, Battin, and Schwengel.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Berry, Ellsworth, Anderson, Avery, Harrison, Taft, Short, Dole, MacGregor, and Clark. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY AIRLIFT

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on National Military Airlift, in executive session, heard testimony from Robert S. McNamara, Secretary of Defense; and Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, on the airlift.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on S. 1163, Area Redevelopment Act amendments. Testimony was given by William L. Batt, Jr., Administrator, Area Redevelopment Administration; Harold L. Williams, Deputy Administrator, Area Redevelopment Administration, both of Department of Commerce; and Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., Under Secretary of Commerce.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: On July 26 continued hearings on recent changes in monetary policy for the purpose of aiding in balance-of-payments problems. Testimony was given by Walter W. Heller, Chairman, accompanied by other members of the Council of Economic Advisers.

D.C. TRANSIT PROGRAM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 continued hearings on H.R. 6633 and H.R. 7249, the D.C. transit development program. Heard testimony from the Metropolitan Area Transit Commission and public witnesses.

D.C. URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: On July 26 Subcommittee No. 4 resumed hearings regarding D.C. urban renewal, and heard testimony from various D.C. officials.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: On July 26 Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 7440, regarding commitments to, maintenance in, and discharges from the District Training School; H.R. 7497, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act; and H.R. 7390 and 7399, regarding the utilization of certain buildings in D.C. for municipal purposes. Heard testimony from Representative Harsha (H.R. 7440); D.C. officials (all measures); and public witnesses (H.R. 7440 and 7497).

INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on International Labor Organization Conference heard testimony from George L-P Weaver, Assistant Secretary of Labor, and public witnesses.

TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for a briefing by Secretary of State Dean Rusk on the test ban treaty.

GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6225, to provide for the rehabilitation of Guam.

RAILROAD LABOR DISPUTE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 565, regarding the settlement of railroad labor disputes, and heard testimony from a public witness.

On July 26 heard testimony from Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission, on this subject. Hearings continue Tuesday, July 30.

POPULATION—IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 resumed hearings on population and immigration study, and heard testimony from a public witness.

DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 1997, to provide that in direct actions against an insurer based on a contract of liability insurance such insurer may be deemed a citizen of the state of the insured for diversity of citizenship purposes. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: On July 26 Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on legislation regarding civil rights. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

FIREFIGHTERS' COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Legislative Subcommittee heard testimony from a Post Office Department official, and public witnesses, on H.R. 6396, to permit certain Federal employees (firefighters) to elect compensation under the Federal Employees Pay Act in lieu of compensation at a saved rate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN BRIGADE

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee heard testimony from a public witness regarding certain fund-raising activities of the veterans of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade.

DEBT CEILING

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on proposed legislation to establish a temporary ceiling on the public debt. Heard testimony from C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury, Kermit Gordon, Director, Bureau of the Budget, and a public witness.

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Tuesday, July 30, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on river basins and on securities, and took up Mexican farm labor bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13655–13687

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1956–1967; S.J. Res. 106–107. **Page 13656**

Export-Import Bank: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, agreed to hold further conference as requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Clark, Sparkman, Proxmire, Williams of New Jersey, Neuberger, McIntyre, Dominick, Tower, and Javits. **Page 13705**

River Basins: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 6016, authorizing funds for certain river basin flood control and navigation projects, after rejecting, by 28 yeas to 60 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Simpson amendment to eliminate authorization of $52 million for Burns Creek Dam and Reservoir, Snake River, Idaho. Also rejected, by 25 yeas to 64 nays, was Dirksen motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Public Works.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference, and appointed as conferees Senators McNamara, Randolph, Young of Ohio, Muskie, Cooper, and Fong. **Pages 13693–13715**

Securities: Senate passed, as amended by committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, S. 1642, amending in several regards the Securities Act and the Securities Exchange Act. Motion to reconsider this action was tabled. **Pages 13715–13720, 13721–13724, 13725–13729**

Mexican Farm Labor: Senate made its unfinished business S. 1703, to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program. **Page 13735**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Graham A. Martin, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Thailand; Robert M. White, of Connecticut, to be Chief of the Weather Bureau, Department of Commerce; and Lorin T. Bice, of Florida, to be member of the Federal Farm Credit Board, Farm Credit Administration. **Page 13737**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting the nominations of John E. Horne, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, and Eugene P. Foley, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration. Prior to this action, committee held hearings on these nominations, with testimony in behalf of Mr. Foley from Senator Humphrey. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, having as its witnesses Carl E. Sanders, Governor of Georgia; and Joe T. Patterson, attorney general of Mississippi.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Committee resumed, in an evening session, its hearings on S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods. Witnesses heard were George Meany, president, AFL–CIO; and Lester P. Schoene, Railway Labor Executives' Association; and Paul Hall, Seafarer's International Union of North America, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS, AND OLYMPIC GAMES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting the nominations of Adm. George W. Anderson, Jr., of the D.C., to be Ambassador to Portugal; Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Vietnam; James I. Loeb, of New York, to be Ambassador to Guinea; W. Michael Blumenthal, of New Jersey, to be Deputy Special Representative for Trade Negotiations (with rank of Ambassador); Howard Rex Cottam, of the D.C., to be Ambassador to the State of Kuwait; Claude G. Ross, of California, to be Ambassador to the Central African Republic; Dr. Walter Adams, of Michigan, and Dr. Mabel M. Smythe, of New York, to be members of the U.S. Advisory Commission on International Educational and Cultural Affairs of the U.N.; Donald A. Dumont, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Burundi; and a list of promotions and appointments in the Foreign Service.

Also, the committee ordered favorably reported S.J. Res. 72, favoring the holding of Olympic games in America in 1968; and S.J. Res. 67, extending an invitation to the International Olympic Committee to hold the 1968 winter Olympic games at Lake Placid, N.Y.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings in connection with procurement practices of the Air Force and the Navy, and the awarding to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, of the contract on the TFX-type aircraft. Testimony was received from Col. Charles Gayle, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, and other Air Force witnesses connected with the TFX program.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, receiving further testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when Mr. Kennedy will continue testifying.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Bruce R. Thompson, to be U.S. district judge for the district of Nevada, with testimony in his behalf from Senators Bible and Cannon. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

MANPOWER RETRAINING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1716, repealing matching requirement for Federal payments to States for training allowances for unemployed persons, and S. 1831, relating to eligibility of persons for occupational training under the Manpower Development and Training Act.

FARM EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor resumed its hearings on S. 527, proposed Voluntary Farm Employment Service Act, receiving testimony from Under Secretary of Labor John F. Henning; and Father James L. Vizzard, National Catholic Rural Life Conference.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RED ROCK RESERVOIR PROJECT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors held hearings on S. 931, authorizing payment of fair value for improvements adversely affected by the construction of the Red Rock Reservoir project, Iowa, with testimony from Senators Miller and Hickenlooper; Representative Kyl, who submitted a statement; Loney W. Hart, Office of the Chief of Engineers, Army; and Joseph McKlveen, Prairie City, Iowa.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 7824–7840; 5 private bills, H.R. 7841–7845; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 585–591, and H. Res. 464–466, were introduced.

Pages 13654–13655

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 464, providing for the consideration of and 4 hours of debate on H.R. 6196, to encourage increased consumption of cotton, to maintain the income of cotton producers, and to provide a special research program to lower costs of production (H. Rept. 602);

S. 1194, to remove the percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted men of the Coast Guard, amended (H. Rept. 603);

H.R. 82, providing for the reimbursement of certain vessel construction expenses, amended (H. Rept. 604);

H.R. 3198, promoting the economic and social development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, amended (H. Rept. 605);

H.R. 7219, to amend U.S. Code, relating to reindictment after dismissal of a defective indictment (H. Rept. 606);

Ten private bills, H.R. 1263, 1311, 1742, 1759, 1874, 2445, 2754, 5583, 5733, and 7491 (H. Repts. 607–616, respectively);

Sixth interim report of the Committee on Public Works entitled "Right-of-Way Acquisition Practices in Massachusetts" (H. Rept. 617);

H.R. 1135, to designate the dam being constructed and the reservoir to be formed on the Des Moines River, Iowa, as the Red Rock Dam and Lake Red Rock (H. Rept. 618);

H.R. 1696, to define the interest of local public agencies in water reservoirs constructed by the Government which have been financed partially by such agencies, amended (H. Rept. 619); and

H.R. 4786, for the relief of the State of New Mexico (H. Rept. 620). **Pages 13631, 13653–13654**

Late Reports: The Committee on Ways and Means was granted permission to file reports on the following bills by midnight on—

August 3 on H.R. 7824, to continue for the period ending November 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act; and

August 5 on H.R. 7544, to amend the Social Security Act to assist States and communities in preventing and combating mental retardation. **Page 13631**

Export-Import Bank Act Extension: The conference report on H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the bank may exercise its functions, was called up and the House, by a record vote of 379 yeas to 11 nays insisted on its disagreement to Senate amendments thereto; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed Representatives Patman, Rains, Multer, Barrett, Kilburn, Widnall, and Harvey of Michigan conferees on the part of House.

Pages 13631–13636

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AIR FORCE MEDAL

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported favorably to the House S.J. Res. 51, regarding presentation of Air Force Medal of Recognition to Maj. Gen. Benjamin D. Foulois, retired.

MILITARY AIRLIFT

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on National Military Airlift in executive session heard testimony from Eugene M. Zuckert, Secretary of the Air Force, on the airlift.

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

Committee on Armed Services: On Monday, July 29, Subcommittee on the Central Intelligence Agency met in executive session on matters regarding the Central Intelligence Agency, and heard testimony from John A. McCone, Director; and other CIA officials.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on S. 1163, Area Redevelopment Act amendments. Testimony was given by William L. Batt, Jr., Administrator, Area Redevelopment Administration; Harold L. Williams, Deputy Administrator, Area Redevelopment Administration, both of Department of Commerce; and a public witness.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 5625, to create a National Service Corps, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued in executive session to mark up H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Wednesday, July 31.

BOOK SERVICES—BLIND

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Library held a hearing on H.R. 2853, to provide that book services for the blind at the Library of Congress shall be available to the near blind and quadraplegic readers as well. Heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session for mark up of H.R. 5945, and related bills, to establish a procedure for the prompt settlement, in a democratic manner, of the political status of Puerto Rico. No final action was taken.

RAILROAD LABOR DISPUTE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 565, regarding the settlement of railroad labor disputes, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7219, relating to reindictment after dismissal of a defective indictment;

H.R. 4786, to relieve New Mexico from liability due to the United States as a result of a fire at Clayton, N. Mex.; and

Several private claim bills.

Rereferred to Subcommittee No. 3, for further consideration, H.R. 7370, to fix the fees payable to the Patent Office.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Resumed hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly settlement of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. Heard testimony from Donald W. Alexander, Administrator, Maritime Administration; Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Commerce; Clarence D. Martin, Jr., Under Secretary of Commerce (Transportation); and Lawrence Jones, Deputy General Counsel, Department of Commerce.

DUAL COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Resumed hearings on H.R. 7381, regarding dual employment and dual compensation. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

POSTAL SUBSTATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee concluded hearings on H.R. 5778 and 5773, bills to increase from 10 to 20 miles the area within which the Postmaster General may establish stations, substations, and branches of post offices. Heard testimony from a Post Office official. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS—GROUNDS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6747, to extend for an additional 3 years the period during which construction funds must be received for the National Cultural Center and to increase the number of its trustees; H.R. 6045 (amended), to design, construct, and equip buildings required for the Bureau of the Mint; and H.R. 3804, to repeal a portion of the Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943, concerning restrictions on air-conditioning equipment. Also approved six public building prospectuses.

PUBLIC DEBT CEILING—SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7824, to continue for the period ending November 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act; and

H.R. 7544 (amended) to amend the Social Security Act to assist States and communities in preventing and combating mental retardation.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR MATERIALS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation held hearings on S. 1160 and H.R. 5035, to permit the private ownership of nuclear materials, receiving testimony from Robert E. Wilson, Chairman, Joseph F. Hennessey, General Counsel, and other officials of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings in regard to the outlook for the U.S. balance of payments over the next 5 years, and specifically on a study made by the Brookings Institution entitled "The United States Balance of Payments in 1968," with testimony from the following panel of witnesses: G. A. Costanzo, First National City Bank of New York; Hal B. Lary, National Bureau of Economic Research; Walther Lederer, Office of Business Economics, Department of Commerce; and Gardner Patterson, professor of economics, Princeton University.

On Monday, July 29, committee heard testimony on this matter from Walter S. Salant, Lawrence B. Krause, and Alice M. Rivlin, all of the Brookings Institution; and Emile Despres and Lorie Tarshis, both of Stanford University, all of whom, as a group, produced the report under consideration.

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Wednesday, July 31, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate point of order against Mexican farm labor bill was sustained.

House cleared bill on Foreign Service buildings and Philippine war damage claims for the President.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13744–13778

Bills Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1968–1970. Page 13750

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 653, providing an adequate basis for administration of the Lake Mead National Recreation Area, Ariz. and Nev., with amendments (S. Rept. 380);

S. 27, to establish the Canyonlands National Park in Utah, with amendments (S. Rept. 381); and

S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, with amendments (S. Rept. 382). Page 13750

Official Reporter of Debate: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that the remarks of various Senators made in connection with the retirement today of John D. Rhodes as Official Reporter of the Senate, be printed as a Senate document. Pages 13746–13750

Mexican Farm Labor: Following the laying down of S. 1703, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 so as to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program, Senator Proxmire made a point of order against the consideration of the bill on the ground there was not a quorum present when it was ordered reported by the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. The Chair sustained the point of order, which removes the bill from the calendar and in effect recommits it to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. Pages 13778, 13791–13795

Courts: Senate made its unfinished business S. 979, providing for the inclusion of a district judge or judges on the judicial council of each circuit. Page 13794

National Service Corps: By unanimous consent, individual and minority views were authorized to be filed during Senate adjournment over Thursday, August 1, on S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps. Page 13750

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Eugene P. Foley, of Minnesota, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration; John E. Horne, of Alabama, to be a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board; W. Michael Blumenthal, of New Jersey, to be a Deputy Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with the rank of ambassador; two individuals to be officials of the Department of State; and numerous diplomatic and Foreign Service nominations, including the following to be ambassadors: James I. Loeb, of New York, to Guinea; Adm. George W. Anderson, Jr., USN, of D.C., to Portugal; Claude G. Ross, of California, to the Central African Republic; Howard Rex Cottam, of D.C., to the State of Kuwait; Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, to the Republic of Vietnam; and Donald A. Dumont, of New York, to the Kingdom of Burundi. Page 13815

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CIA BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: The Central Intelligence Agency Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing from CIA Director John A. McCone.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, receiving testimony from State Senator John McLarin, of Brandon, Miss.; and William Loeb, Union Leader Corp., Manchester, N. H.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued, in an evening session, its hearings on S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods. Expected to submit further testimony was J. E. Wolfe, chairman, National Railway Labor Conference.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its executive consideration of S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Friday, August 2.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings in connection with procurement practices of the Air Force and the Navy, and the awarding to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, of the contract on the TFX-type aircraft. Further testimony was received from Col. Charles Gayle, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, and other Air Force witnesses connected with the TFX program.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Air Force Secretary Eugene M. Zuckert.

CANYONLANDS, AND LAKE MEAD

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 27, to establish the Canyonlands National Park in Utah; and S. 653, providing an adequate basis for administration of the Lake Mead National Recreation Area, Arizona and Nevada.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments, the following bills: S. 26, to authorize construction of the Dixie project in Utah; S. 46, to provide that the cost of certain investigations by the Bureau of Reclamation shall be nonreimbursable; and S. 283, increasing the limitation on costs of projects authorized pursuant to the Small Reclamation Projects Act.

OIL AND GAS COMPACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S.J. Res. 33, granting consent for a 4-year extension of the Interstate Compact To Conserve Oil and Gas.

Prior to this action, in open session, subcommittee received testimony on this proposed legislation from Senators Proxmire and Carlson; William Orrick, Assistant Attorney General (Antitrust Division); Jerome J. O'Brien, Office of Oil and Gas, Department of the Interior; Lawrence R. Alley, Interstate Oil Compact Commission; and Richard C. Byrd, Kansas Corporation Commission, who was introduced by Senator Carlson.

It was announced that the full committee would hold an executive meeting at 9:30 a.m. on Friday, August 2, to consider this joint resolution.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, receiving further testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when Mr. Kennedy will continue testifying.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on pending bills relating to discrimination in employment (S. 773, 1210, and 1211), having as its witnesses David J. McDonald, president, who was accompanied by David Feller, general counsel, both of the United Steelworkers of America; Dr. Eli Ginzberg, professor of economics, Columbia University; Joseph Ross, Davidson Department Stores; and Herman P. Miller, Office of the Director of the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.

Hearings continue on Friday, August 2.

FOREST ROADS AND TRAILS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads concluded hearings on S. 1147, to enable construction and maintenance of an adequate system of roads and trails for the national forests, after receiving testimony from Reynolds Florance, who was accompanied by M. M. Nelson, both of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Dr. Spencer M. Smith, Jr., Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; Thomas L. Kimball, National Wildlife Federation; C. R. Gutermuth, Wildlife Management Institute; Howard Zahniser, the Wilderness Society; and Joseph W. Penfold, Izaak Walton League of America.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 7846-7863; 8 private bills, H.R. 7864-7871; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 592-604, H. Con. Res. 210, and H. Res. 467, were introduced. **Pages 13840-13841**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6997, providing for a comprehensive, long-range, and coordinated national program in oceanography, amended (H. Rept. 621);

S.J. Res. 51, a private resolution (H. Rept. 622); and

H. Res. 467, open rule providing for consideration of and 5 hours of debate on H.R. 7500, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and administrative operations (H. Rept. 623). **Page 13840**

Foreign Service Buildings—Philippine Claims: By a voice vote the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 5207, to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act of 1926 to authorize additional appropriations (also to pay balance of payment for Philippine war damage) and thus cleared the legislation for Presidential action.

H. Res. 453, the rule waiving points of order against and providing for the consideration of the conference report, was adopted earlier by a record vote of 234 yeas to 166 nays. **Pages 13816-13825**

Bill Referred: S. 1642, amending in several regards the Securities Act and the Securities Exchange Act, was referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. **Page 13840**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SHEEP

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains held a hearing on H.R. 4217, the sheep scrapie slaughter program, and heard testimony from Representative Betts; Department of Agriculture officials; and public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session on H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter program. Testimony was given by Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense), accompanied by other members of his staff.

MILITARY AIRLIFT

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the National Military Airlift met in executive session regarding the military airlift. Testimony was given by Cyrus R. Vance, Secretary of the Army; Fred Korth, Secretary of the Navy; Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chief of Staff, U.S. Army; Rear Adm. William E. Ellis, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations for Air; and Brig. Gen. Norman J. Anderson, Deputy Chief of Staff, Air Marine Corps.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1163 (amended), the Area Redevelopment Act amendments.

D.C. TRANSIT PROGRAM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 heard testimony from various public witnesses on the D.C. transit development program.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1963, and heard testimony from a public witness.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT—EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session regarding the Federal Government and education.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963. Recessed until Thursday, August 1.

MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 1233, a private bill;

H.R. 5451, for the relief of the E.L.K. Oil Co.;

S. 1154, to provide for the sale of certain reserved mineral rights in Minnesota to Christmas Lake, Inc.; and

H.R. 4479 (amended), to provide for the conveyance to the State of California of certain mineral rights reserved to the U.S. in certain real property in California.

LAND-WATER CONSERVATION FUND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 3846, and related bills, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people. No final action was taken.

RAILROAD LABOR DISPUTE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 565, regarding the settlement of railroad labor disputes, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, August 1.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on legislation regarding civil rights. Testimony was given by Representatives MacGregor, Whitener, Roosevelt, Long of Louisiana, and Halpern; and a public witness.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry, and heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor. Hearings continue Thursday, August 1.

RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 2909, and related bills, regarding retirement after 30 years service. Heard testimony from Representative Daniels; John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, accompanied by another Civil Service Commission official; and public witnesses.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Government Statistics met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS—FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6747, to extend for an additional 3 years the period within which construction funds must be received for the National Cultural Center and to increase the number of its trustees;

H.R. 3804, to repeal a portion of the Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, concerning restrictions on air-conditioning equipment;

H.R. 7221 (amended), to modify flood control project for Four River Basins, Fla.; and

S. 874 (amended), to design, construct, and equip buildings required for the Bureau of the Mint.

Also approved six public building prospectuses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 5 hours of debate, on H.R. 7500, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization.

Representatives Miller of California, Martin of Massachusetts, Karth, and Fulton were heard on the request for a rule.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: The Committee on Ways and Means today agreed to include in an overall tax bill, to be introduced, relating to the President's 1963 tax recommendations, provisions relating to the following (provisions previously tentatively adopted by the committee were agreed to today without amendment, unless otherwise indicated):

Group term insurance (with amendment);

Sick pay exclusion;

Sale of residence by taxpayer aged 65 or over;

Deductibility of State and local taxes (with amendment);

Personal casualty and theft losses;

Charitable contributions and gifts (with amendment); and

Repeal of 1-percent floor for medical and drug deductions in the case of persons aged 65 and over.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR MATERIALS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation continued its hearings on S. 1160 and H.R. 5035, to permit the private ownership of nuclear materials, having as its witnesses George F. Trowbridge, ad hoc committee on private ownership legislation, Atomic Industrial Forum; Richard D. Bokum II, president, United Nuclear Corp.; and Andrew Biemiller, department of legislation, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, August 1, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed NASA authorization bill.
Senate committee approved NASA authorization bill.
See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Friday, August 2, at noon.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported with amendments (pending receipt from the House) H.R. 7500, fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. As approved, the bill would authorize a total of $5,511,520,400.

MEXICAN FARM LABOR, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, by a vote of 11 to 5, ordered favorably reported with amendment S. 1703, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 so as to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program.

Committee also approved for reporting the nominations of Kenneth T. Anderson, of Kansas, and Lorin T. Bice, of Florida, both to be members of the Federal Farm Credit Board.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies. As approved, the bill would provide a total of $5,494,627,250, an increase of $44,646,250 over the House-passed figure of $5,449,981,000.

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed, in executive session, its hearings into military aspects and implications of nuclear test ban proposals, and related matters, having as its witnesses Dr. John Foster, Director of the Lawrence Radiation Laboratory, Livermore, Calif.; and Dr. Norris E. Bradbury, Director of the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, New Mexico.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from these witnesses.

COMMITTEE RULES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee met in executive session to discuss amendments to its rules drafted by Senator Clark, but took no action.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, receiving testimony from Thomas Poindexter, an attorney of Detroit; and John Vonetes, Petersburg, Va.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Committee concluded its hearings on S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods, after receiving further testimony from Lester P. Schoene, Railway Labor Executives' Association.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its hearings on activities of nondiplomatic representatives of foreign principals, having as its witnesses Isadore Hamlin, executive director, and Maurice Boukstein, counsel, both of the Jewish Agency—American Section, Inc.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, August 6, when Secretary Zuckert will continue testifying.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, with further testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 41 public bills, H.R. 7872–7912; 6 private bills, H.R. 7913–7918; and 20 resolutions, H.J. Res. 605–620, and H. Res. 468–471, were introduced. Pages 13912, 13929–13930

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6396, regarding election of certain employees to receive compensation under section 401 of Federal Employees Pay Act of 1945 (H. Rept. 624);

Two private bills, H.R. 2928 and 6097 (H. Repts. 625 and 626, respectively);

Report of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service entitled "Interim Report on the Use of Electronic Data Processing Equipment in the Federal Agencies (H. Rept. 627);

S. 874, to authorize additional mint facilities, amended (H. Rept. 628);

S. 1652, to amend the National Cultural Center Act to extend the termination date contained therein and to enlarge the board of trustees (H. Rept. 629);

H.R. 1157, to exclude cargo which is lumber from certain tariff filing requirements under the Shipping Act of 1916, amended (H. Rept. 630);

Report of the Committee on Un-American Activities entitled "'United Front' Technique of the Southern California District of the Communist Party" (H. Rept. 631); and

H. Res. 469, providing for 3 hours of debate on H.R. 4955, to strengthen and improve the quality of vocational education, and to expand the vocational education opportunities in the Nation, and making in order the consideration of a committee substitute amendment as the original bill (H. Rept. 632). Pages 13912, 13928–13929

Federal Payment to D.C.: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 6177, relating to the annual payment to the District of Columbia by the United States; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Whitener, Dowdy, Hagan of Georgia, Broyhill of Virginia, Harsha, and Horton. Page 13852

NASA Authorizations: By a record vote of 335 yeas to 57 nays the House passed H.R. 7500, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and administrative operations. A recommittal motion had been rejected earlier by a voice vote.

Adopted amendments to—

Continue facility training and research grants program at 1963 level of $30,600,000 in lieu of $55 million; and

Reduce funds for facility planning and design not otherwise provided for from $25 million to $15 million.

Rejected an amendment that sought to delete an authorization of $3.9 million for an Electronic Research Center.

The bill as reported authorized appropriations totaling $5,238,119,400 to be allotted as follows:

Research and development, $4,037,575,000; construction of facilities, $692,359,400; and administrative operations, $508,185,000.

H. Res. 467, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a record vote of 387 yeas to 1 nay. Pages 13853–13912

Late Report: The Committee on Banking and Currency was granted permission to file by midnight Saturday a report on S. 1163, Area Redevelopment Act Amendments. Page 13912

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of August 7. Page 13916

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY AIRLIFT

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the National Military Airlift met in executive session regarding the military airlift, and heard testimony from Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Joint Chiefs of Staff, U.S. Air Force; and other Air Force witnesses.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

ABC ACT—D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and considered H.R. 2036, the D.C. Alcoholic Beverage Control Act. No final action was taken.

INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the International Labor Organization Conference heard testimony from the international representative of the International Association of Machinists and Employees delegation to the ILO Conference.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1963. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and completed markup of H.R. 5490, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963, and ordered a clean bill introduced (H.R. 7885).

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands heard testimony from John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Interior, on H.R. 5159, to authorize and direct that certain lands exclusively administered by the Secretary of the Interior be managed under principles of multiple use and to produce a sustained yield of products and services.

RAILROAD LABOR DISPUTE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 565, regarding the settlement of railroad labor disputes, and heard testimony from the president of the AFL–CIO.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, took action on several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on legislation pertaining to civil rights. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Concluded hearings on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry, and heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor.

POST OFFICE—CIVIL SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6396, to permit certain Federal employees (firefighters) to elect compensation under the Federal Employees Pay Act in lieu of compensation at a saved rate; and

H.R. 5778 (amended), to increase from 10 to 20 miles the area within which the Postmaster General may establish stations, substations, and branches of post offices.

Adopted a report entitled "Use of Electronic Data Processing Equipment in the Federal Agencies."

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 10, relating to apportionment of temporary summertime employment.

NATIONAL CULTURAL CENTER

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1652, to amend the National Cultural Center Act to extend the termination date contained therein, and to enlarge the Board of Trustees.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, making it in order to consider the committee amendment as the original bill, with 3 hours of debate on H.R. 4955, to strengthen and improve the quality of vocational education and to expand the vocational education opportunities in the Nation.

Representatives Powell, Perkins, Landrum, Frelinghuysen, Brademas, Goodell, and Quie were heard on the request for a rule.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee today agreed to include in an overall tax bill, to be introduced, relating to the President's 1963 tax recommendations, provisions relating to the following (provisions previously tentatively adopted by the committee were agreed to today without amendment, unless otherwise indicated):

Reimbursed medical expenses (no prior tentative decision);

Child care deduction (with amendment); and

Moving expenses.

A press release on these decisions is available in the committee office, room 1102 Longworth House Office Building.

The committee will continue on the President's 1963 tax recommendations, in executive session, in the committee room, Longworth House Office Building, on Friday, August 2.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR MATERIALS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation continued its hearings on S. 1160 and H.R. 5035, to permit private ownership of nuclear materials, with testimony from Dr. Zalman M. Shapiro, president, Nuclear Materials & Equipment Corp.; Stephen F. Dunn, president, National Coal Association; and R. F. Brower, Edison Electric Institute.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Thursday, August 8.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through July 31, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	99	98	..
Time in session	515 hrs., 33′	327 hrs., 07′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	8, 142	4, 926	13, 068
Appendix	..	..	4, 902
Public bills enacted into law	21	61	82
Private bills enacted into law	11	15	26
Bills in conference	..	4	..
Bills through conference	1	6	..
Measures passed, total	394	510	..
Senate bills	167	35	..
House bills	86	289	..
Senate joint resolutions	7	2	..
House joint resolutions	10	14	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	18	17	..
House concurrent resolutions	10	13	..
Simple resolutions	96	140	236
Measures reported, total	420	*583	..
Senate bills	183	32	..
House bills	57	401	..
Senate joint resolutions	7	3	..
House joint resolutions	10	16	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	20	16	..
House concurrent resolutions	9	12	..
Simple resolutions	134	103	237
Special reports	20	31	..
Conference reports	..	9	..
Reported measures not acted on	8	116	..
Measures introduced, total	2, 308	9, 152	11, 460
Bills	1, 970	7, 871	9, 841
Joint resolutions	107	604	711
Concurrent resolutions	54	210	264
Simple resolutions	177	467	644
Quorum calls	32	58	..
Yea-and-nay votes	88	50	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 382 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 623 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through July 31, 1963

Postmaster nominations, totaling 1,319, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	981
Withdrawn	8
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	330

Army nominations, totaling 9,003, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	8, 953
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	50

Air Force nominations, totaling 16,841, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	15, 837
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	1, 004

Navy nominations, totaling 22,102, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	15, 363
Withdrawn	1
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	6, 738

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,668, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	3, 465
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	203

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 2,327, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	2, 231
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	93

Summary

Total nominations received	55, 260
Total withdrawn	12
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	8, 418
Total confirmed	46, 830

Friday, August 2, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed two bills on recreation areas and national parks and took up Labor-HEW appropriations bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13937–13977

Bills Introduced: 16 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1971–1986; S.J. Res. 108; and S. Res. 178. Page 13943

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, with amendments—reported on August 1, 1963, under prior authorization (S. Rept. 383);

S.J. Res. 33, granting consent for a 4-year extension of the Interstate Compact To Conserve Oil and Gas, with amendment (S. Rept. 384);

H.R. 7500, fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, with amendment (S. Rept. 385); and

S.J. Res. 67, extending an invitation to the International Olympic Committee to hold the 1968 winter Olympic games at Lake Placid, N.Y. (S. Rept. 386); and

S.J. Res. 72, favoring the holding of Olympic games in America in 1968 (S. Rept. 386). Pages 13937, 13941

Bill Referred: H.R. 7500, fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, was received and referred to Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences. Page 13937

Lake Mead Recreation Area: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 653, providing an adequate basis for administration of the Lake Mead National Recreation Area. Pages 13977–13979

Canyonlands National Park: S. 27, to establish the Canyonlands National Park in Utah, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 13979–13986

Courts: Senate laid aside its unfinished business S. 979, providing for the inclusion of a district judge or judges on the judicial council of each circuit, and it returned to the calendar when other business was taken up. Pages 13977, 13986

NATO Parliamentary Conference: It was announced that Vice President appointed the following Senators to the NATO Parliamentary Conference to be held in Paris November 4–9, 1963: Fulbright, Kefauver, Talmadge, Dodd, McGovern, McIntyre, Mundt, Curtis, Javits, Morton, Dominick, Bayh, and Cannon. Page 13941

Authority To Report: All committees were authorized to file reports during the adjournment of the Senate following today's session. Page 13963

Labor-HEW Appropriations: H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, was made Senate's unfinished business. Page 13986

D.C.: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 6177, authorizing payment of Federal funds for operation of the D.C. government, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Bible, McIntyre, and Beall. Page 13986

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Henry A. Byroade, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to the Union of Burma; and William Matson Roth, of California, to be a Deputy Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with rank of ambassador.

Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Frank K. Hefner, of Virginia, to be Deputy Representative to the International Atomic Energy Agency, and the nomination was then referred to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. Pages 13950, 14058

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings into military aspects and implications of nuclear test ban proposals, and related matters, receiving further testimony from Dr. John Foster, Director of the Lawrence Radiation Laboratory, Livermore, Calif.; and Dr. Norris E. Bradbury, Director of the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, New Mexico.

Hearings continue on Friday, August 9.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee concluded its series of hearings on S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, after receiving testimony from Gov. Carl F. Rolvaag, of Minnesota; and Bruce Bromley, an attorney of New York City.

It was announced that the record would remain open until 5 p.m. on Tuesday, August 6, for the inclusion of additional written material.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its executive consideration of S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

OIL AND GAS COMPACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment S.J. Res. 33, granting consent for a 4-year extension of the Interstate Compact To Conserve Oil and Gas.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings on the following bills:

S. 1175, to revise the boundaries of the Carlsbad Caverns National Park, N. Mex., with testimony from Senator Anderson; and Conrad L. Wirth, Director, and Frank E. Harrison, both of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior;

S. 187, to establish Fort Union Trading Post National Historic Site, N. Dak., with testimony from Senator Burdick; and Messrs. Wirth and Harrison;

S. Con. Res. 13 and 44, and H. Con. Res. 61, directing Federal cooperation in memorializing the Lewis and Clark Trail from St. Louis to the Pacific Northwest, with testimony from Senator Burdick; Representative Kyl; and A. Heaton Underhill, Assistant Director, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, who was accompanied by Roy Appleman, Historian, National Park Service, both of the Department of the Interior; and

H.R. 3887, authorizing acceptance of land for right-of-way for a new entrance to the Great Smoky Mountain National Park, with testimony from Representative Taylor; and Messrs. Wirth and Harrison.

FIREWORKS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee held hearings with regard to the interstate sale of fireworks, with especial emphasis on the recent incidents resulting from the sale to the public of plastic-covered cherry bombs. Witnesses heard were Lawrence R. Woltz, fire marshal of Prince Georges County, Md.; James C. Robertson, assistant fire marshal of the State of Maryland; William C. Mooney, Jr., an investigator of the subcommittee's staff; and Bernard J. Semel, Capital Fireworks, Inc., Brandywine, Md., a manufacturer of plastic cherry bombs.

Hearings are tentatively scheduled to continue on Tuesday, August 6.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower concluded its series of hearings on pending bills relating to discrimination in employment (S. 773, 1210, and 1211), after receiving testimony from Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz, who is also Vice Chairman of the President's Commission on Equal Employment Opportunity; Roy Richardson, Minneapolis Honeywell, Minneapolis; Leslie Dunbar, Southern Regional Council, Atlanta; Jacob Sheinkman, National Community Relations Advisory Committee; and Noyes Collinsen and Jean Fairfax, both of the American Friends Service Committee.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, August 6, when it will begin hearings on social consequences of youth unemployment.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, August 5, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

ILO CONFERENCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements heard testimony from Representative Roosevelt regarding the International Labor Organization conference held in Geneva.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6118, regarding the selection of public lands for the development and expansion of communities in Alaska; and S. 1185, relating to exchange of lands between the State of Oregon and C & B Livestock Co., Inc.

Prior to taking action on the measures held a hearing on H.R. 5159, to authorize and direct that certain lands exclusively administered by the Secretary of the Interior be managed under principles of multiple use and to produce a sustained yield of products and services.

Testimony was given by Representative Rivers of Alaska (H.R. 6118); departmental witnesses (all measures); and public witnesses (H.R. 5159).

RAILROAD LABOR DISPUTE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 565, regarding the settlement of railroad labor disputes, and heard testimony from Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., Acting Secretary of Commerce; and a public witness.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on legislation pertaining to civil rights. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 6347, to remove inequities in the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act. Heard testimony from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission; and public witnesses.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee today agreed to include in an overall tax bill, to be introduced, relating to the President's 1963 tax recommendations, provisions relating to the following subject (provisions previously tentatively adopted by the committee were agreed to today without amendment, unless otherwise indicated): Stock options (with amendments).

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Monday, August 5, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed 24 miscellaneous bills.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Tuesday, August 6, at noon.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their Department from William J. Crockett, Deputy Under Secretary; Verne B. Lewis, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Budget and Finance; William R. Tyler, Assistant Secretary for European Affairs; and John F. Reilly, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Security, all of the State Department.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MILITARY PAY, AND OTHER COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute bill H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services.

Also, committee approved H.R. 6996, revising authority for deferment from certain Reserve training and revising special enlisted training programs (with amendments); H.R. 2192, a private bill; and an original bill which would waive the normal 6-month waiting period for disposal from our national stockpile of waterfowl feathers and down.

Committee also approved 7,960 nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, committee received a report on H.R. 5555 from Senator Cannon, chairman of the special subcommittee which handled this bill; and from Senator Symington, chairman of the Subcommittee on the National Stockpile, relative to the disposal matter mentioned above.

INDIAN LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1049, providing for the partition or sale of Indian land held in trust or restricted status.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 7919–7935; 5 private bills, H.R. 7936–7940; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 621–629, and H. Res. 472–475, were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 1163, Area Redevelopment Act amendments, filed on August 3 (H. Rept. 633);

H.R. 7824, to continue for the period ending November 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit set forth under section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act, filed on August 3 (H. Rept. 634);

H.R. 4879, to increase the Federal assistance for the improvement of public libraries, amended (H. Rept. 635);

H.R. 5778, to increase the area within which postal stations, substations, and branches may be established, amended (H. Rept. 636); and

H.R. 7544, maternal and child health and mental retardation planning amendments of 1963 (H. Rept. 637).

Pages 14133–14134

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Lake Francis Case: S. 130, to change the name of the Fort Randall Reservoir in the State of South Dakota to Lake Francis Case;

Lake Sharpe: S. 131, to change the name of the Big Bend Reservoir in South Dakota to Lake Sharpe; and

Dworshak Dam and Reservoir: S. 850, to change the name of the Bruces Eddy Dam and Reservoir in the State of Idaho to the Dworshak Dam and Reservoir.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Rice: H.J. Res. 192, relating to the validity of certain rice acreage allotments for 1962 and prior crop years;

Red Rock Dam: H.R. 1135, to designate the dam to be constructed and the reservoir to the formed on the Des Moines River, Iowa, as the Red Rock Dam and Lake Red Rock;

Guyandot River, W. Va.: H.R. 2671, to authorize construction of a bank protection project on the Guyandot River at Barboursville, W. Va.;

Texas flood control: H.R. 5478, to authorize a survey of the Frio River in the vicinity of Three Rivers, Tex., in the interest of flood control and allied purposes;

Guam: H.R. 6481, to permit the government of Guam to authorize a public authority to undertake urban renewal and housing activities;

Texas flood control: H.R. 6923, authorizing a survey of Cedar Bayou, Tex., in the interest of flood control and allied purposes;

Defective indictment: H.R. 7219, to amend U.S. Code, relating to reindictment after dismissal of a defective indictment; and

Sam Rayburn Dam and Reservoir: H.R. 7594, to designate the McGee Bend Dam and Reservoir on the Angelina River, Tex., as the Sam Rayburn Dam and Reservoir.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

National parks—Utah: S. 1388, to add certain lands to the Cache National Forest, Utah;

Water reservoirs: H.R. 1696, to define the interest of local public agencies in water reservoirs constructed by the Government which have been financed partially by such agencies;

Indians: H.R. 2977, to authorize the sale of certain lands of the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe;

Pacific Islands: H.R. 3198, to promote the social and economic development of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; and

Mail transportation: H.R. 5179, to authorize the Postmaster General to enter into agreements for the transportation of mail by passenger common carriers by motor vehicle.

Court proceedings—recording: H.R. 6138, to amend U.S. Code, to provide for the recording of proceedings in the U.S. district courts by means of electronic sound recording as well as by shorthand or mechanical means.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S. 254, H.R. 82 and 4786.

Stricken from calendar: H.R. 73 and 228.

Pages 14061–14071

Suspension Passages: The House considered and passed, under suspension of the rules, the following bills:

Additional mint facilities: S. 874, to authorize the construction and equipping of buildings required in connection with the operations of the Bureau of the Mint (amended and returned to the Senate).

Pages 14071–14073

D.C. Cultural Center: S. 1652, to amend the National Cultural Center Act to extend the termination date contained therein and to enlarge the Board of Trustees (passed by a record vote of 293 yeas to 33 nays and thus cleared for the President). Pages 14073–14079

Vessel construction cost reimbursement: H.R. 82, to amend the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 in order to provide for the reimbursement of certain vessel construction expenses (amended and sent to the Senate).

Pages 14079–14080

Lumber: S. 1032 (in lieu of H.R. 1157), to exclude cargo which is lumber from certain filing requirements under the Shipping Act of 1916 (amended and returned to the Senate). Pages 14080–14082

Coast Guard retirement: S. 1194, to remove the percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted men of the Coast Guard (amended and returned to the Senate).

Pages 14082–14083

Coast Guard officers: H.R. 5623, to amend title 14, U.S. Code, relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of officers of the Coast Guard (amended and sent to the Senate). Pages 14083–14089

Oceanography: H.R. 6997, to provide for a comprehensive, long-range, and coordinated national program in oceanography (amended and sent to the Senate).

Pages 14089–14092

Bills Referred: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1963. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the International Labor Organization Conference heard testimony from a public witness.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 3846, and related bills, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people. No final action was taken.

DUCKS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held and concluded a discussion on current duck populations. Testimony was given by Fish and Wildlife Service officials; and public witnesses.

HEALTH BENEFITS ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 7400, to permit the transfer of administrative expense funds in the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act of 1959. Heard testimony from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission; and public witnesses.

CUBA

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee held a hearing regarding U.S. citizens traveling to Cuba without State Department approval. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: The Committee on Ways and Means today agreed to include in an overall tax bill, to be introduced, relating to the President's 1963 tax recommendations, provisions relating to the following (provisions previously tentatively adopted by the committee were agreed to today without amendment, unless otherwise indicated):

Aggregation of oil and gas property (with amendment).

A press release (No. RR–63–22) on these decisions is available in the committee office, room 1102 Longworth House Office Building.

Recessed until Tuesday, August 6.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Distribution continued hearings on dual distribution, and heard testimony from representatives of the microfilm industry.

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Tuesday, August 6, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed six bills, including ones on military pay and public defenders, and began consideration of Labor-HEW appropriations.

House passed vocational education assistance bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14136–14174

Bills Introduced: 34 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1987–2020. Page 14139

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services, with amendment—reported August 5 under prior authority (S. Rept. 387);

H.R. 6996, revising authority for deferment from certain Reserve training and revising special enlisted training programs, with amendments (S. Rept. 388);

H.R. 2192, a private bill (S. Rept. 389);

S. 1994, waiving the normal 6-month waiting period for disposal from our national stockpile of certain waterfowl feathers and down (S. Rept. 390); and

S. 1703, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 so as to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program, with minority views (S. Rept. 391). Pages 14137, 14138

Military Pay: Senate passed, by unanimous vote of 84 yeas, with committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute) H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services, which had first been amended by adoption of Cannon amendments of a technical corrective nature.

Rejected were Goldwater amendment to provide for continuing executive review of military pay with recommendations to Congress as to appropriate revisions whenever it is determined that such pay is not keeping abreast of productivity changes in the national economy; and Fong amendment to restore to enlisted personnel from other parts of the U.S. now serving in Hawaii what they are now receiving in special pay, commonly known as overseas pay. Pages 14174–14177, 14199–14215

Public Lands—Arkansas: Senate passed with amendment S. 812, to release restrictions and reservations on certain real property heretofore conveyed to the State of Arkansas by the U.S., after adopting committee amendment and a Morse amendment requiring payment to the Secretary of the Army by the State of Arkansas of the fair market value of the land involved. Pages 14215–14216

Oil-Gas Compact: S.J. Res. 33, granting consent for a 4-year extension of the Interstate Compact To Conserve Oil and Gas, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 14216–14218

Olympic Games: Senate passed without amendment H.J. Res. 324, extending an invitation to hold the 1968 winter Olympic games in the United States, after discharging Committee on Foreign Relations from its further consideration. S.J. Res. 67, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. Pages 14218–14219

Olympic Games: S.J. Res. 72, favoring the holding of Olympic games in America in 1968, was passed without amendment. Page 14219

Public Defenders: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 1057, proposed Criminal Justice Act of 1963. Motion to reconsider passage of this bill was tabled. Pages 14219–14225

Labor-HEW Appropriations: Senate worked on H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, adopting en bloc all committee amendments with the exception of one to add proviso that none of the funds provided for grants for maternal and child welfare shall be used to pay more than one-half the cost of day-care service under Social Security Act. After debate, this committee amendment was rejected. The other committee amendments will be considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Senator Javits filed motion to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to the bill.

Pending at adjournment was Clark amendment to increase by $30 million (to House-passed figure) funds for manpower development and training activities, Office of Manpower and Training, Department of Labor. Pages 14160, 14202, 14231–14241

Confirmations: Two civilian nominations and one judicial nomination were confirmed. Page 14242

Nominations: Numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations were received, along with one postmaster withdrawal. Pages 14241–14242

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held hearings in connection with proposed funds for the Justice Reservoir project in West Virginia, receiving testimony from Col. Leonard Goodsell, Corps of Engineers, Army; Leonard W. Dupuy, Department of the Interior; and J. M. B. Lewis, Jr., Norfolk & Western Railroad, who was accompanied by his associates.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings on S. 41, authorizing the public lands States to select certain public lands in exchange for land taken for military purposes, and S. 1598, authorizing acceptance of a gift of land to promote the purposes of the Taylor Grazing Act, with testimony from Charles H. Stoddard, Director, Harold R. Hochmuth, Associate Director, Robert McCarthy, and Michael Harvey, all of the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Holum Hall, Lands Division, Department of Justice, who directed his remarks to S. 41; and Graham E. Holmes, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Muskogee, Okla., Department of the Interior, who directed his remarks to S. 1598.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower began a series of hearings on the social consequences of youth unemployment, having as its witnesses Frederick W. Englund, Carson Pirie Scott & Co., Chicago; and Mrs. Thomas Herlihy, Jr., National Committee for Children & Youth, Wilmington, Del.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 7941–7965; 9 private bills, H.R. 7966–7974; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 630–634, and H. Res. 476 and 477, were introduced.

Pages 14325–14326

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5542, proposed Adult Basic Education Act of 1963, amended (H. Rept. 638); and

H. Res. 477, closed rule, waiving points of order against, and providing for 4 hours of debate on, H.R. 7824, to continue for the period ending November 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act (H. Rept. 639).

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New Member Sworn: Representative-elect Fred B. Rooney, of the 15th Congressional District of Pennsylvania, presented himself in the well of the House and took the oath of office.

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Flood Control and Navigation: Objection was raised to an effort to send to conference the bill H.R. 6016, authorizing additional appropriations for prosecution of projects in certain river basin plans for flood control and navigation.

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Private Calendar: The following bills were passed on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 192, 219, 280, 752, 1003, 1326, and 1643.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1532, 1761, 1861, 2238, 2256, 2756, 2770, 3843, 4141, 5307, 5703, 5811, 5812, 5814, 5822, 6091, 6373, 6443, 6628, 6663, 6808, and 7022.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 1201, 1280, 1545, 2260, 2303, 2724, 2790, 3648, 3762, 4075, 4145, 4288, 6180, 6377, and 7019.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2228, 2300, 2706, 2728, 2925, and 5145.

Pursuant to unanimous-consent request further call of the calendar was dispensed with after item No. 171.

Pages 14243–14252

Private Bill: H.R. 1518, a private bill, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto.

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Vocational Education: By a record vote of 378 yeas to 21 nays the House passed H.R. 4955, to strengthen and improve the quality of vocational education and to expand the vocational education opportunities in the Nation. A recommittal motion designed to insert language requiring all vocational education programs to be conducted on a racially nondiscriminatory basis by July 1, 1965, was rejected by a record vote of 181 yeas to 217 nays.

Similar language, when offered as an amendment by Mr. Bell, was rejected by a teller vote of 146 yeas to 194 nays while in the Committee of the Whole.

Also rejected an amendment that sought to extend vocational education programs to all religious and nonprofit educational institutions.

H. Res. 469, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 14252–14297

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1963. Heard testimony from various public witnesses.

INDUSTRY PROMOTION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 5690, to permit employer contributions to employee trust funds set up to promote the construction industry or to a joint committee or board for interpreting provisions of collective bargaining agreements.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7885, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963.

TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1959 (amended), to authorize the transportation of privately owned motor vehicles of Government employees assigned to duty in Alaska; H.R. 4460, to permit payment of travel expenses for student trainees who have been assigned to Federal positions for which there is a manpower shortage; and H.R. 5929, to authorize payment of travel expenses for individuals who are invited by a department to visit it for purposes of future employment.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3846 (amended), to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people.

RAILROAD LABOR DISPUTE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on H.J. Res. 565, to provide for the settlement of railroad labor disputes, and heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor.

JUDICIAL BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4989, to transfer the counties of Genesee and Shiawassee in the State of Michigan from the Northern Division to the Southern Division of the Eastern Judicial District; and H.R. 7235 (amended), relating to the Clerk and the Marshal of the Supreme Court.

FISHING VESSEL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation heard testimony from Representative Bates; and Donald L. McKernan, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Department of the Interior, on H.R. 2172 and 2643, bills to correct inequities in the construction of fishing vessels.

DUAL COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on H.R. 7381, and related bills, regarding dual employment and dual compensation. Heard testimony from James E. Webb, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, August 7.

PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule, waiving points of order, with 4 hours of debate, on H.R. 7824, to continue for the period ending November 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act.

Representatives Mills and Byrnes of Wisconsin were heard on the request for a rule.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H.R. 6143, Higher Education Facilities Act. Testimony was given by Representatives Powell and Green. Hearings continue Wednesday, August 7.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee in executive session agreed to include in an overall tax bill, to be introduced, relating to the President's 1963 tax recommendations, provisions relating to the following (provisions previously tentatively adopted by the committee were agreed to today without amendment unless otherwise indicated):

Moving expenses—sale of residence (prior tentative decision rejected);

Sale or exchange of depreciable real estate (with amendment);

Income averaging (with amendment); and

Bank loan insurance (no prior tentative decision).

Press releases on these decisions are available in the committee office, room 1102 Longworth House Office Building. (The subjects of moving expenses, sale or exchange of depreciable real estate, and income averaging are contained in press release No. RR 63-23; the subject of bank loan insurance is contained in press release No. RR 63-24.)

Recessed until Wednesday, August 7.

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Wednesday, August 7, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed Labor-HEW appropriations bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14408–14465

Bills Introduced: 7 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2021–2027; S.J. Res. 109; and S. Res. 179. **Page 14410**

Bills Referred: 37 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 14407–14408**

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Banking and Currency was discharged from further consideration of S. 332, to prohibit trading in Irish potato futures on commodity exchanges, and the bill was rereferred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. Page 14412

Western Samoa: Speaker Amoa Tauslia Lolesio, of the Western Samoa Legislature, visited the Senate Chamber and was greeted by the Senators. Page 14478

Labor-HEW Appropriations: Senate passed with amendments H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, after taking the following additional actions on amendments and motions:

Adopted: By 45 yeas to 34 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hill amendment (on behalf of the committee) to restore $517,250 for compliance activities, Mexican farm labor program, Department of Labor, after Proxmire point of order against contingent proviso respecting possible future enactment of S. 1703 was sustained; and Humphrey amendment to provide $1.2 million for purchase of foreign currencies for certain expenses of the Welfare Administration, Social Security Administration; and

Rejected: By 26 yeas to 58 nays, Proxmire amendment to cut funds in the bill to the lowest of the following three levels: (1) The President's budget request; (2) the House-passed bill; or (3) the bill as reported to the Senate; by 29 yeas to 54 nays, Clark amendment to increase by $30 million (to House-passed figure) funds for manpower development and training activities, Office of Manpower and Training, Department of Labor; by 33 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Lausche amendment to reduce by $25 million funds for administration of Unemployment Compensation and Employment Services and to bar any of these funds for advertising or publicity; Javits amendment barring funds for hospitals or related facilities which are segregated on account of race, creed, or color (in effect rejected, when Mansfield motion to table was adopted by 44 yeas to 37 nays); and by 14 yeas to 60 nays, Dirksen motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Appropriations.

The provision respecting expansion of teaching in education of deaf was modified to meet the objection in Proxmire point of order by striking out the contingent proviso respecting possible future enactment of S. 1576. Modification was accepted in language respecting funds for Environmental Health Center at Beltsville, Md., by striking out proviso respecting merger of this appropriation with another, and Proxmire point of order against this proviso was then overruled.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hill, Russell, Stennis, Pastore, Bible, Byrd of West Virginia, Cotton, Smith, and Allott.

Pages 14465–14472, 14475–14502

Military Training: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 6996, revising authority for deferment from certain Reserve training and revising special enlisted training programs. Pages 14502–14504

Private Bill: H.R. 2192, private bill, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. Page 14504

Stockpile: Senate passed without amendment S. 1994, waiving the normal 6-month waiting period for disposal from our national stockpile of certain waterfowl feathers. Page 14504

NASA Authorizations: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 7500, fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Pages 14504–14511

Confirmations: One judicial and numerous Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps nominations were confirmed. Pages 14512–14513

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Robert A. Wallace, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; and numerous postmasters.

Pages 14511–14512

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

STOCKPILING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on the National Stockpile met in executive session to consider draft legislation, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

D.C. COMMERCIAL CODE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on H.R. 5338, to enact the Uniform Commercial Code for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from George E. Monk, Uniform Commercial Code Committee, D.C. Bar Association, who also represented the Metropolitan Washington Board of Trade; Frank Gunther, Law and Legislative Committee, D.C. Bankers Association; and Robert F. Kneipp, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C., who was accompanied by Peter Ridley, D.C. Recorder of Deeds.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Secretary Zuckert will continue testifying.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee S. 48, to amend the leasing provisions of the Indian Long-Term Leasing Act (amended); S. 912, to approve a compromise and settlement agreement of the Navajo Tribe of Indians (amended); S. 1582, providing for the construction of the Michaud Flats irrigation project, Idaho (amended); S. 1868, relating to adult Indian vocational training; H.R. 2635, to include the Fort Mojave Indian Reservation among reservations excepted from the 25-year lease limitation; H.R. 3306, establishing a fund to help finance procurement of expert assistance for Indians in cases before the Indian Claims Commission; H.R. 5883, to correct a land description in the act exchanging land between the U.S. and the Southern Ute Indian Tribe; and H.R. 6710, to cancel irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Wind River irrigation project, Wyoming.

Prior to this action, committee received testimony in connection with these bills from Arthur V. Watkins, Chief Commissioner, Indian Claims Commission; and Graham E. Holmes and Walter Knodel, both of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior.

GARRISON DIVERSION UNIT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 178, to modify the Missouri River Basin project so as to authorize the Garrison diversion unit.

YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on social consequences of youth unemployment, receiving testimony from David R. Hunter, public affairs program, the Ford Foundation, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FARM EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor resumed its hearings on S. 527, proposed Voluntary Farm Employment Service Act, having as its witnesses Andrew J. Biemiller, AFL–CIO; Arnold Mayer, Amalgamated Meat Cutters' & Butcher Workmen's Union; and Leo Welder and Joseph S. Fletcher, both of the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 7975–7990; 7 private bills, H.R. 7991–7997; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 635–637, and H. Res. 478–480, were introduced. **Pages 14406–14407**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: Report of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs entitled "Conditions in the Lead-Zinc Mining Industries" (H. Rept. 640). **Page 14406**

Debt Limit Extension: By a record vote of 303 yeas to 72 nays the House adopted H. Res. 477, the closed rule waiving points of order against and providing for 4 hours of debate on H.R. 7824, to continue for the period ending November 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act. **Pages 14333–14338**

Bill Referred: S. 812, to release restrictions and reservations on certain real property heretofore conveyed to the State of Arkansas by the U.S. was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. **Pages 14405**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Special Subcommittee on the Food Stamp Program met in executive session regarding food stamp legislation.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 resumed executive consideration of H.R. 3156, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill. No announcements were made.

MILITARY AIRLIFT

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the National Military Airlift met in executive session regarding the military airlift, and heard testimony from Gen. Paul Adams, commander in chief, U.S. Strike Command.

CHANCERY ZONING—ABC ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 heard testimony from a State Department official regarding H.R. 5882 and S. 646, bills to prohibit the location of chanceries or other business offices of foreign governments in certain residential areas in D.C.

In executive session considered H.R. 2036, the D.C. Alcoholic Beverage Control Act. No final action was taken.

INDUSTRY PROMOTION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5690, to permit employer contributions to employee trust funds set up to promote the construction industry or to a joint committee or board for interpreting provisions of collective bargaining agreements. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1963. Testimony was given by various public witnesses.

DELAWARE RIVER BASIN

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power met in executive session for a briefing on the hearings to be held in Trenton, N.J., regarding water pollution in the Delaware River Basin.

GUAM—ALASKA

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6225 (amended), to provide for the rehabilitation of Guam; and

H.R. 6118 (amended), to make a technical change in the Alaska Admission Act with respect to the selection of public lands for the development of communities.

MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act. No final action was taken.

DELAWARE RIVER TOLL BRIDGES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 5347 and H.R. 6199, to grant the consent of Congress to a supplemental compact between Pennsylvania and New Jersey concerning the Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission. Heard testimony from Representatives Curtin and Thompson of New Jersey and public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

FISHING VESSEL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation concluded hearings on H.R. 2172 and H.R. 2643, bills to correct inequities in the construction of fishing vessels. Testimony was given by various public witnesses.

DUAL COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on H.R. 7381, and related bills, regarding dual employment and dual compensation. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

BURNS CREEK

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control held a hearing on title II of the omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill of 1963 (Burns Creek Dam and Reservoir, Snake River, Idaho). Heard testimony from Senator Church, Representatives Harding and White; Governor Hansen, of Wyoming; Lt. Col. Joseph F. Garbacz, Assistant Director of Civil Works, Northwest Division Office, Chief of Engineers; and public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Rules: Concluded hearings on H.R. 6143, the Higher Education Facilities Act. Heard testimony from Representatives Green, Quie, Gibbons, Goodell, and Carey. No final action was taken.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee in executive session agreed to include in an overall tax bill, to be introduced, relating to the President's 1963 tax recommendations, provisions relating to the following (provisions previously tentatively adopted by the committee were agreed to today without amendment unless otherwise indicated): Basis of property acquired from a decedent (with amendments).

Recessed until Friday, August 9.

Joint Committee Meetings

HALLAM NUCLEAR POWER PROJECT

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation held hearings to receive testimony on proposed amendments to program justification data for the Hallam nuclear power project, in Nebraska. Principal witnesses heard were Frank Pittman, Director, Division of Reactor Development, Atomic Energy Commission, who was accompanied by his associates; Dr. Sidney Siegel, vice president and manager of power division, Atomics International; and Dr. Emerson Jones, special consultant to the general manager, Consumers Public Power District of Nebraska.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

Thursday, August 8, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on NASA authorizations.
Bill extending public debt limit increase passed by House.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14515–14531

Bills Introduced: 6 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2028–2033; and S.J. Res. 110–111. **Page 14515**

Lumber: S. 1032, to exclude cargo which is lumber from certain filing requirements under the Shipping Act, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. **Page 14532**

Federal Buildings: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 874, to authorize construction and equipping of buildings in connection with Bureau of the Mint operations. This action cleared the bill for the President's signature. **Page 14563**

NASA Authorizations: Senate considered H.R. 7500, fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, debating Kefauver amendment (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) to bar, under stated circumstances, any authorized funds for research and development for any person providing satellite communications services, other than a Government agency. The following unanimous-consent agreement was reached on this amendment as follows:

At conclusion of routine morning business on Friday, August 9 (which shall be concluded no later than 12:30 p.m., followed by a quorum call), further debate on the pending Kefauver amendment (No. 158), and all amendments thereto, shall be limited to 2 hours, equally divided.

The yeas and nays were ordered on the Kefauver amendment. **Pages 14531–14532, 14534–14536, 14546–14557, 14563–14575, 14583–14585**

Treaty Received: Nuclear Test Ban Treaty, signed at Moscow, August 5, 1963, on behalf of the U.S., Great Britain, and the U.S.S.R., was received (Ex. M, 88th, Cong., 1st sess.)—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Pages 14557–14563**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AIRPORTS, AND RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 1153, to extend the Federal Airport Act and to authorize funds therefor.

Also, committee heard Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz testify with regard to the current negotiations on the railroad dispute.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert.

Secretary Zuckert will resume testifying on Tuesday, August 13.

PRAIRIE NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee held hearings on S. 986, to authorize the establishment of the Prairie National Park in Kansas, with testimony from Senator Pearson; Conrad L. Wirth, Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and David Carlson and Earl Moyer, both of the Twin Mounds Ranchers Association, Manhattan, Kans.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, with further testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Mr. Kennedy will continue testifying.

YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on S. 1967, extending until 1967 the Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Offenses Control Act, with testimony from Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, who was accompanied by his associates; Dr. Lloyd E. Ohlin, School of Social Work, Columbia University; and William T. Patrick, Jr., councilman, city of Detroit, and chairman, Board of Supervisors of Wayne County, Mich.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 7998–8013; 5 private bills, H.R. 8014–8018; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 638–642, and H. Res. 481–483, were introduced. Pages 14632–14633

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5451, a private bill (H. Rept. 641);

H.R. 1233, to provide for the reinstatement and validation of U.S. oil and gas lease No. Sacramento 037552–C (H. Rept. 642);

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 643);

H. Res. 483, providing for the consideration of and 3 hours of debate on H.R. 6143, the proposed Higher Education Facilities Act of 1963 (H. Rept. 644);

H.R. 4479, providing for the conveyance to the State of California of certain mineral rights, reserved to the United States in certain real property in California, amended (H. Rept. 645); and

H.R. 7885, to amend further the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (H. Rept. 646). Page 14632

Public Debt Limit: By a record vote of 221 yeas to 175 nays the House passed H.R. 7824, to continue for the period ending November 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act.

A recommittal motion designed to limit the extension to October 31 and to fix the increase at $307 billion in lieu of $309 billion was rejected by a record vote of 164 yeas to 229 nays. Pages 14596–14613

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of August 14. Page 14616

Bill Referred: S. 1994, waiving the normal 6-month waiting period for disposal from national stockpile of certain waterfowl feathers, was referred to the Committee on Armed Services. Page 14631

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY AIRLIFT

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the National Military Airlift met in executive session regarding the military airlift, and heard testimony from Gen. Joe Kelly, commander, Military Air Transport Service.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7405, to amend the Bretton Woods Agreement Act, regarding an increase in the authorized capital stock of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development;

H.R. 7406, to provide for increased participation by the U.S. in the Inter-American Development Bank;

H.R. 4842 (amended), to amend the Federal Credit Union Act to extend the time of annual meetings;

H.R. 772, to provide for the transfer, for urban renewal purposes, of land purchased for a low-rent housing project in Detroit, Mich.;

H.R. 5048, to amend section 207 of the National Housing Act to eliminate the provision presently limiting mortgages thereunder to the cost of the physical improvements involved.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 5990, to amend the D.C. Charitable Solicitation Act; H.R. 6413, to amend the act approved March 3, 1921, establishing standard weights and measures for D.C.; and H.R. 6351, to authorize the Commissioners of the District to pay relocation costs made necessary by actions of the District government. Heard testimony from D.C. officials; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on H.R. 5625, the National Service Corps bill. Testimony was given by a public witness.

COAL MINE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 23, to amend the Federal Coal Mine Safety Act. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

INDONESIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing on Indonesia, and heard testimony from Roger Hilsman, Jr., Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs; and Seymour J. Janow, Assistant Administrator for Far East, Agency for International Development.

ALLEGANY INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 1794, and related bills, to authorize the acquisition of and the payment for a flowage easement and rights-of-way over lands within the Allegany Indian Reservation in New

York, required by the U.S. for the Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, to provide for the relocation, rehabilitation, social and economic development of the members of the Seneca Nation. Heard testimony from Army Corps of Engineers officials.

MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act. No final action was taken.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee several private claim bills.

INTERSTATE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.J. Res. 626, to grant the consent of Congress to the establishment of an interstate school district by Hanover, N.H., and Norwich, Vt.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and considered H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. No final action was taken.

ALASKA RAILROAD

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee held a hearing on S. 622, to improve and encourage collective bargaining between the management of the Alaska Railroad and representatives of its employees. Heard testimony from Representative Rivers of Alaska; John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission; and public witnesses.

BURNS CREEK

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control continued hearings on title II of the omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill of 1963 (Burns Creek Dam and Reservoir, Snake River, Idaho). Heard testimony from Representative Harrison; former Representative Gracie Pfost; and public witnesses.

A statement was submitted for the record by Representative Saylor.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Rules: In executive session granted an open rule, with 3 hours of debate, on H.R. 6143, the Higher Education Facilities Act.

NURSING CARE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care met in executive session and ordered introduced and favorably reported to the full committee a bill on provision of nursing-type care for veterans.

Joint Committee Meetings

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Friday, August 9, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed NASA authorizations bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14638–14675

Bills Introduced: 4 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2034–2037. **Page 14639**

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 14638**

NASA Authorizations: Senate passed with committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute) H.R. 7500, fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, after first taking the following actions on amendments to the committee substitute:

Adopted: Kefauver amendment as amended by adoption, by 60 yeas to 11 nays, of Anderson amendment (as a substitute for the Kefauver amendment) to bar, under stated circumstances, any authorized funds for research and development for the exclusive benefit of any person providing satellite communication services, other than a Government agency (motion to reconsider adoption tabled); and Miller amendment requiring that in addition to a study of geographical location of proposed Electronic Research Center there will be written notice to the Administrator that the study committee has no objection to the location of such site; and

Rejected: Gruening amendment to provide that private development of satellite communication services be assessed a pro rata share of research and development costs, after extent of beneficial use is determined; by 32 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Lausche amendment to reduce the authorizations in the bill by $307,801,000 (to the House-passed figure); and by 21 yeas to 45 nays, Curtis amendment to reduce authorizations by $5 million and to bar commencement of Electronic Research Center until a study for need therefor has been made and this study approved by Congress.

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Anderson, Russell, Symington, Stennis, Smith, and Case. Pages 14676–14688, 14692–14710

National Service Corps: Senate made its unfinished business S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps. Pages 14710–14712

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on arms control and nuclear test ban matters, receiving further testimony from Dr. John Foster, Director of the Lawrence Radiation Laboratory, Livermore, Calif.; and Dr. Norris E. Bradbury, Director of the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, New Mexico.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, August 12, when it will hear Dr. Edward Teller.

YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on S. 1967, to extend until 1967 the Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Offenses Control Act, with testimony from Senators Ribicoff and Dodd; Richard C. Lee, mayor, Mitchell Sviridoff, Community Progress, Inc., Paul Nagel, and Lawrence Paquin, all of New Haven, Conn.; Stanley R. Schrotel, chief of police, Cincinnati; Paul H. Hahn, probation officer, Hamilton County juvenile court, Cincinnati; and Quinn Tamm, International Association of Chiefs of Police.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, August 13.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, August 12, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

CHARITABLE SOLICITATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 5990, to amend the D.C. Charitable Solicitation Act. Heard testimony from a public witness.

COAL MINE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 23, to amend the Federal Coal Mine Safety Act. Testimony was given by Representative Gray; and public witnesses.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 1794, and related bills, regarding the acquisition of and the payment for a flowage easement and rights-of-way over lands within the Allegany Indian Reservation in New York, required by the U.S. for the Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, to provide for the relocation, rehabilitation, social, and economic development of the members of the Seneca Nation; and H.R. 7123, to approve an agreement entered into by the Navajo Tribe of Indians relating to oil and gas leases. Heard testimony from Representative Lloyd (H.R. 7123); and public witnesses (both measures).

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee in executive session agreed to include in an overall tax bill, to be introduced, relating to the President's 1963 tax recommendations, provisions relating to the following (provisions previously tentatively adopted by the committee were agreed to today without amendment unless otherwise indicated):

Stock options (with amendment);

Capital gains holding period and rates (with amendment);

Patents (prior tentative decision rejected); and

Personal holding companies (with amendment).

Press release (No. RR 63–26) on these decisions is available in room 1102 Longworth House Office Building.

Recessed until Monday, August 12.

Joint Committee Meetings

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Monday, August 12.

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Monday, August 12, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate adjourned out of respect to the memory of Senator Kefauver.

House passed D.C. crime bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Resolution Submitted: One resolution was submitted, as follows: S. Res. 180. Page 14714

Authority To Meet: Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Tuesday, August 13. Page 14714

Condolence Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 180, expressing condolences on the death of Senator Kefauver. Page 14714

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed its executive hearings on arms control and nuclear test ban proposals, having as its witness Dr. Edward Teller, who testified on security implications of the nuclear test ban proposals.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, August 14, when Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Maxwell Taylor will testify.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee began hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), receiving testimony from Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Secretary of Defense McNamara will testify.

SUBMERGED LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs held hearings on H.R. 2073, to place certain submerged lands within the jurisdiction of the governments of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa, receiving testimony from John J. Kirwan, Assistant Director, and Martin P. Mangan, Legislative Adviser, both of the Office of Territories, Department of the Interior; Manuel F. L. Guerrero, Governor of Guam; Ralph M. Paiewonsky, Governor of the Virgin Islands; and Galumalemana Vaiinupo J. Ala-Ilima, president, Organization for Preservation of Samoan Democracy.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 8019–8029; 10 private bills, H.R. 8030–8039; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 643–647, H. Con. Res. 211, and H. Res. 484–490, were introduced. Pages 14726, 14765–14767

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6118, relating to the selection of public lands in Alaska for the development and expansion of communities (H. Rept. 647);

H.R. 4842, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act to extend the time of annual meetings, amended (H. Rept. 648);

H.R. 772, regarding transfer of certain property purchased for low-rent housing project in Detroit, Mich. (H. Rept. 649);

H.R. 5048, to amend the National Housing Act to eliminate the provision presently limiting mortgages thereunder to the cost of the physical improvements involved (H. Rept. 650);

H.R. 7405, relating to increase in authorized capital stock for International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (H. Rept. 651);

H.R. 7406, to provide for increased U.S. participation in the Inter-American Development Bank (H. Rept. 652);

H.R. 1136, authorizing the Secretary of the Army to pay fair value for improvements located on the railroad right-of-way owned by bona fide lessees or permittees (H. Rept. 653);

H.R. 3804, repealing a portion of the Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act of 1943, amended (H. Rept. 654);

H.R. 5160, authorizing the Secretary of the Army to pay fair value for improvements located on the railroad right-of-way owned by bona fide lessees or permittees (H. Rept. 655); and

H.R. 7221, to modify the flood control project for Four River Basins, Fla., amended (H. Rept. 656).
Page 14766

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Albert to act as Speaker on Monday. Page 14715

Military Pay Increase: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Rivers of South Carolina, Philbin, Hébert, Winstead, Norblad, Bates, and Bray. Page 14715

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 484, electing Representative Fred B. Rooney, of Pennsylvania, to membership on the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
Page 14726

D.C. Crime: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 7525, relating to crime and criminal procedure in the District of Columbia. A recommittal motion had been rejected earlier by a record vote of 114 yeas to 222 nays. In addition to committee amendments the House adopted an amendment to delete from the bill language increasing the penalties for rape. Pages 14726–14759

Condolence Resolution: Adopted H. Res. 490, providing for expressions of condolence and sympathy on the death of Senator Kefauver, of Tennessee. The following members were appointed by the Speaker to serve on the funeral committee: Davis of Tennessee, Murray, Evins, Baker, Bass, Everett, Brock, Fulton of Tennessee, and Quillen. Pages 14765–14766

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit approved several pending watershed projects. Heard testimony from Representatives Wickersham, Burton, and Skubitz; and Department of Agriculture officials.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Albert and Conte.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 5480, to amend the Small Business Act, changing the name of the Small Business Administration to Federal Small Business Administration, and increasing its loan authorization; and H.R. 799, to amend the Small Business Investment Act in order to increase the maximum capitalization and borrowing authority of small business investment companies. Heard testimony from Representative Roosevelt; and Eugene P. Foley, Administrator, Small Business Administration.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1963. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

ALLEGANY INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs continued hearings on H.R. 1794, and related bills, to authorize the acquisition of and the payment for a flowage easement and rights-of-way over lands within the Allegany Indian Reservation in New York, required by the U.S. for the Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, to provide for the relocation, rehabilitation, social, and economic development of the members of the Seneca Nation. Heard testimony from Department of Interior officials; and a public witness. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Tuesday, August 13.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 heard testimony from petroleum industry officials on the impact upon small business of dual distribution.

Joint Committee Meetings

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Wednesday, August 14.

Tuesday, August 13, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate considered National Service Corps bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14807–14829

Bills Introduced: 4 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2038–2041; and S. Res. 181. **Page 14809**

Bill Referred: H.R. 7525, relating to crime and criminal procedure in the District of Columbia, was received and referred to Committee on the District of Columbia. **Page 14808**

Authority To Meet: Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Wednesday, August 14. **Page 14808**

Coast Guard: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 1194, to remove percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted personnel of the Coast Guard, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Bartlett, Hart, and Prouty. **Page 14813**

Interparliamentary Union: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appointed the following members of the Senate to the Interparliamentary Union meeting to be held at Belgrade, Yugoslavia, September 12–20, 1963: Senators Monroney, Mansfield, Ribicoff, Edmondson, Kennedy, Brewster, Saltonstall, Kuchel, Keating, Pearson, and Cooper. **Page 14809**

National Service Corps: Senate began consideration of S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps. **Pages 14829, 14830–14832, 14836, 14844–14856**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), receiving testimony from Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when AEC Chairman Seaborg will testify.

YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on S. 1967, extending until 1967 the Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Offenses Control Act, with testimony from Senator Morse, who introduced Dr. Wesley G. Nicholsen, president, and Dr. Kenneth Polk, project director, both of the Lane County Youth Study Board, of Eugene, Oreg.; Robert M. Ives and Dr. Richard L. Evans, both of Greater Houston Action for Youth, Houston, Tex.; and William Walsh, mayor of Syracuse, N.Y.

Hearings continue on Thursday, August 15.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Three public bills, H.R. 8040–8042, were introduced. **Page 14779**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows: Seven private bills, S. 322, 495, 506, 538, 657, 909, and H.R. 2969 (H. Repts. 657–663, respectively). **Page 14779**

The House met briefly but transacted no legislative business.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved a watershed project.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and agreed to report to the full committee a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 3516, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill.

SMALL BUSINESS ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Insurance heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 2029, to amend the Small Business Act to provide that the program under which the Government contracts are set aside for small business concerns shall not apply in the case of contracts for maintenance, repair, or construction.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5945 (amended), to establish a procedure for the prompt settlement, in a democratic manner, of the political status of Puerto Rico.

MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.J. Res. 220, to extend the Interstate Compact To Conserve Oil and Gas.

Considered S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act. No final action was taken.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.J. Res. 626, to grant the consent of Congress to the establishment of an interstate school district by Hanover, N.H., and Norwich, Vt.; and

H.R. 7235 (amended), relating to the Clerk and the Marshal of the Supreme Court.

Also approved several private immigration and private claim bills.

Tabled numerous measures regarding holidays and celebrations.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. No final action was taken.

SALARY ADJUSTMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Held a hearing on all salary adjustment legislation pending before the committee. Testimony was given by John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission; and O. Glenn Stahl, Director, Bureau of Programs and Standards, Civil Service Commission.

RESEARCH EXPENDITURES

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Representatives Vinson, Elliott, Dawson, Miller of California, Holifield, Karth, and Teague of Texas on H. Res. 455, and similar resolutions, to create a select committee to investigate expenditures for research programs conducted by departments and agencies of the Government. Hearings continue on Thursday, August 15.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on the President's tax recommendations. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, August 14.

Joint Committee Meetings

D.C. REVENUE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6177, increasing authorization for Federal contribution to the District of Columbia.

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Wednesday, August 14, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed National Service Corps bill.

House passed higher education facilities bill.

Foreign assistance bill cleared for floor action by House Rules Committee.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14856–14884

Bills Introduced: Five bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2042–2046; and S. Con. Res. 55; and S. Res. 182–185.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 7043, authorizing the printing as a House document of the annual proceedings of the Veterans of World War I (S. Rept. 392);

S. Res. 174, to print additional copies of committee print entitled "Staffing Procedures and Problems of the Soviet Union" (S. Rept. 393);

S. Res. 177, printing additional copies of joint committee print entitled "The Federal Revenue System: Facts and Problems, 1961" (S. Rept. 394);

H. Con. Res. 194, to print additional copies of the "Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag" (S. Rept. 395);

Report of Joint Economic Committee entitled "The Federal Budget as an Economic Document" (S. Rept. 396);

S. Res. 182, authorizing Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to make additional expenditures of $15,000 (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 184, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of certain materials relating to Senate rule XXII entitled "Limitation of Debate in the U.S. Senate" (no written report). **Pages 14856–14857**

Funeral Expenses: S. Res. 183, providing for payment of funeral expenses of Senator Kefauver, was adopted. **Page 14904**

D.C.: Conference report on H.R. 6177, authorizing payment of Federal funds for operation of the D.C. government, was adopted. **Pages 14896–14897**

National Service Corps: By 47 yeas to 44 nays (motion to reconsider tabled by 49 yeas to 39 nays), Senate passed with amendment S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, after adopting committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute), prior to which the following actions had been taken on amendments to this committee substitute:

Adopted: By 51 yeas to 34 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment to limit life of legislation to 2 years and to limit authorized funds for fiscal year 1965 to $10 million; Thurmond amendment requiring a request by Governor of a State to the President before implementation of the program in that State; three Miller amendments (1) to limit programs to meet needs of Indians to those living on reservations, (2) requiring applicants to be of good moral character, and (3) to limit enrollees to those of American citizenship and Cuban refugees; and Allott amendment to set a limit for employment of consultants to those that may be employed within 2 percent of the funds authorized or appropriated; and

Rejected: By 30 yeas to 60 nays, Javits amendment to provide that the States may recruit and train members of the Corps who will serve in those States on a State level in a manner analogous to the National Guard; modified Tower-Javits antidiscrimination amendment (in effect rejected when Mansfield motion to table the amendment was adopted by 49 yeas to 41 nays—motion to reconsider this action was tabled).

Dirksen motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was rejected by 45 yeas to 47 nays. **Pages 14884–14886, 14890–14892, 14894–14918**

Agriculture—Mexican Farm Labor: Senate made its unfinished business S. 1703, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 so as to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program. **Page 14918**

Bills Recommitted: The following bills were recommitted to Committee on Commerce: S. 684, to place the unification or acquisition of control of freight forwarding under the regulation of section 5 of the Interstate Commerce Act; and S. 1033, establishing a uniform system of time standards and measurement for the U.S. and to require the observance thereof for all purposes. **Page 14862**

Nominations: Numerous Army and Air Force nominations were received. **Pages 14936–14940**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed its executive hearings on arms control and nuclear test ban matters, having as its witness Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when Army Chief of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler will testify.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration the following bills: H.R. 6012, authorizing President to proclaim certain regulations for preventing collisions at sea (amended); H.R. 5623, making general revisions relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of Coast Guard officers (amended); H.R. 5781, to provide that professional nurses of the U.S. merchant marine shall be registered as staff officers; H.R. 82, providing for the reimbursement of certain vessel construction expenses; and S. 928, providing that owners of vessels requisitioned by the U. S. shall be accorded preference toward reacquiring these vessels when they can be released (amended).

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), receiving testimony from Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

LEAD AND ZINC

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels held hearings on S. 1534, proposed Lead and Zinc Stabilization Act of 1963, receiving testimony from Senators Anderson, Bible, and Mechem, the latter of whom submitted a written statement; Clark Wilson, Chairman, who was accompanied by William F. Darmitzel, New Mexico Mining Association, Charles R. Ince, St. Joseph Lead Co., W. Roy Kopp, Wisconsin-Illinois & Iowa Lead & Zinc Producers Association, Miles P. Romney, Utah Mining Association, A. J. Teske, Idaho Mining Association, and Thomas Kiser, Tri-State Lead-Zinc Ore Producers Association, all of the Emergency Lead-Zinc Committee; Harold F. Jones, representing E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., Inc.; and Robert P. Koenig, Cerro Corp. of New York, who was accompanied by Alfred Ogden, an attorney of New York.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, August 20.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Howard Jenkins, Jr., of Colorado, to be a member of the National Labor Relations Board; Thomas M. Healy, of Georgia, to be a member of the Railroad Retirement Board; and a list of nominations in the Public Health Service.

Committee also approved an original resolution (S. Res. 182) authorizing additional committee expenditures in the amount of $15,000; S.J. Res. 103, increasing the amount authorized for the work of the President's Committee on Employment of the Physically Handicapped; S. 1831, proposing several amendments to the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962 (amended); and S. 1716, repealing matching requirement for Federal payments to States for training allowances for unemployed persons (amended).

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony in behalf of Mr. Jenkins was received from Senator Allott; Representative Rogers of Colorado; and Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz. Mr. Jenkins was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: The Retirement Subcommittee held and concluded hearings on S. 1562, to provide for supplemental Federal payments in the civil service retirement system, with testimony from Senator Johnston; John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, who was accompanied by Frederick J. Lawton, Warren B. Irons, Andrew E. Ruddock, and Dorrance C. Bronson, all of the Civil Service Commission; Philip S. Hughes, Assistant Director, who was accompanied by David McAfee, both of the Bureau of the Budget; Jerome Keating, National Association of Letter Carriers; John O'Connor, United Federation of Postal Clerks; John Griner, American Federation of Government Employees; John W. MacKay, National Postal Union, who was accompanied by David Silvergleid; Vaux Owen, National Federation of Federal Employees; Dan Jaspan, National Association of Postal Supervisors; C. L. Dorson, Retirement Federation of Civil Service Employees; Glenn R. Simcox, National Association of Retired Civil Employees; and John McCart, Government Employees Council.

It was announced that the record would remain open until 5 p.m. on Wednesday, August 21, for the inclusion of additional written material.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 7043, authorizing the printing as a House document of the annual proceedings of the Veterans of World War I; H. Con. Res. 194, to print additional copies of the "Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag"; S. Res. 174, to print additional copies of committee print entitled "Staffing Procedures and Problems in the Soviet Union"; S. Res. 177, printing additional copies of joint committee print entitled "The Federal Revenue System: Facts and Problems, 1961"; an original resolution (S. Res. 184), authorizing printing as a Senate document of certain materials relating to Senate rule XXII entitled "Limitation of Debate in the U.S. Senate"; and an original resolution authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee.

Committee adopted an amendment to Senate rule VI, relating to the regulation of the Senate wing of the Capitol, which would authorize the Sergeant at Arms to initiate a system of rotating occupants in the visitors' galleries.

Also, committee received reports relating to storage of civil defense supplies in the Senate Office Buildings.

Committee authorized an adjustment in telegram quotas for Senators.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 41 public bills, H.R. 8043–8083; 13 private bills, H.R. 8084–8096; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 648–651 and H. Res. 491–494, were introduced.

Pages 15006, 15044–15046

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 6177, relating to the annual payment to the District of Columbia by the United States (H. Rept. 664);

Nine private bills, S. 1230, 1489, H.R. 1221, 1452, 1526, 4505, 4768, 5743, and 6807 (H. Repts. 665–673, respectively);

H.J. Res. 626, granting congressional consent to the Hanover, N.H.-Norwich, Vt., Interstate School District (H. Rept. 674);

H.R. 4088, a private bill (H. Rept. 675);

S. 330, regarding approval of courses under War Orphans Educational Assistance Act (H. Rept. 676);

H.R. 221, to provide educational assistance to children of veterans permanently and totally disabled from wartime service-connected disability, amended (H. Rept. 677);

H.R. 5250, to provide increased payment for widows of veterans dying from service-connected disabilities, amended (H. Rept. 678);

H.R. 5691, relating to disciplinary boards in the Department of Medicine and Surgery (H. Rept. 679);

H.R. 8009, to provide nursing home care for certain veterans, amended (H. Rept. 680);

H.J. Res. 220, consenting to an extension and renewal of the Interstate Compact To Conserve Oil and Gas (H. Rept. 681);

Four private bills, H.R. 1345, 1347, 2757, and 3384 (H. Repts. 682–685, respectively); and

H. Res. 493, open rule, waiving points of order against, and providing for the consideration of, with 5 hours of debate on, H.R. 7885, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963 (H. Rept. 686). Page 15044

Coast Guard Retirement: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 1194, to remove the percentage limitations on the retirement of enlisted men of the Coast Guard; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Bonner, Garmatz, Lennon, Glenn, and Goodling. Page 14941

Higher Education Facilities: By a record vote of 287 yeas to 113 nays the House passed H.R. 6143, to authorize assistance to public and other nonprofit institutions of higher education in financing the construction, rehabilitation, or improvement of needed academic and related facilities in undergraduate and graduate institutions, after adopting several committee amendments. A motion to recommit the bill had been rejected earlier by a voice vote.

Rejected amendments designed to—

Prevent grants to schools other than public institutions;

Prevent the authorization for the program from becoming effective until the budget is balanced;

Reduce the authorization for fiscal year 1964 to $150 million;

Fix at 2 percent the interest rate on construction loans authorized under this legislation; and

Require relocation and property payments to individuals and small businesses displaced by the program.

H. Res. 483, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 14941–14999

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Special Subcommittee on the Food Stamp Program met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5733 (amended, a clean bill to be introduced), the Food Stamp Act.

SMALL BUSINESS ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 2029, to amend the Small Business Act to provide that the program under which the Government contracts are set aside for small business concerns shall not apply in the case of contracts for maintenance, repair, or construction. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, August 15.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 concluded hearings on urban renewal in the District of Columbia. Heard testimony from General Accounting Office officials.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

ILO CONFERENCE

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the International Labor Organization Conference heard testimony from George L-P Weaver, Assistant Secretary of Labor, regarding the conference.

ELEMENTARY-SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 5344, to establish a 3-year program of Federal aid to State public, primary, and secondary schools beginning with fiscal year 1965. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

PUBLIC LANDS—OREGON

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1185, to authorize the exchange of lands between the U.S., the State of Oregon, and the C. & B. Livestock Co.

MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1576 (amended), the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, took action on several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on civil rights legislation.

COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY EQUIPMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1211, a private bill.

Considered S. 583 and H.R. 1898, similar bills, to make the present provisions for transferring in a national emergency the personnel and equipment of the Coast and Geodetic Survey to the Army and Navy equally applicable to the Air Force. No final action was taken.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, waiving points of order, with 5 hours of debate, on H.R. 7885, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1963.

Representatives Morgan, Hays, and Bolton were heard on the request for a rule.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 8009 (amended), to provide certain veterans with urgently needed nursing home care and nursing care facilities;

S. 330, to provide for designation of State agencies to work in conjunction with the Veterans' Administrator in approving courses under the educational programs established for war orphans;

H.R. 221 (amended), to provide for educational assistance to children of veterans who are permanently and totally disabled from wartime service-connected disability;

H.R. 5250 (amended), to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to widows of veterans dying from service-connected disabilities; and

H.R. 5691, to empower the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to delegate to the Chief Medical Director authority to act upon the recommendations of the disciplinary boards.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee in executive session today agreed to an individual income tax rate schedule which when fully effected will range from 14 percent on the first $500 of taxable income to 70 percent at the top. Two-thirds of the rate reduction will take effect January 1, 1964, and the remaining one-third January 1, 1965. A detailed schedule is available in the committee office (RR 63–27).

In addition, the committee agreed to include in the bill the administration's recommendation relative to the minimum standard deduction. Also, the committee agreed to include in the bill corporate rates as follows: For 1964, normal rate of 22 percent and surtax of 28 percent, making a total of 50 percent; for 1965, normal rate of 22 percent and surtax rate of 26 percent, making a total of 48 percent. A detailed release on these subjects is also available in the committee office (RR 63–28).

Joint Committee Meetings

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington. As agreed by the conferees, the bill would (1) omit provisions relating to types of financing for the Export-Import Bank, (2) extend for 5 years the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945, (3) increase from $7 billion to $9 billion the lending authority of the Bank, and (4) increase insurance coverage from $1 billion to $2 billion.

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Thursday, August 15, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bill to amend Agricultural Act by extending Mexican farm labor program.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15105–15173

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2047–2061; S.J. Res. 112; S. Con. Res. 56; and S. Res. 186.

Pages 15107–15108

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Impact of Current Tax Proposals on Small Business," with minority views (S. Rept. 397); and

S. Res. 186, authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee (no written report).

Page 15107

Bill Referred: H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act of 1963, and related measures, was referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 15105

Export-Import Bank: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington. Pages 15181–15183

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, five measures were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Printing: H.R. 7043, authorizing the printing as a House document of the annual proceedings of the Veterans of World War I.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 184, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of certain materials relating to Senate rule XXII entitled "Limitation of Debate in the U.S. Senate";

Printing: S. Res. 174, to print additional copies of committee print entitled "Staffing Procedures and Problems of the Soviet Union";

Printing: S. Res. 177, printing additional copies of joint committee print entitled "The Federal Revenue System: Facts and Problems, 1961"; and

Printing: H. Con. Res. 194, to print additional copies of the "Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag." Pages 15177–15178

Agriculture—Mexican Farm Labor: By 62 yeas to 25 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendment S. 1703, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 so as to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program, after taking the following actions on amendments:

Adopted: Committee amendment; and, by 44 yeas to 43 nays, McCarthy amendment (in nature of a substitute for the bill) to terminate the program December 31, 1964, and to protect U.S. farm labor from the effects of imported labor by making conditions for each the same as to (1) workmen's compensation, (2) housing, (3) transportation, and (4) guaranteed minimum amount of work.

Rejected: By 45 yeas to 45 nays, modified McCarthy amendment (in the nature of a substitute for the bill) to terminate the program December 31, 1964; to require Secretary of Agriculture to take steps to assure sufficient U.S. farm labor to perform the functions previously handled by imported farm labor; and to protect U.S. farm labor from effects of imported labor by making conditions for each the same as (1) workmen's compensation, (2) housing, (3) transportation, and (4) guaranteed minimum amount of work.

Prior to the vote on final passage of the bill, the bill was read the third time, following which McCarthy motion to table the Ellender motion to reconsider the third reading was rejected by 45 yeas to 45 nays, and then the Ellender motion to reconsider the third reading was rejected by 45 yeas to 45 nays. Pages 15173, 15180–15181, 15183–15219

Courts: S. 979, providing for the inclusion of a district judge or judges on the judicial council of each circuit, was made the Senate's unfinished business. Pages 15219–15220

Authority To Report: Committee on the Judiciary was authorized to file reports during Senate's adjournment on S. 49, 1828, S.J. Res. 87, S. 1914, and 1942. Page 15120

Authority To Meet: Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to meet on Monday, August 19, while Senate is in session. Page 15230

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Howard Jenkins, Jr., of Colorado, to be a member of NLRB; Thomas M. Healy, of Georgia, to be a member of the Railroad Retirement Board; and 52 in the Public Health Service. Page 15251

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Gen. Herbert B. Powell, U.S. Army (retired), of Oregon, to be Ambassador to New Zealand; Ewan Clague, of Pennsylvania, to be Commissioner of Labor Statistics; and six in the Coast Guard. Page 15251

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on arms control and nuclear test ban matters, having as its witnesses Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chief of Staff, Army, and Adm. David L. McDonald, Chief of Naval Operations.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Air Force Chief of Staff General LeMay will testify.

WOOD LABELING

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 1249, to protect consumers against misbranding and false advertising of decorative wood and simulated wood products, receiving testimony from Senator Ervin; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Myron W. Solter, Committee for the Imported Hardwood Plywood Association; E. Howard Gatewood, Fine Hardwoods Association; Robert Spelman, Wood Office Furniture Institute; Mrs. Margaret Dana, Consumer Relations Counsel; William P. MacCracken, Jr., United States Plywood Corp.; Angus McDonald, National Farmers' Union; C.H. Henkel, Henkel-Harris Co.; Clark McDonald, Hardwood Plywood Institute; and John W. Miller, Miller Furniture Co.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NEW ENGLAND AIR SERVICE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Aviation held hearings in connection with the economic impact on New England resulting from a discontinuance of Northeast Airlines services from that area, with testimony from Senators Aiken, Saltonstall, Kennedy, and Muskie; Representatives McIntire, Keith, Morse, Stafford, and Cleveland; Civil Aeronautics Board Chairman Alan S. Boyd; and Gov. Endicott Peabody, of Massachusetts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC DEBT, AND NOMINATION

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 7824, continuing through November 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit; and the nomination of Robert A. Wallace, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued, in open and executive sessions, its hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), having as its witness Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor.

Hearings continue tomorrow, in executive session, when CIA Director John A. McCone will testify.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving testimony from Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert; and former Under Secretary of the Air Force Joseph V. Charyk.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on S. 1967, extending until 1967 the Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Offenses Control Act, with testimony from Ralph Locher, mayor of Cleveland; Thomas Burke, chairman, board of directors, and David Austin, associate director, both of Community Action of Youth, Cleveland; and Charles Tenney, city administrator, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration H.R. 7195, proposed Federal-Aid Highway Amendments of 1963; and S. 1827, authorizing expenditures for research and development in connection with highway planning.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 8097–8114; 8 private bills, H.R. 8115–8122; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 652–654, and H. Res. 495, were introduced.
Pages 15104–15105

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5083, a private bill (H. Rept. 687); and

Conference report on H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the bank may exercise its functions (H. Rept. 688). Page 15104

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of August 21. Page 15060

NASA Authorizations: Objection was made to an effort to send to conference the bill H.R. 7500, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and administrative operations.
Pages 15062–15063

Bill Referred: S. 1321, to create a National Service Corps, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. Page 15104

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SMALL BUSINESS ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 2029, to amend the Small Business Act to provide that the program under which the Government contracts are set aside for small business concerns shall not apply in the case of contracts for maintenance, repair, or construction. Heard testimony from Eugene P. Foley, Administrator, Small Business Administration; and other departmental witnesses.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1963, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

RUMANIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for a briefing by William A. Crawford, Minister to Rumania.

COSTILLA CREEK—COCHITI RESERVOIR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 5949, to consent to the amendments by the States of Colorado and New Mexico of the Costilla Creek compact; and H.R. 3193 and 3194, to authorize the Secretary of Interior to make water available for a permanent pool for recreation purposes at Cochiti Reservoir from San Juan-Chama unit of the Colorado River storage project. Heard testimony from Representatives Chenoweth (H.R. 5949); and Morris, of New Mexico (H.R. 3193 and 3194); and departmental witnesses (all measures).

A statement was submitted for the record by Representative Montoya.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session regarding civil rights legislation.

PATENT OFFICE FEES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7370 (amended), to amend fees payable to the Patent Office in connection with issuance of certain patents.

RESEARCH EXPENDITURES

Committee on Rules: Completed hearings on H. Res. 455, and similar resolutions, to create a select committee to investigate expenditures for research programs conducted by departments and agencies of the Government. Testimony was given by Representatives Kirwan, Laird, Harris, and Aspinall.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: In executive session the committee approved a provision which will, beginning in 1964, gradually "speed up" payment of corporate income taxes. A detailed release is available in committee office (RR 63-29).

With respect to multiple surtax exemptions, in addition to minor technical amendments, the committee modified the provision previously agreed to providing a 3-percent penalty tax in certain cases so that the penalty tax will be 5 percent on the first $25,000 of income and, on the excess over $25,000, 2 percent for the calendar year 1964 and 3 percent for subsequent years. A detailed release on this is also available in the committee office (RR 63-30).

In addition, the 2-percent tax on consolidated returns would be repealed, and no change would be made in the intercorporate dividends-received deduction provided by existing law.

The committee also agreed to repeal the provision contained in the Revenue Act of 1962 relating to the deduction from the depreciation base of the amount of the investment credit. The committee also agreed to repeal the 4 percent dividend credit over a 2-year period (making the credit 2 percent in 1964 and complete repeal in 1965) and to double the $50 dividend exclusion, making a $100 exclusion. Details relative to these and other decisions of the committee are available in a press release in the main committee office (RR 63-30).

Joint Committee Meetings

NAVAL REACTOR PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation met in executive session to consider management of the naval reactor program. Witnesses heard on this matter were Theodore Rockwell III, I. Harry Mandil, David Leighton, and Robert Panoff, all of the Division of Reactor Development, Atomic Energy Commission.

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Monday, August 19, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed 17 miscellaneous bills.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15256–15282

Resolution Submitted: One resolution was submitted, as follows: S. Con. Res. 57. Page 15257

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

The following five reports were submitted August 16, 1963, under prior authorization:

S.J. Res. 87, providing for the designation of the week commencing September 8, 1963, as "National Public Works Week" (S. Rept. 398);

S. 49, to provide for the establishment of the Alaska Centennial Commission (S. Rept. 399);

S. 1828, to amend joint resolution establishing the Battle of Lake Erie Sesquicentennial Commission so as to authorize appropriation therefor (S. Rept. 400);

S. 1914, to incorporate the Catholic War Veterans of the U.S. of America (S. Rept. 401); and

S. 1942, to incorporate the Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A. (S. Rept. 402).

The bills shown hereafter were reported today:

H.R. 7824, continuing through November 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit (S. Rept. 403);

S. Con. Res. 57, S. 31, 71, 198, 202, 479, 561, 585, 669, 789, 820, 1313, 1570, H.R. 1206, 1232, 1237, 1276, 1366, 1393, 1398, 1499, 1731, 1876, 2207, 2239, 2287, 2309, 2444, 2450, 2765, 3218, 3629, 5094, 5507, 5834, 6567, S. 212, 838, 1097, 1272, and 1678, private bills (S. Repts. 404–444); and

S. 933, relating to the criteria for the issuance of a D.C. practical nursing license, with amendments (S. Rept. 445).

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Courts: By unanimous consent, S. 979, providing for the inclusion of a district judge or judges on the judicial council of each circuit, which had been Senate's unfinished business, was restored to the calendar.

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Authority To Meet: Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Tuesday, August 20.

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Gratuity: Senate took up S. Res. 186, authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee.

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Confirmation: The nomination of Robert A. Wallace, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, was confirmed.

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Nominations: The following nominations were received: Dwight J. Porter, of Nebraska, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; George L. Mehren, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; 1 Army, in the grade of lieutenant general; and 12 Coast Guard.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, with testimony in behalf of funds for their Department from William J. Crockett, Deputy Under Secretary; Robert J. Manning, Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs; and Abba P. Schwartz, Administrator, Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs, all of the State Department.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on arms control and nuclear test ban matters, having as its witness Gen. Thomas S. Powers, commander in chief, Strategic Air Command.

On Friday, August 16, subcommittee had as its witnesses Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Chief of Staff, Air Force; and Dr. Edward Teller.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when testimony will be heard from Gen. Bernard A. Schriever.

QUALITY STABILIZATION ACT

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 774, proposed Quality Stabilization Act, with testimony from Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation; Frank Lobraico, National Association of Retail Druggists; Charles Frank Fort, Food Town Ethical Pharmacies, Inc., Baton Rouge; Mike Mermey, Committee for the Advancement of Independent Retailing; and M. G. Davis, who read the statement of Arthur B. Hersberger, Atlantic Refining Co., Philadelphia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NEW ENGLAND AIR SERVICE

Committee on Commerce: The Aviation Subcommittee continued its hearings in connection with the economic impact on New England resulting from a discontinuance of Northeast Airlines services from that area, receiving testimony from Capt. Roger J. Crowley, Jr., New Hampshire Aeronautics Commission, who represented the Governor of New Hampshire; Mayor John C. Mongan, of Manchester, N.H.; Mayor Edward L. Schuette, of Berlin, N.H.; Mayor Robert L. Mallat, Jr., of Keene, N.H.; Richard P. Brouillard, city solicitor, Laconia, N.H.; James W. Austin, Northeast Airlines, Boston; Malcolm A. MacIntyre, president, Eastern Airlines; Nathan Simat, Systems Analysis & Research Corp., Boston; Phyllis Rubin, Tampa, Fla., Hotel & Motel Association; and Crocker Snow, chairman of aviation committee, New England Council; and Miss Kathleen Drummond, representing the stewardesses of Northeast Airlines.

On Friday, August 16, testimony in connection with this matter was received from Representatives Pepper and Bates; Thomas G. Brown, aviation committee, Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce; Arthur G. Coffey, corporation counsel for the city of Boston, who was accompanied by Paul McBride, Massachusetts Port Authority; Leo A. Furlong, Jr., State representative, Miami, Fla.; Capt. Milton Anderson, Airline Pilots Association, Boston; Charles Sinclair, president, local 515, Transport

Workers Union, Boston; and James Denning and William Sutherland, both of Northeast Airlines, Boston.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), receiving testimony from Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chief of Staff, Army; Adm. David L. McDonald, Chief of Naval Operations; and Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Chief of Staff, Air Force.

On Friday, August 16, committee received testimony, in executive session, from John A. McCone, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: On Friday, August 16, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Secretary Zuckert.

YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, August 16, Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower concluded its hearings on S. 1967, extending until 1967 the Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Offenses Control Act, after receiving testimony from Gordon S. Jaeck, Charleston Youth Community, Inc., W. J. Thompson, judge, intermediate court, Kanawha County, and Charles M. Walker, prosecuting attorney of Kanawha County, and also of the Charleston Youth Community, Inc., all of Charleston, W. Va.; Arthur Naftalin, mayor of Minneapolis; Alan H. Moore and Larry E. Harris, both of Community Health & Welfare Council of Hennepin County, Minneapolis; Robert Goe, executive assistant to the mayor of Los Angeles; and Karl Holton, Youth Opportunities Board of Greater Los Angeles.

Subcommittee will consider this bill in executive session tomorrow.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Friday, August 16, Subcommittee on Retirement held hearings on H.R. 5377, to extend the civil service retirement program to include the Architect of the Capitol and his employees, with testimony from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, who was accompanied by Andrew E. Ruddock, Bureau of Retirement and Insurance, both of the Civil Service Commission; and Charles Henlock, Administrative Officer, Architect of the Capitol.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

SENATE RULES

Committee on Rules and Administration: On Friday, August 16, Subcommittee on Standing Rules of the Senate, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. Res. 89, to amend Senate rule VIII so as to require that 3 hours each day the debate on the floor of the Senate be germane to the pending business (amended); S. Res. 111, to amend Senate rule XXV so as to permit committees to meet while the Senate is in session until the end of the morning hour; S. Res. 78, to permit former Presidents of the United States to have the privilege of speaking on the floor of the Senate (with an amendment in the nature of a substitute); and S. Con. Res. 1, to establish a Joint Committee on the Organization of Congress (amended).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 8123–8146; 10 private bills, H.R. 8147–8156; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 496 and 497, were introduced. **Pages 15361–15362**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 1154, a private bill (H. Rept. 689);

S. 1185, relating to the exchange of certain lands between the State of Oregon and the C & B Livestock Co., Inc. (H. Rept. 690); and

H.R. 7044, relating to the Corregidor-Bataan Memorial Commission, amended (H. Rept. 691). **Page 15361**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Michigan urban renewal: H.R. 772, to provide for the transfer of certain property purchased for low-rent housing project in Detroit, Mich.;

Military real estate: H.R. 1136, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to pay fair value for improvements located on the railroad right-of-way owned by bona fide lessees or permittees;

Oil and gas lease: H.R. 1233, to provide for the reinstatement and validation of U.S. oil and gas lease No. Sacramento 037552–C;

National Housing Act mortgages: H.R. 5048, to amend the National Housing Act to eliminate the provision presently limiting mortgages thereunder to the cost of physical improvements involved;

Military real estate: H.R. 5160, authorizing the Secretary of the Army to pay fair value for improvements located on the railroad right-of-way owned by bona fide lessees or permittees;

Firefighter compensation: H.R. 6396, to permit certain Government employees to elect to receive compensation in accordance with section 401 of the Federal Employees Pay Act of 1945 in lieu of certain compensation at a saved rate.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Supplemental appropriations: S. 1139 (in lieu of H.R. 3804), repealing a portion of the Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act of 1943;

Property transfer—California: H.R. 4479, to provide for the conveyance to the State of California of certain mineral rights reserved to the U.S. in certain real property in California;

Federal Credit Union Act: H.R. 4842, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act to extend the time of annual meetings;

Postal substations: H.R. 5778, to increase from 10 to 20 miles the area within which the Postmaster General may establish stations, substations, or branches of post offices; and

Public lands—Alaska: H.R. 6118, to amend the act providing for the admission of the State of Alaska into the Union with respect to the selection of public lands for the development and extension of communities; and

Flood control: H.R. 7221, to modify the flood control project for Four River Basins, Fla.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S. 254 and H.R. 4786.

Pages 15295–15299

Suspension Passages: The House considered and, by voice votes, passed the following bills under suspension of the rules:

World Bank: H.R. 7405, relating to an increase in authorized capital stock of International Bank for Reconstruction and Development. Pages 15299–15300

Inter-American development: H.R. 7406, to provide for increased U.S. participation in the Inter-American Development Bank. Pages 15300–15301

Veterans—widows: H.R. 5250, to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to widows of veterans dying from service-connected disabilities, amended. Page 15301

Veterans—children's education: H.R. 221, to provide educational assistance to the children of veterans who are permanently and totally disabled from an injury or disease arising out of active military, naval, or air service during a period of war or the induction period, amended. Pages 15301–15304

Oil-gas compact: S.J. Res. 33 (in lieu of H.J. Res. 220), granting consent for a 4-year extension of the Interstate Compact To Conserve Oil and Gas (amended and returned to the Senate). Pages 15304–15309

Export-Import Bank: The House adopted the conference report on H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington and to extend the period within which the Bank may exercise its functions. This action cleared the legislation for the President. Pages 15309–15315

Federal Payment to D.C.: H.R. 6177, relating to the annual payment to the District of Columbia by the United States, was cleared for Presidential action by the House adoption of the conference report thereon.

Pages 15315–15318

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session regarding Department of Defense research and development programs. Heard testimony from Dr. Harold Brown, Director, Research and Engineering, Department of Defense.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 1794, and related bills, to authorize the acquisition of and the payment for a flowage easement and rights-of-way over land within the Allegany Indian Reservation in New York, required by the U.S. for the Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, to provide for the relocation, rehabilitation, social and economic development of the members of the Seneca Nation. Heard testimony from a Department of Interior official; and a public witness.

COSTILLA CREEK—CROOKED RIVER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, August 16, Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5949, to consent to the amendment by the States of Colorado and New Mexico of the Costilla Creek compact.

Held a hearing on H.R. 1712, and related bills, to amend the act authorizing the Crooked River Federal reclamation project to provide for the irrigation of additional lands. Heard testimony from Representative Ullman; and Department of Interior officials.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.J. Res. 335, to request the President of the U.S. to designate the 17th day of December of each year as Wright Brothers Day; and H.J. Res. 475, to authorize the President to designate December 7, 1966, as Pearl Harbor Day, in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor.

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Tuesday, August 20, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed debt limit extension bill and 46 measures on calendar call, and agreed to limit debate on airport grants bill.

House debated foreign aid bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15372–15397

Bills Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2062–2067. Page 15372

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1153, to extend the Federal Airport Act and to authorize funds therefor, with amendment (S. Rept. 446); and

S. 1543, repealing the legislation prohibiting Federal employment of employees of the Pinkerton Detective Agency or any similar agency (S. Rept. 447). Page 15372

Bills Referred: 15 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 15372

Resolution Indefinitely Postponed: S. Res. 181, instructing Senate conferees on H.R. 3872, to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington, which had been presented and ordered to lie on the table on August 13, 1963, was indefinitely postponed. Page 15377

Gratuity: Senate adopted S. Res. 186, authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee. Pages 15420, 15424

Authority To Meet: Committees on Foreign Relations and Armed Services and the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy were authorized to meet during balance of week while Senate is in session. Page 15372

Debt Limit Increase: By 57 yeas to 31 nays Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 7824, continuing through November 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit. Pages 15397, 15424–15432

Airports: Senate made its unfinished business S. 1153, to extend the Federal Airport Act and to authorize funds therefor, and by unanimous consent agreed to limit debate thereon as follows, starting after close of morning business on Friday, August 23:

One hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); no nongermane amendment may be received; and 2 hours, equally divided, on question of passage of bill. Page 15432

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 46 measures, of which 41 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: 23 private bills, H.R. 1206, 1232, 1237, 1276, 1366, 1393, 1398, 1499, 1731, 1876, 2207, 2239, 2287, 2309, 2444, 2450, 2765, 3218, 3269, 5094, 5507, 5834, and 6567.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

National Public Works Week: S.J. Res. 87, providing for the designation of the week commencing September 8, 1963, as "National Public Works Week";

Lake Erie Battle Sesquicentennial: S. 1828, to amend joint resolution establishing the Battle of Lake Erie Sesquicentennial Commission so as to authorize appropriation therefor; and

Private measures: 12 private bills, S. Con. Res. 57, S. 31, 71, 198, 202, 479, 561, 585, 669, 789, 820, and 1330.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Alaska Centennial Commission: S. 49, to provide for the establishment of the Alaska Centennial Commission;

Catholic War Veterans: S. 1914, to incorporate the Catholic War Veterans of the U.S. of America;

Jewish War Veterans: S. 1942, to incorporate the Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A.; and

Private bills: Six private bills, S. 1570, 212, 838, 1097, 1272, and 1678. Pages 15432–15440

Nominations: The following nominations were received: William O. Hall, of Oregon, to be Assistant Administrator for Administration, Agency for International Development; and two civilian. Page 15441

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7179, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, with testimony in open session from Deputy Secretary of Defense Roswell L. Gilpatric, and testimony in open and in executive sessions from Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on arms control and nuclear test ban matters, having as its witnesses Gen. Bernard A. Schriever, commander, Air Force Systems Command.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Ashton C. Barrett, to be a member of the Federal Maritime Commission; and 26 routine nominations in the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Committee also considered S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, but made no announcements, and will meet for its further consideration tomorrow.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Committee met in executive session with Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz to discuss S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods, but made no announcements.

Senators Magnuson, Pastore, and Cotton will meet in executive session tomorrow with Secretary of Labor Wirtz and the heads of five railroad brotherhoods to discuss further the current railroad dispute.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), receiving testimony from Dr. Edward Teller; and Robert Strausz-Hupé, professor of political science, University of Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LEGISLATIVE JURISDICTION OVER LANDS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed its hearings on S. 815, to adjust legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over land in the several States used for Federal purposes, with testimony from Nicholas deB. Katzenbach, Deputy Attorney General; Jack Stempler, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Defense, who was accompanied by Joe C. Robinson, Real Estate Division, Office of Chief of Army Engineers; and Frank Barry, Solicitor, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PESTICIDES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations resumed its series of hearings in regard to interagency coordination of environmental hazards, with testimony on hazards created by the use of pesticides from Dr. George C. Decker, Illinois Agricultural Experiment Station; and Dr. Clifford C. Roan, Kansas State University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Secretary Zuckert.

LEAD AND ZINC

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels concluded hearings on S. 1534, proposed Lead and Zinc Stabilization Act of 1963, after receiving testimony from Senator Bennett; John M. Kelly, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Mineral Resources, who was accompanied by his associates; Philip H. Trezise, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; Daniel L. Goldy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Business Development; and James E. Mack, Rolled Zinc Manufacturers Association, Inc.

It was announced that the record would remain open through Tuesday, August 27, for the inclusion of additional written material.

NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Ewan Clague, to be Commissioner of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY, AND YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower concluded its hearings on pending bills relating to discrimination in employment (S. 773, 1210, and 1211), after receiving testimony from Erwin N. Griswold, member, Commission on Civil Rights.

In executive session, the subcommittee ordered favorably reported to the full committee without amendment S. 1967, extending until 1967 the Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Offenses Control Act.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1936, authorizing the State of Rhode Island to maintain and operate the bridge across Mount Hope Bay; H.R. 4823, to modify the Rend Lake, Ill., flood control project; H.R. 2671, authorizing construction of a bank protection project on the Guyandot River at Barboursville, W. Va.; H.R. 1135, designating the dam being constructed and the reservoir to be formed on the Des Moines River, Iowa, as Red Rock Dam and Lake Red Rock; H.R. 7594, designating the McGee Bend Dam and Reservoir on the Angelina River, Tex., as the Sam Rayburn Dam and Reservoir; H. Con. Res. 179, expressing appreciation of the Congress to the American Association of State Highway Officials for its contribution to the highway transportation system over a 50-year period; and S. 1756, to amend the Alaska Public Works Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to collect, compromise, or release certain claims held by him under that act (amended).

Committee also approved the following public buildings projects: (1) alteration to Federal office building in San Francisco, at an estimated cost of $1,041,000; (2) construction of a new post office and Federal office building in the Bronx, N.Y., at an estimated cost of $17,960,000; and (3) alteration of existing Bronx central post office, at an estimated cost of $2,375,000.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 8157–8177; 7 private bills, H.R. 8178–8184; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 655, H. Con. Res. 212, and H. Res. 498 were introduced. Page 15499

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S.J. Res. 51 and S. 1066 (in lieu of H.R. 5451).

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 2228, 2445, 5753, and 6097.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 1311, 1742, 1750, 1874, 2754, 2925, 2928, 5583, and 7491.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1263, 2300, 2706, 2728, and 5145.

Further call of the calendar was dispensed with after item No. 185. Pages 15442–15445

Foreign Aid Authorization: By a voice vote the House adopted H. Res. 493, the open rule providing for the waiving of points of order against, and the consideration of, with 5 hours of debate on, H.R. 7885, the foreign aid authorization bill. After consuming 3 hours and 31 minutes of the time allotted for debate, the House deferred further consideration of the legislation to Wednesday. Pages 15445–15481

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight and Consumer Relations met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7155 (amended), to facilitate the work of the Department of Agriculture.

MEXICAN FARM LABOR

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Equipment, Supplies, and Manpower met in an informal session for a discussion of legislation to extend the Mexican farm labor program.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: The committee considered H.R. 8042, the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill.

ELEMENTARY-SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 5344, to establish a 3-year program of Federal aid to State public, primary, and secondary schools beginning with fiscal year 1965 in such sums as Congress may determine. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

INTER-AMERICAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing by Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs.

ALLEGANY INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs completed hearings on H.R. 1794, and related bills, to authorize the acquisition of and the payment for a flowage easement and rights-of-way over land within the Allegany Indian Reservation in New York, required by the U.S. for the Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, to provide for the relocation, rehabilitation, social and economic development of the members of the Seneca Nation. Heard testimony from a public witness. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

D.C. AIRPORTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on H.R. 826, to create the National Capital Airports Corporation. Recessed until Wednesday, August 21.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session regarding civil rights legislation.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session on H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry. No final action was taken.

FEDERAL SALARIES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Heard testimony from Elmer B. Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget, on Federal salary increase legislation.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on H.R. 8000, to impose a tax on acquisitions of certain foreign securities in order to equalize costs of longer term financing in the U.S. and in markets abroad. Heard testimony from C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, August 21.

Joint Committee Meetings

RADIOACTIVE FALLOUT

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation began phase II of its hearings in connection with radioactive fallout from nuclear weapons tests, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Dr. George W. Beadle, chancellor of the University of Chicago; Dr. Irving Michelson, Consumers Union; Dr. C. Howe Eller, St. Louis County Health Department; and Dr. Charles W. Mays, University of Utah.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, August 21, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House worked on foreign aid authorization bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Friday, August 23, at noon.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1915, to encourage the reduction of excess marketings of milk; S. 277, to increase the number of new counties in which crop insurance may be offered each year; and the nomination of George L. Mehren, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture. Seven watershed projects were approved.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Senators Magnuson, Pastore, and Cotton met in executive session with Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz, representatives of railroad management, and the heads of five railroad brotherhoods, to discuss further the current railroad dispute.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), with testimony from Dr. Harold Brown, Director of Research and Engineering, Department of Defense; Dr. John S. Foster, Director, Livermore Radiation Laboratory, University of California; and Dr. Norris E. Bradbury, Director, Los Alamos Laboratories, N. Mex.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PESTICIDES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations continued its hearings on the effects of pesticides on human health and safety, with testimony from Dr. Emil Mrak, chancellor, Davis Campus, University of California; Don L. Fraser, deputy supervisor, Washington State Department of Natural Resources; and Dr. Edward M. Smith, professor of entomology, Cornell University.

Hearings recessed subject to call.

LEGISLATIVE JURISDICTION OVER LANDS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its hearings on S. 815, to adjust legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over land in the several States used for Federal purposes, with testimony from Senator Moss; William A. Schmidt, Deputy Commissioner, Public Buildings Service, and Henry H. Rike, Special Assistant to the General Counsel, both of GSA; Thomas C. Kelly, National Association of Counties; Thomas L. Kimball, National Wildlife Federation (who filed a statement); Thomas B. Finan, attorney general of Maryland; and L. Laszlo Ecker-Racz, Assistant Director, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its executive hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., of Fort Worth, with the concluding testimony of Secretary of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 8185–8200; 3 private bills, H.R. 8201–8203; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 656–658, were introduced. Page 15551

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6225, providing for the rehabilitation of Guam, amended (H. Rept. 692);

Report of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce entitled "Pulp, Paper, and Board Supply-Demand" (H. Rept. 693);

S. 1576, proposed Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963, amended (H. Rept. 694); and

H.R. 7235, relating to the clerk and marshal of the U.S. Supreme Court, amended (H. Rept. 695). Page 15551

NASA Authorizations: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 7500, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and administrative operations; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Miller of California, Teague of Texas, Karth, Hechler, Martin of Massachusetts, and Fulton. Page 15508

Reserve Training Programs: H.R. 6996, to revise and consolidate the special enlistment active duty for training programs available to Reserve personnel, was cleared for Presidential action by House concurrence in Senate amendments thereto. Page 15508

Foreign Aid Authorization: Resumed the consideration of H.R. 7885, the foreign aid authorization bill, and while in the Committee of the Whole adopted amendments that—

Require that 50 percent of development loan funds be used for economic development through private enterprise participation; and

Fix a minimum interest rate of 2 percent on development loans.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Limit aid to countries which share U.S. view on the world crises; and

Repeal provisions allowing reloaning of receipts from the development loan fund.

The legislation will be considered further on Thursday. Pages 15508–15541

Joint Committee Appointment: The Speaker announced the appointment of Representative Chelf to membership on the Joint Committee on Immigration and Nationality Policy. Page 15541

Bills Referred: 21 Senate-passed bills were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Page 15550

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PESTICIDES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight and Consumer Relations held a hearing on H.R. 6828, and related bills, to provide for registration of pesticides. Heard testimony from Senator Ribicoff; Representative Rosenthal; and various departmental witnesses.

MEXICAN FARM LABOR

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Equipment, Supplies and Manpower, met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6719 (with technical amendment to the title), to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1949 in regard to extension of the Mexican farm labor program for 1 year.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 8042, the civil defense fallout shelter bill. The committee will convene to consider the clean bill on Tuesday, August 27.

AIR FORCE PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee for Special Investigations heard testimony from various General Accounting Office officials regarding Air Force procurement practices.

QUALITY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session to consider H.R. 6013, to authorize a 3-year program of grants or contracts with colleges and universities for operation of institutes for advanced study courses for teachers in elementary or secondary schools and for teachers preparing to teach gifted children or adults who have difficulty in reading English; and H.R. 6025, to authorize the Commissioner of Education to make grants for cooperative research in education. No final action was taken.

HOUSE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: In executive session ordered the following resolutions favorably reported to the House:

H. Res. 444 (amended), authorizing $7,000 for the use of the Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Research Data Processing and Information Retrieval Center, Committee on Education and Labor;

H. Res. 474, authorizing the printing as a House document the May 1963 special report to the President and to the Congress on Increase in the Resources of the Inter-American Development Bank, by the National Advisory Council International Monetary and Financial Problems;

H. Res. 475, authorizing the printing as a House document the May 1963 special report to the President and to the Congress on Proposed Increase of $1 Billion in Authorized Capital of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, by the National Advisory Council on International Monetary and Financial Problems;

H. Con. Res. 203, authorizing the printing as a House document 161,259 additional copies of a study entitled "The Federal Government and Education," prepared by the Committee on Education and Labor;

H. Con. Res. 212, authorizing the printing of selected excerpts to be used in the 1963–64 national college debate topic, "That the Federal Government should guarantee an opportunity for higher education to all qualified high school graduates";

H. Res. 415 (amended), authorizing the printing of the United States Defense Policies in 1962 as a House document; and

S. Con. Res. 48 (amended), authorizing the printing as a Senate document of selected excerpts to be distributed for use in the 1963–64 national high school debate subject of medicare.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Considered H.R. 3846, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people. No final action was taken. Recessed until Thursday, August 22.

D.C. AIRPORTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on H.R. 826, to create the National Capital Airports Corporation. No final action was taken.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony on several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session regarding civil rights legislation.

UPPER MANTLE PROJECT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation held a hearing on the Upper Mantle project. Testimony was given by public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, August 22.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization met in executive session to lay plans to investigate complaints received by the committee alleging that certain Federal departments and agencies have put into effect employment and promotion practices that are discriminatory due to race, creed, national origin, or sex.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on H.R. 8000, to impose a tax on acquisitions of certain foreign securities in order to equalize costs of longer term financing in the U.S. and in markets abroad. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, August 22.

Joint Committee Meetings

RADIOACTIVE FALLOUT

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation continued phase II of its hearings concerning radioactive fallout from nuclear weapons tests, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Dr. Shields Warren, NAS Committee on Biological Effects of Atomic Radiation; Dr. Hymer L. Friedell, Western Reserve University; Dr. Edward B. Lewis, California Institute of Technology; Dr. Brian MacMahon, Harvard School of Public Health; and Dr. Eric Reiss, Greater St. Louis Citizens' Committee for Nuclear Information.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COAST GUARD

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1194, to remove percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted personnel of the Coast Guard.

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Thursday, August 22, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House worked on foreign aid authorization bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Friday, August 23, at noon.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee met in executive session to mark up H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, with further testimony in behalf of funds for their Department from William J. Crockett, Deputy Under Secretary, and Abba P. Schwartz, Administrator, Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs, both of the State Department.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on arms control and nuclear test ban matters, having as its witness Dr. Harold Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, DOD.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when former Chief of Naval Operations Adm. George W. Anderson will testify.

NOMINATIONS, AND RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, tentatively approved the nominations of David S. Black, of Washington, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission, and Robert M. White, of Connecticut, to be Chief of the Weather Bureau, Department of Commerce.

Committee also considered, in both morning and afternoon sessions, the current railroad dispute, but made no announcements, and will meet for its further consideration tomorrow.

Prior to this action, committee held hearings on the nominations of Messrs. Black and White, with testimony favoring Mr. Black from Senator Jackson. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), having as its witnesses Dr. Willard Libby, former member of the Atomic Energy Commission, and presently of the department of chemistry, UCLA; Adm. Lewis L. Strauss, former Chairman of the AEC; Harold E. Stassen, of Philadelphia; Norman Cousins, of New York City; Robert E. Bauman, Young Americans for Freedom, Inc.; and Andrew E. Rice, American Veterans' Committee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LEGISLATIVE JURISDICTION OVER LANDS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations concluded its hearings on S. 815, to adjust legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over land in the several States used for Federal purposes, receiving testimony from Edward Lazowska, Lands Division, Department of Justice; Clarence Mitchell, NAACP; Edward Ennis, American Civil Liberties Union; Charles F. Schwan, Jr., Council of State Governments; and Dr. Fred Royer, of the VA hospital staff at Perry Point, Md., who represented himself and an accompanying group.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 1175, to revise the boundaries of Carlsbad Caverns National Park, N. Mex.; H. Con. Res. 61, directing Federal agencies to cooperate with State and local governments in marking and memorializing the Lewis and Clark Trail; H.R. 3887, authorizing acceptance of land for the right-of-way for a new entrance to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, N.C.; H.R. 6118, permitting the selection of less than 5,700-acre tracts of national forest lands in Alaska for community development purposes; H.R. 5222, providing for the withdrawal and reservation for the Navy of certain public lands at Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range, California; and H.R. 6218, granting a second extension to certain desert land entrymen in Palo Verde Mesa, Riverside County, Calif.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Abraham L. Marowitz, to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of Illinois, with favoring testimony from Senator Douglas.

The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

MEDICAL EDUCATION FACILITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health began hearings on S. 911 and H.R. 12, proposed Health Professions Educational Assistance Act of 1963, with testimony from Boisfeuillet Jones, Special Assistant for Health and Medical Affairs, and Dr. Luther Terry, Surgeon General, Public Health Service, both of the Department of HEW; Dr. James P. Hollers, president-elect, of San Antonio, who was accompanied by Dr. John B. Wilson, of San Marino, Calif., and Dr. Lester W. Burket, school of dentistry, University of Pennsylvania, all representing the American Dental Association; Dr. Berwyn F. Mattison, executive director, American Public Health Association; Dr. Norman A. Welch, president-elect, who was accompanied by Dr. Lyman J. Smith and Bernard P. Harrison, both of Chicago, all representing the American Medical Association; and Miss Agnes Gelinas, department of nursing, Skidmore College, who was accompanied by Miss Julia Thompson, both representing the American Nurses Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 8204–8219; 4 private bills, H.R. 8220–8223; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 659–664, and H. Res. 499–503, were introduced.
Pages 15671–15672

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 500, providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 6225, to provide for the rehabilitation of Guam (H. Rept. 696);

H. Res. 501, providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on S. 1007, guaranteeing electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that area (H. Rept. 697);

H. Res. 502, waiving points of order against and providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 7544, maternal and child health and mental retardation planning amendments of 1963 (H. Rept. 698); and

Report of the Select Committee on Small Business entitled "FTC Advisory Opinion on Joint Ads" (H. Rept. 699).
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NATO Parliamentary Conference: The Speaker announced the appointment as members of the U.S. group of the North Atlantic Treaty Parliamentary Conference the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Hays (chairman), Thornberry, Rodino, Denton, Rivers of South Carolina, Arends, Westland, Lindsay, and Chamberlain.
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Continuing Appropriations: Agreed to make in order at any time next week the consideration of a resolution continuing certain appropriations pending enactment of regular appropriation bills.
Pages 15560–15561

Foreign Aid Authorization: Concluded the consideration of H.R. 7885, the foreign aid authorization bill, but deferred final disposition of the legislation to Friday upon a demand for the reading of the engrossed copy of the bill. Prior to this action several amendments to the bill were adopted that would—

Require that 50 percent of loan funds provided for Alliance of Progress for economic development be allotted for private enterprise participation;

Assure that all contracts for foreign construction shall comply to same standards as those within the U.S.;

Bar all aid after 60 days to countries whose ships or planes carry products to or from Cuba;

Postpone for 1 year action on any foreign project that would cost over $100 million (Bokaro steel plant);

Require institution of nonexpropriation agreement and investment guarantee programs from aid-receiving countries after 1964;

Limit aid for projects that would create competition with certain American industries;

Provide for certain inspections in countries receiving economic assistance regarding use of aid funds; and

Delete section 406, regarding redesignation of the Administrator of the Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs in the State Department.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Reduce the authorization for the Development Loan Fund by $200 million for each of fiscal years 1964, 1965, and 1966;

Delete $217 million for technical assistance program;

Increase by $100 million the funds for the technical assistance program;

Reduce by $150 million the authorization for the Alliance for Progress and to limit the authorization to fiscal year 1964;

Cut $16,050,000 from funds for international organizations and programs;

Limit U.S. share to one-third of total cost of United Nations budget for voluntary contributions;

Reduce contingency fund by $50 million;

Cut $225 million and $100 million from appropriation for military assistance;

Require that the U.S. budget shall be balanced before authorization of funds becomes effective;

Delete the discretionary authority of the President to grant aid under the Foreign Assistance Act to any Communist-controlled country;

Bar aid to countries accepting weapons from any Communist country;

Create a study commission on foreign aid and impediments to investment of private capital; and

Require reduction of funds in pipeline to $3.6 billion before making any further appropriation for foreign aid. **Pages 15561–15616**

Resolution Referred: S.J. Res. 72, extending an invitation to hold the 1968 winter Olympic games in the U.S., was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. **Page 15671**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PESTICIDES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight and Consumer Relations continued hearings on H.R. 6828, and related bills, to provide for the registration of pesticides. Heard testimony from Representatives Halpern and Dingell; and public witnesses. Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Delaney and Sullivan. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

INTERNATIONAL HOME LOAN BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard testimony from Joseph P. McMurray, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and public witnesses, regarding H.R. 8143, and similar bills, to establish an International Home Loan Bank Board.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7399, to provide for the preparation of plans for the utilization of certain buildings in D.C. for municipal purposes;

H.R. 7440 (amended), regarding commitments to, maintenance in, and discharges from the District Training School; and

H.R. 7497, to amend the Life Insurance Act for D.C relating to annual statements.

YUGOSLAVIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session for a briefing by George F. Kennan, former U.S. Ambassador to Yugoslavia.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Continued consideration of H.R. 3846, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people. No final action was taken.

DULLES-FRIENDSHIP AIRPORTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on the use of Dulles and Friendship International Airports. Heard testimony from Representatives Friedel, Sickles, Long of Maryland, Morton, and Mathias; Alan S. Boyd, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; and public witnesses. Adjourned hearings to reconvene August 27.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on legislation pertaining to civil rights.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony on several private claim bills.

UPPER MANTLE PROJECT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation concluded hearings on the Upper Mantle project. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

FEDERAL SALARIES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Held a hearing on Federal salary increase legislation. Heard testimony from Richard J. Murphy, Assistant Postmaster General, Bureau of Personnel, accompanied by other Post Office Department officials.

CALUMET SKYWAY—CHICAGO

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 6289 (amended), to provide that the Chicago skyway (Calumet skyway toll bridge) shall be operated as a freeway.

Prior to full committee action Subcommittee on Roads, in executive session, ordered H.R. 6289 (amended, title above), reported to the full committee.

BONNEVILLE POWER ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on S. 1007, regarding the marketing area of the Bonneville Power Administration.

Representatives Aspinall and Saylor were heard on the request for a rule.

GUAM

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 6225, to provide for the rehabilitation of Guam.

Representatives Aspinall and Saylor were heard on the request for a rule.

MATERNAL-CHILD HEALTH PLANNING

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified open rule, waiving points of order against, and with 2 hours of debate on H.R. 7544, the maternal and child health and mental retardation planning amendments to the Social Security Act.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Mills, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Curtis.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on H.R. 8000, to impose a tax on acquisitions of certain foreign securities in order to equalize costs of longer term financing in the U.S. and in markets abroad. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, August 23.

Joint Committee Meetings

RADIOACTIVE FALLOUT

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation continued phase II of its hearings in connection with radioactive fallout from nuclear weapons tests, having as its witnesses Dr. Arthur C. Upton, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; Dr. Russell Morgan, The Johns Hopkins University Hospital; Dr. Herbert M. Parker, Hanford Laboratories, Washington; and Dr. Ernest J. Sternglass, Pittsburgh Chapter, Federation of American Scientists.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, August 27.

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Friday, August 23, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate considered airport grants bill.
House passed reduced foreign aid bill.
Senate committee reported bill to settle railroad dispute.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15703–15734

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2068–2077; and S. Res. 187–191.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 4638, proposed Presidential Transition Act of 1963 (S. Rept. 448);

S. 1915, to encourage the reduction of excess marketings of milk (S. Rept. 449);

S. 277, to increase the number of new counties in which crop insurance may be offered each year (S. Rept. 450);

S. 1936, authorizing the State of Rhode Island to maintain and operate the bridge across Mount Hope Bay (S. Rept. 451);

S. 1756, to amend the Alaska Public Works Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to collect, compromise, or release certain claims held by him under that act, with amendment (S. Rept. 452);

H.R. 1135, designating the dam being constructed and the reservoir to be formed on the Des Moines River, Iowa, as Red Rock Dam and Lake Red Rock (S. Rept. 453);

H.R. 4823, to modify the Rend Lake, Ill., flood control project (S. Rept. 454);

H.R. 2671, authorizing construction of a bank protection project on the Guyandot River at Barboursville, W. Va. (S. Rept. 455);

H.R. 7594, designating the McGee Bend Dam and Reservoir on the Angelina River, Tex., as the Sam Rayburn Dam and Reservoir (S. Rept. 456);

H. Con. Res. 179, expressing appreciation of the Congress to the American Association of State Highway Officials for its contribution to the highway transportation system over a 50-year period (S. Rept. 457);

S. 1716, repealing matching requirement for Federal payments to States for training allowances for unemployed persons, with minority views (S. Rept. 458); and

S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods, with amendments and with individual views (S. Rept. 459). **Pages 15372, 15704–15705**

Bills Referred: 13 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 15703**

Committee Assignments: The following three resolutions were adopted, making changes in committee assignments as indicated therein:

S. Res. 187, relieving Senator Burdick from further service on Committee on Labor and Public Welfare and assigning him to Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 188, relieving Senator Proxmire from further service on Committee on Agriculture and Forestry and assigning him to Committee on Appropriations; and

S. Res. 189, relieving Senator Metcalf from further service on Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs and assigning him to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. **Page 15709**

Authority To Report: Committee on Commerce was authorized following adjournment today to file a report with minority views.

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry was authorized until midnight, August 26, to file supplemental views on S. 1915, to encourage the reduction of excess marketings of milk. **Pages 15704, 15705**

Oil-Gas Compact: Senate concurred in House amendment to S.J. Res. 33, granting consent for a 4-year extension of the Interstate Compact To Conserve Oil and Gas. This action cleared the bill for President's signature. **Pages 15738–15740**

Airport Grants: Senate debated S. 1153, to extend the Federal Airport Act and to authorize funds therefor, adopting committee amendment (in nature of a substitute for the bill) as amended by Proxmire amendment respecting availability of records, and, by unanimous consent, modified its previous order limiting debate on the bill by providing that after the third reading thereof further consideration shall be postponed until conclusion of morning business on Monday, August 26, at which time notwithstanding the bill's third reading, Senate may consider Proxmire amendment to reduce amounts in the bill by one-third (debate thereon and all amendments thereto to be limited to 20 minutes, equally divided), to be followed by vote on final passage of the bill.

Subsequently, there was a third reading of the bill. **Pages 15734–15735, 15740–15741, 15748–15765**

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nominations of Ewan Clague, of Pennsylvania, to be Commissioner of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; and 26 Coast and Geodetic Survey. **Page 15813**

Nominations: Numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations were received. **Pages 15811–15813**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:49 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, continued to consider H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on arms control and nuclear test ban matters, having as its witness former Chief of Naval Operations Adm. George W. Anderson.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, August 27.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute bill S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods.

It was announced that the Senate expects to consider this joint resolution on Monday, August 26.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), receiving testimony in executive session from Doyle Northrup, Director of the Air Force Technical Application Center; and testimony in open hearings from James P. Warburg, New York City; Edwin P. Neilan, president, U.S. Chamber of Commerce;

Carl McIntire, representing Liberty Lobby; Brig. Gen. J. H. Rothschild, USA (retired), representing United World Federalists; Mrs. Aileen Hutchinson, representing Women Strike for Peace; Stanley M. Andrews, representing Americans for National Security; and Sanford Gottlieb, National Committee for a Sane Nuclear Policy.

Hearings continue on Monday, August 26.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, receiving further testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy, who presented his Department's recommendations relative to title VI, which prohibits discrimination in federally assisted programs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MEDICAL EDUCATION FACILITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health continued its hearings on S. 911 and H.R. 12, proposed Health Professions Educational Assistance Act of 1963, receiving testimony from Dr. Robert C. Berson, president-elect, Association of American Medical Colleges; Dr. Myron Wegman, president, Association of Schools of Public Health; Dr. John G. Whinery, who was accompanied by Dr. Vernon Boddicker, both of the Association of American Dentists; Dr. Harry Lyons, president, American Association of Dental Schools; William Truitt, National Farmers Union; Dr. Charles W. Bliven, American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy; Calvin Berger, American Pharmaceutical Association; and Joseph Cohen, National Association of Retail Druggists.

Hearings continue on Monday, August 26.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 8224–8234; 5 private bills, H.R. 8235–8239; and 1 resolution, H.J. Res. 665, were introduced. **Pages 15701–15702**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on S. 1194, to remove limitations on retirement of enlisted men of the Coast Guard (H. Rept. 700);

H.R. 7497, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act relative to annual statements (H. Rept. 701);

H.R. 7399, relating to use of Capitol and Keiths Theaters as municipal theaters (H. Rept. 702);

H.R. 6260, a private bill (H. Rept. 703); and

H.R. 7440, regarding voluntary admission of patients to District Training School (H. Rept. 704). **Page 15701**

Foreign Aid: By a record vote of 222 yeas to 188 nays the House adopted a recommittal motion designed to reduce certain authorizations in H.R. 7885, the foreign aid authorization bill. The bill was forthwith reported back with the following reductions incorporated therein:

$160 million from the Development Loan Fund;

$150 million from funds for Alliance for Progress;

$50 million from the President's contingency fund; and

$225 million from funds for military assistance program.

Following this action the House passed the legislation by a record vote of 224 yeas to 186 nays. **Pages 15676–15682**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of August 28. **Page 15684**

Late Reports: The Committee on the District of Columbia was granted permission to file sundry reports by midnight Saturday. **Page 15684**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INTERNATIONAL HOME LOAN BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 8143, and similar bills, to establish an International Home Loan Bank. Heard testimony from various public witnesses.

D.C. REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 3189, to amend D.C. Redevelopment Act of 1945; and the proposed downtown progress redevelopment program. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on H.R. 8000, to impose a tax on acquisitions of certain foreign securities in order to equalize costs of longer term financing in the U.S. and in markets abroad. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings regarding impact of dual distribution on small business (steel industry). Public witnesses testified.

Joint Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7500, fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. As approved by the conferees, the bill would authorize a total of $5,350,820,400.

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Monday, August 26, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed airport grants bill and began consideration of bill to settle railroad dispute.

House committee approved a resolution providing for settlement of the railroad labor dispute.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15846–15878

Bills Introduced: 13 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2078–2090. **Pages 15847, 15910**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 46, to provide that the cost of certain investigations by the Bureau of Reclamation shall be nonreimbursable, with amendment (S. Rept. 460);

S. 48, to amend the leasing provisions of the Indian Long-Term Leasing Act, with amendment (S. Rept. 461);

S. 1868, relating to adult Indian vocational training (S. Rept. 462);

H.R. 5883, to correct a land description in the act exchanging land between the U.S. and the Southern Ute Indian Tribe (S. Rept. 463);

H.R. 6710, to cancel irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Wind River irrigation project, Wyoming (S. Rept. 464);

H.R. 3887, authorizing acceptance of land for the right-of-way for a new entrance to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park (S. Rept. 465);

H.R. 5222, providing for the withdrawal and reservation for the Navy of certain public lands at Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range, Calif. (S. Rept. 466);

H. Con. Res. 61, directing Federal agencies to cooperate with State and local governments in marking and memorializing the Lewis and Clark Trail (S. Rept. 467); and

H.R. 6118, permitting the selection of smaller than 5,700-acre tracts of national forest lands in Alaska for community development purposes, with amendment (S. Rept. 468). **Pages 15847, 15910**

Bill Referred: H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, was referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. **Page 15846**

Airport Grants: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) with modified amendment in nature of a substitute S. 1153, to extend the Federal Airport Act and to authorize funds therefor, after rejecting, by 14 yeas to 64 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment to reduce amounts in the bill by one-third. **Pages 15878–15882**

Veterans: Senator Mansfield entered motions to reconsider passage on August 20 of S. 1914, to incorporate the Catholic War Veterans of the U.S. of America, and S. 1942, to incorporate the Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A. The House was then requested to return these bills to the Senate. **Pages 15849–15850**

Railroad Dispute: Senate considered S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods.

Pending at adjournment was McGee amendment to provide that the award of the Arbitration Board shall not become effective until 60 days after filing thereof and that the joint resolution shall expire 150 days after enactment. **Pages 15882–15883, 15889–15910**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: George L. Mehren, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; David Statler Black, of Washington, to be a member of the FPC; Robert M. White, of Connecticut, to be Chief of the Weather Bureau, Department of Commerce; and 12 Coast Guard. **Page 15912**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Dan H. Fenn, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be a member of the U.S. Tariff Commission; numerous diplomatic and Foreign Service; and one judicial. One postmaster nomination was withdrawn. **Pages 15911–15912**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), receiving testimony from Dr. Herbert York, former Director of Defense Research and Engineering, and presently chancellor, University of California, at La Jolla; Marshall D. Shulman, professor of international politics, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Medford, Mass.; and Arthur H. Dean, an attorney of New York, who was the U.S. representative to the Geneva disarmament negotiations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1049, providing for the partition or sale of Indian land held in trust or restricted status (amended in the nature of a substitute bill); S. 48, to amend the leasing provisions of the Indian Long-Term Leasing Act (amended); H.R. 3306, establishing a fund to help finance procurement of expert assistance for Indians in cases before the Indian Claims Commission (amended); S. 912, to approve a compromise and settlement agreement of the Navajo Tribe of Indians; H.R. 5883, to correct a land description in the act exchanging land between the U.S. and the Southern Ute Indian Tribe; H.R. 6710, to cancel irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Wind River irrigation project, Wyoming; S. 1582, providing for the construction of the Michaud Flats irrigation project, Idaho (amended); S. 1868, relating to adult Indian vocational training; S. 46, to provide that the cost of certain investigations by the Bureau of Reclamation shall be nonreimbursable (amended); S. 283, increasing the limitation on costs of projects authorized pursuant to the Small Reclamation Projects Act (amended); S. 1175, to revise the boundaries of Carlsbad Caverns National Park, N. Mex.; H. Con. Res. 61, directing Federal agencies to cooperate with State and local governments in marking and memorializing the Lewis and Clark Trail; H.R. 3887, authorizing acceptance of land for the right-of-way for a new entrance to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, N.C.; H.R. 6118, permitting the selection of smaller than 5,700-acre tracts of national forest lands in Alaska for community development purposes (amended); and H.R. 5222, providing for the withdrawal and reservation for the Navy of certain public lands at Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range, Calif.

MEDICAL EDUCATION FACILITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health concluded its hearings on S. 911 and H.R. 12, proposed Health Professions Educational Assistance Act of 1963, after receiving testimony from Dr. Homer D. Babbidge, president, University of Connecticut, representing the American Council on Education; Dr. W. T. S. Thorp, American Veterinary Medical Association; Dr. Judd Chapman, president, American Optometric Association, who was accompanied by his associates, and who was introduced by Representative Fuqua; Dr. Philip Brachman, American Podiatry Association, who was accompanied by his associates; Joseph P. Adams, International Chiropractors Association; Clinton Fair, legislative representative, AFL–CIO, who was accompanied by his associates; and Samuel Wenk, of Palo Alto, Calif.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Two public bills, H.R. 8240 and 8241, three private bills, H.R. 8242–8244; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 666 and H. Con. Res. 213, were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 444, to provide $7,000 for the expenses of an investigation authorized by H. Res. 103 (H. Rept. 705);

Conference report on H.R. 7500, National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 706);

(For details of H. Repts. 707–712 see under caption "Printing Resolutions" in this DIGEST); and

H.J. Res. 665, to provide for the settlement of the labor dispute between certain carriers by railroads and certain of their employees (H. Rept. 713). **Pages 15845–15846**

Subcommittee Expenses: Adopted H. Res. 444, to provide $7,000 for the expenses of an investigation authorized by H. Res. 103, relating to the establishment of a Science Information Data Processing Center.

Pages 15819–15823

Printing Resolutions: The House adopted six resolutions authorizing the printing of sundry documents as follows:

H. Res. 474, to print as a House document the May 1963 Special Report to the President and to the Congress on Increase in the Resources of the Inter-American Development Bank, by the National Advisory Council on International Monetary and Financial Problems (H. Rept. 707);

H. Res. 475, to print as a House document the May 1963 Special Report to the President and to the Congress on the Proposed Increase of $1 Billion in Authorized Capital of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, by the National Advisory Council on International Monetary and Financial Problems (H. Rept. 708);

H. Con. Res. 203, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the study entitled "The Federal Government and Education" (H. Rept. 709);

H. Con. Res. 212, authorizing the printing of selected excerpts relating to the 1963–64 national college debate topic, compiled by the Legislative Reference Service of the Library of Congress, as a House document (H. Rept. 710);

H. Res. 415, authorizing the printing of the United States Defense Policies in 1962 as a House document (H. Rept. 711); and

S. Con. Res. 48, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of selected excerpts on the 1963–64 national high school debate subject of medicare (H. Rept. 712) (amended and returned to the Senate).

Pages 15823–15828

D.C. Business Corporation Act: H.R. 4330, to amend the District of Columbia Business Corporation Act, was cleared for Presidential action by House concurrence in Senate amendments thereto. **Page 15828**

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up, considered, and passed by the House:

Municipal theaters: H.R. 7399, relating to use of Capitol and Keith's Theaters as municipal theaters;

Training School admissions: H.R. 7440, relating to voluntary admission of patients to District Training School (amended); and

Life insurance companies: H.R. 7497, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act regarding filing of annual statements of life insurance companies. **Pages 15828–15834**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session on Department of Defense research and development program. Heard testimony from Dr. Harold Brown, Director, Research and Engineering, Department of Defense.

RAILROAD LABOR DISPUTE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.J. Res. 665, to provide for settlement of the railroad labor dispute.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on the impact upon small business of dual distribution, and heard testimony from various public witnesses representing the steel industry.

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Tuesday, August 27, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bill to settle railroad dispute.

House passed bills on mental retardation and Pacific Northwest power distribution.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15916–15939

Bills Introduced: 7 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2091–2097; S.J. Res. 113; and S. Res. 192. **Pages 15916–15917, 15990**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1175, to revise the boundaries of Carlsbad Caverns National Park, N. Mex. (S. Rept. 469);

S. 1582, providing for the construction of the Michaud Flats irrigation project, Idaho, with amendment (S. Rept. 470);

H.R. 3306, establishing a fund to help finance procurement of expert assistance for Indians in cases before the Indian Claims Commission, with amendment (S. Rept. 471);

S. 912, to approve a compromise and settlement agreement of the Navajo Tribe of Indians, with amendment (S. Rept. 472); and

H.J. Res. 667, making continuing appropriations through October 31 for fiscal year 1964 (no written report). Pages 15916, 15950

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills and two House-passed concurrent resolutions were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 15915–15916

Senator Sworn In: Herbert S. Walters, of Tennessee, was sworn in to fill the vacancy created by the death of Senator Kefauver. Page 15916

Committee Appointments: Senate adopted S. Res. 192, appointing Senator Walters to serve on Committees on Agriculture and Forestry and Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 15966

Public Buildings: Senate concurred in House amendments to and cleared for President S. 1139, to repeal a portion of the law relating to the purchase and installation of air-conditioning equipment in Government buildings. Page 15939

Continuing Appropriations: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 667, making continuing appropriations through October 31, 1963, for fiscal year 1964. Page 15950

Railroad Dispute: By 90 yeas to 2 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendment S.J. Res. 102, to provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods, after adopting committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute, as amended), as to which the following actions had first been taken on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 75 yeas to 17 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified McGee amendment to limit arbitration to firemen's jobs and size of train crews and to provide that the award of the Arbitration Board shall not become effective until 60 days after filing thereof and that the joint resolution shall expire 180 days after enactment; en bloc, Cotton amendments of a technical nature substituting other language for provisions in the bill respecting composition and procedures of the Arbitration Board; and

Rejected: By 15 yeas to 75 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Morse amendment (in nature of a substitute for the committee substitute) to create a special board to make recommendations to Interstate Commerce Commission for settlement of the railroad work rules dispute; by 3 yeas to 88 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Javits amendment providing for Government seizure and operation under court order of railroads in event of failure of management and unions to settle railroad work rules dispute; and Miller amendment providing that the legislation shall only become effective upon a finding by the President that all procedures for resolving the dispute, as provided for in the Railway Labor Act, have been exhausted without settlement reached; and, by 2 yeas to 91 nays, Morse amendment (in nature of a substitute for the committee substitute) to provide for a mediatory and conciliatory system to handle the basic issues of the railroad work rules dispute and authorizing the President to seize and operate essential rail transportation during a strike. Pages 15939–15942, 15950–15984

Bridge: Senate made its unfinished business S. 1936, authorizing the State of Rhode Island to maintain and operate the bridge across Mount Hope Bay. Page 15984

Coast Guard: Senate adopted conference report on S. 1194, to remove percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted personnel of the Coast Guard. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Page 15985

Nomination: Nomination of Willis Moore Hawkins, Jr., of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army, was received. Page 15991

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed its executive hearings on arms control and nuclear test ban matters, having as its witnesses Adm. Arleigh A. Burke, former Chief of Naval Operations, and Gen. Nathan F. Twining, former Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Capt. George D. Synon and Capt. John B. Oren, for promotion to the permanent rank of rear admiral in the Coast Guard; S. 1033, to establish a uniform system of time standards and measurements for the U.S.; H.R. 6012, authorizing the President to proclaim certain regulations for preventing collisions at sea (amended); H.R. 5623, making revisions relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of Coast Guard officers (amended); H.R. 5781, providing that professional nurses shall be registered as staff officers in the U.S. merchant marine (amended); H.R. 82, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to provide for the reimbursement of certain vessel construction expenses (amended); S. 1172, relating to the computation of refunds of construction-differential subsidies of vessels made after December 31, 1959 (amended); S. 1540, relating to the establishment and enforcement of reasonable international air rates; and S. 1006, to increase authorizations for subsidizing the construction of fishing vessels (amended).

Committee announced that it had scheduled an executive meeting for Wednesday, September 4, to consider S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded its hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), after receiving testimony from Representative Pillion; George B. Kistiakowsky, Harvard University; George Meany, president, AFL-CIO; James B. Carey, president, International Union of Electrical, Radio & Machine Workers, AFL-CIO; Donald G. Brennan, president, the Hudson Institute, New York, who was accompanied by Freeman J. Dyson, who represented the Federation of American Scientists; Mrs. Phyllis Schlafly, Fairmount, Alton, Ill.; Arthur Watson, Friends Committee on National Legislation; Rev. E. Paul Weaver, who represented the Church of the Brethren; Daniel Deykin, who represented Physicians for Social Responsibility; Francis Wilcox, National Council of the Churches of Christ; Herman F. Reissig, Council for Christian Social Action; Matthew Meselson, Council for a Livable World; Edward Behre, the Cooperative League of the U.S.A.; and Robert Morris, Point Pleasant, N.J.

Committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to hear Secretary of State Rusk in connection with this treaty, and to discuss committee procedure in forthcoming executive consideration thereof.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1658, authorizing construction and operation of the Central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, receiving testimony from Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 8245–8275; 13 private bills, 8276–8288; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 667–670, and H. Res. 504–509, were introduced. **Pages 16073–16074**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 505, providing for consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.J. Res. 665, to provide for the settlement of the labor dispute between certain carriers by railroad and certain of their employees; also makes in order the consideration of S.J. Res. 102, a similar resolution (H. Rept. 714); and

H.R. 8200, providing for fallout protection in Federal structures and nonprofit institutions, amended (H. Rept. 715). **Page 16073**

Continuing Appropriations: House passed H.J. Res. 667, making continuing appropriations through October 31 for fiscal year 1964. **Pages 15992–15995**

Coast Guard Retirement: The conference report on S. 1194, to remove the percentage limitations on the retirement of enlisted men of the Coast Guard, was adopted by the House and the legislation sent to the Senate. **Page 15995**

Bills Returned: The House complied with a request of the Senate for the return of the following bills:

S. 1914, to incorporate the Catholic War Veterans of the United States of America; and

S. 1942, to incorporate the War Veterans of the United States of America. **Page 15996**

Mental Retardation: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 7544, to amend the Social Security Act to assist States and communities in preventing and combating mental retardation through expansion and improvement of the maternal and child health and crippled children's programs, through provision of prenatal, maternity, and infant care for individuals with conditions associated with childbearing which may lead to mental retardation, and through planning for comprehensive action to combat mental retardation, after adopting several committee amendments.

H. Res. 502, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 15996–16013

Pacific Northwest Power: After adopting several committee amendments the House by a voice vote passed and returned to the Senate S. 1007, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority.

H. Res. 501, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 16013–16039

Bill Referred: S. 1153, to extend the Federal Airport Act, and to authorize funds therefor, was referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURAL MISCELLANY

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 8195, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 to extend the Mexican farm labor program;

H.R. 3850, to establish the office of Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; and

H.R. 7155 (amended), to facilitate the work of the Department of Agriculture.

Also approved the following five watershed projects: Bajura, P.R.; Little Walnut-Hickory, Kans.; Nolan Creek, Tex.; Tri-County Turkey Creek, Okla.; and Waterfall-Gilford Creek, Okla.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8200 (amended), the Civil Defense fallout shelter bill.

FOREIGN CHANCERIES—ABC ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session on H.R. 5882, to prohibit the location of chanceries or business offices of foreign governments in certain residential areas of D.C.; and H.R. 680, 684, and 2036, bills regarding the D.C. Alcoholic Beverage Control Act.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor, in executive session, approved H.R. 6025 (amended, a clean bill to be introduced), to authorize the Commissioner of Education to make grants for cooperative research in education.

Heard a discussion on H.R. 6013, to authorize a 3-year program of grants or contracts with colleges and universities for operation of institutes for advanced study courses for teachers in elementary or secondary schools and for teachers preparing to teach gifted children.

SOUTH PACIFIC COMMISSION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee S.J. Res. 72, regarding the holding of the Olympic Games in America in 1968. Representative Diggs testified on the measure.

In open session held a hearing on H.J. Res. 666, to provide for membership and participation of the U.S. in the South Pacific Commission. Heard testimony from Edward E. Rice, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs; Carlton Skinner, U.S. Commissioner, South Pacific Commission; Richard F. Taitano, Director, Office of Territories, Interior Department; and Rear Adm. Luther C. Heinz, Director, Far East Region, International Security Affairs, Defense Department.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Considered H.R. 3846, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people. No final action was taken.

DULLES-FRIENDSHIP AIRPORTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics heard testimony from Alan S. Boyd, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board, on the use of Dulles and Friendship Airports.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on legislation pertaining to civil rights.

FEDERAL SALARY INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on Federal salary increase legislation, and heard testimony from a public witness.

RAILROAD DISPUTE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.J. Res. 665, to provide for the settlement of the labor dispute between certain carriers by railroad and certain of their employees.

Representatives Harris, Springer, and Rogers of Florida were heard on the request for a rule.

MENTAL RETARDATION FACILITIES

Committee on Rules: Completed hearings on S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act. Heard testimony from Representatives Harris and Rogers of Florida.

RESEARCH EXPENDITURES

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 504, to create a select committee to investigate expenditures for research programs of departments and agencies of the Federal Government.

SCIENCE, RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development met in executive session for organizational purposes.

Joint Committee Meetings

RADIOACTIVE FALLOUT

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation concluded phase II of its hearings in connection with radioactive fallout from nuclear weapons tests after receiving testimony from Jack Ferner, Chemical Separations Corp.; Dr. Seymour Charles, New Jersey Chapter, American Academy of Pediatrics; Mrs. Newton LeVine, Nuclear Information Committee of the Greater Delaware Valley; Mrs. Jeanne S. Bagby, Committee on Radiation, Women Strike for Peace; Norman Polster, Society for Social Responsibility in Science; and Roland Finston, New Jersey Scientists Committee for Radiation Information.

Wednesday, August 28, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared NASA authorizations bill for White House.

Senate passed 19 measures on calendar call and took up manpower training bill.

House passed bill to avert railroad labor dispute.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16080–16091

Bills Introduced: 6 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2098–2103; and S.J. Res. 114–115.
Page 16081

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 1540, relating to the establishment and enforcement of reasonable international air rates (S. Rept. 473).
Page 16081

Bill Referred: H.R. 7544, the maternal and child health and mental retardation planning amendments to the Social Security Act, was referred to Committee on Finance.
Page 16080

Bridge: Senate passed without amendment S. 1936, authorizing the State of Rhode Island to maintain and operate the bridge across Mount Hope Bay.
Pages 16091–16092

Printing: Senate agreed to House amendments to S. Con. Res. 48, to print as a Senate document selected excerpts on the 1963–64 national high school debate subject of medicare. This completed legislative action on the resolution.
Page 16093

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 19 measures were passed, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Des Moines River, Iowa: H.R. 1135, designating the dam being constructed and the reservoir to be formed on the Des Moines River, Iowa, as Red Rock Dam and Lake Red Rock;

Rend Lake, Ill.: H.R. 4823, to modify the Rend Lake, Ill., flood control project;

Guyandot River, W. Va.: H.R. 2671, authorizing construction of a bank protection project on the Guyandot River at Barboursville, W. Va.;

Sam Rayburn Dam: H.R. 7594, designating the McGee Bend Dam and Reservoir on the Angelina River, Tex., as the Sam Rayburn Dam and Reservoir;

Indians: H.R. 5883, to correct a land description in the act exchanging land between the U.S. and the Southern Ute Indian Tribe;

Irrigation: H.R. 6710, to cancel irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Wind River Indian irrigation project, Wyoming;

Great Smoky Mountains National Park: H.R. 3887, authorizing acceptance of land for the right-of-way for a new entrance to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park; and

Public lands—defense: H.R. 5222, providing for the withdrawal and reservation for the Navy of certain public lands at Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range, Calif.

With amendment and returned to House:

Alaska: H.R. 6118, permitting the selection of smaller than 5,700-acre tracts of national forest lands in Alaska for community development purposes.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Crop insurance: S. 277, to increase the number of new counties in which crop insurance may be offered each year;

Indian vocational training: S. 1868, relating to adult Indian vocational training; and

Carlsbad Caverns National Park: S. 1175, to revise the boundaries of Carlsbad Caverns National Park.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Alaska—claims: S. 1756, to amend the Alaska Public Works Act so as to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to collect, compromise, or release certain claims held by him under that act;

Reclamation investigations: S. 46, to provide that the cost of certain investigations by the Bureau of Reclamation shall be nonreimbursable;

Indians: S. 48, to amend the leasing provisions of the Indian Long-Term Leasing Act;

Irrigation: S. 1582, providing for the construction of the Michaud Flats irrigation project, Idaho; and

Indians: S. 912, to approve a compromise and settlement agreement of the Navajo Tribe of Indians.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

State Highway Officials: H. Con. Res. 179, expressing appreciation of the Congress to the American Association of State Highway Officials for its contribution to the highway transportation system over a 50-year period; and

Lewis and Clark Trail: H. Con. Res. 61, directing Federal agencies to cooperate with State and local governments in marking and memorializing the Lewis and Clark Trail. **Pages 16093–16103**

Senate Program: Order was entered that immediately after convening at 9 a.m. on Friday, August 30, Senate will adjourn without transaction of business until noon Tuesday, September 3. **Page 16107**

Authority To Report: Committees were authorized to report during adjournment of Senate until Tuesday, September 3. **Pages 16107–16108**

President Pro Tempore: Senator Metcalf was appointed to serve as acting President pro tempore on Friday, August 30. **Page 16108**

Manpower Training: Senate made its unfinished business S. 1716, repealing matching requirement for Federal payments to States for training allowances for unemployed persons. **Page 16108**

D.C. Nursing: Senate passed S. 933, relating to the criteria for the issuance of a D.C. practical nursing license, after adopting en bloc all committee amendments and a series of Hayden amendments, some of a technical, corrective nature, and one to authorize filing of applications in certain instances by those who had not applied by September 30, 1962. **Pages 16108–16109**

NASA Authorizations: Senate adopted conference report on and cleared for White House H.R. 7500, fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. **Pages 16117–16119**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Numerous Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps, and two Coast Guard. **Page 16119**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, with further testimony in behalf of funds for his Department from William J. Crockett, Deputy Under Secretary of State, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Mr. Crockett.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session with Secretary of State Dean Rusk to discuss the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), and to consider certain provisions of this treaty, but took no action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation continued its hearings on S. 1658, authorizing construction and operation of the Central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, receiving further testimony from Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 8289–8299; 5 private bills, H.R. 8300–8304; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 671–677, H. Con. Res. 214 and 215, and H. Res. 510–513, were introduced. **Pages 16175–16176**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 512, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 8200, to provide for shelter in Federal structures and to authorize payment toward the construction or modification of approved public shelter space (H. Rept. 716);

H. Res. 513, providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on S. 1576, proposed Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act. Also provides for consideration of a committee substitute amendment (H. Rept. 717); and

H. Res. 504, to create a select committee to investigate expenditures for research programs conducted by or sponsored by the departments and agencies of the Federal Government (H. Rept. 718). **Page 16175**

Railroad Labor Dispute: By a division vote of 286 yeas to 66 nays the House passed H.J. Res. 665, to provide for the settlement of the labor dispute between certain carriers by railroad and certain of their employees, after adopting several amendments to make the language conform to that passed by the Senate. Subsequently S.J. Res. 102, an identical resolution, was passed without amendment by a voice vote and thus cleared for Presidential action. The passage of H.J. Res. 665 was vacated and the resolution tabled.

H. Res. 505, the rule making in order the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 16120–16144**

NASA Authorizations: By a record vote of 176 yeas to 200 nays the House rejected a motion to recommit the conference report on H.R. 7500, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, construction of facilities, and administrative operations, with instructions to limit the aggregate amount of authorizations to $5,203,719,000. Subsequently the House, by a record vote of 248 yeas to 125 nays, adopted the conference report and sent the legislation to the Senate. **Pages 16149–16155**

Guam: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 6225, to provide for the rehabilitation of Guam, after adopting several committee amendments. **Pages 16155–16158**

Bills Referred: 10 Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 16175**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 1994, to authorize the disposal, without regard to the prescribed 6-month waiting period, of certain waterfowl feathers and down from the national stockpile; S. 812, to provide for the release of restrictions and reservations on certain portions of Camp Joseph T. Robinson heretofore conveyed to Arkansas by the U.S.; and H.R. 8265, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to adjust the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over lands within the Iowa Ordnance Plant Reservation, Iowa.

FOREIGN CHANCERIES—ABC ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session on H.R. 5882, to prohibit the location of chanceries or business offices of foreign governments in certain residential areas of D.C.; and H.R. 680, 684, and 2036, bills regarding the D.C. Alcoholic Beverage Control Act. No final action was taken. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Considered in open and executive session H.R. 3846, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people. No final action was taken. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, took action on several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session regarding legislation pertaining to civil rights.

MENTAL RETARDATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act.

FALLOUT SHELTERS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 8200, to provide for fallout protection in Federal structures and nonprofit institutions.

Representatives Vinson, Hébert, Bray, and Pike were heard on the request for a rule.

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Friday, August 30, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1172, relating to the computation of refunds of construction-differential subsidies of vessels made after December 31, 1959, with amendment (S. Rept. 474);

S. 1033, to establish a uniform system of time standards and measurements for the U.S., with amendments (S. Rept. 475);

H.R. 5623, making revisions relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of Coast Guard officers, with amendment (S. Rept. 476);

H.R. 6012, authorizing the President to proclaim certain regulations for preventing collisions at sea, with amendments (S. Rept. 477); and

H.R. 5781, providing that professional nurses shall be registered as staff officers in the U.S. merchant marine, with amendments (S. Rept. 478). Page 16181

Pro Forma Session: Senate met at 9 a.m. and, pursuant to order previously entered, immediately adjourned (without transaction of any business) until noon Tuesday, September 3, when its unfinished business will be S. 1716, to amend Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, to be followed by consideration of S. 1915, to encourage reduction in excess marketings of milk. Page 16181

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:01 a.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: On Thursday, August 29, subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, with testimony from State Department officials, as follows: On acquisition, operation, and maintenance of buildings abroad and on special foreign currency program—James R. Johnstone, Deputy Assistant Secretary; on the International Fisheries Commission—William C. Herrington, Special Assistant to the Under Secretary for Fisheries and Wildlife; and on international conferences and contingencies—Richard N. Gardner, Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Organization Affairs.

Hearings continue Tuesday, September 3, at 10:30 a.m.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Thursday, August 29, in executive session, and on a rollcall vote of 16 yeas to 1 nay, committee ordered favorably reported to the Senate for ratification, without reservations, Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

MINERALS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Thursday, August 29, Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels held hearings on the following bills, receiving testimony as indicated:

S. 167, sale of phosphate rights in certain U.S. lands—Statement of Senator Holland, read by his legislative assistant, Miles Scull, Jr.; Jerry A. O'Callaghan, Assistant Director, and Max Caplan, Chief, Minerals Division, both of Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior;

S. 1166, to authorize Secretary of Interior to contract with and make grants to colleges for research on mining and mineral resources—Senator Hart; Marling J. Ankeny, Director, and J. B. Rosenbaum, Director, Minerals and Research Branch, both of Bureau of Mines; John C. Calhoun, Jr., Science Adviser to the Secretary of Interior; Dr. M. E. Volin, Michigan College of Mines and Technology, Houghton, Mich.; Dr. Philip L. Walker, Jr., University of Pennsylvania; and Dr. J. Russell Bright, Wayne State University, Detroit, Mich.;

H.R. 4479, to convey to State of California reserved mineral rights in certain real property—Messrs. O'Callaghan and Caplan; and

H.R. 1233, private bill—Representative Sisk, and Messrs. O'Callaghan and Caplan.

GREAT LAKES-HUDSON RIVER WATERWAY—RESERVOIRS

Committee on Public Works: On Thursday, August 29, Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors held hearings on two bills, as follows, receiving testimony as indicated:

S. 1938, authorizing funds for completion of improvement of the Great Lakes-Hudson River Waterway—Senators Javits and Keating (the latter of whom submitted statement for the record); Col. Robert C. Marshall, Director for Civil Works, Eastern Division, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army; Edward F. Crawford, chairman, New York State Legislative Committee for the Barge Canal (who also submitted a statement for Governor Rockefeller); and R. P. Holubowicz, coordinator of marine development, Port of New York Authority (who also submitted a statement for the New York State Waterways Association); and

H.R. 1696, to define the interest of local public agencies in federally constructed reservoirs where such agencies have contributed to the construction costs—Senator Yarborough; Representative Poage; and Col. Robert J. Kasper, Director for Civil Works, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 8305–8321; 9 private bills, H.R. 8322–8330; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 678 and 679, were introduced. **Pages 16199–16200**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1277, a private bill (H. Rept. 719);

S.J. Res. 72, favoring the holding of the Olympic Games in America in 1968 (H. Rept. 720); and

H.R. 7155, to facilitate the work of the Department of Agriculture, amended (H. Rept. 721). **Page 16199**

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Sisk to act as Speaker.

The House met briefly but transacted no legislative business. **Page 16182**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: On August 29 Subcommittee on Real Estate and Construction met in executive session and approved several pending real estate projects.

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: On August 29 the Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session regarding Department of Defense research and development programs.

OLYMPIC GAMES—DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: On August 29, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the House S.J. Res. 72, to favor the holding of the Olympic Games in America in 1968.

In open session held a hearing on the Disarmament Agency bill. Testimony was given by William Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

O'MAHONEY LAKE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On August 29 Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation ordered reported favorably to the full committee S.J. Res. 17 (amended), to designate the lake to be formed by the waters impounded by the Flaming Gorge Dam, Utah, and the recreation area contiguous to such lake in the States of Wyoming and Utah, as "O'Mahoney Lake and Recreation Area." Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

FEDERAL SALARY INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On August 29 continued hearings on Federal salary increase legislation, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

Tuesday, September 3, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16216–16240

Bills Introduced: Four bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2104–2107; S.J. Res. 116–117; and S. Con. Res. 58. **Pages 16217–16218**

Bill Referred: H.R. 6225, to provide for the rehabilitation of Guam, was referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. **Page 16216**

Interparliamentary Union: Senator Gruening was appointed by Vice President to attend the Interparliamentary Union meeting to be held at Belgrade, Yugoslavia, September 12–20, 1963. **Page 16217**

Manpower Training: Senate laid down its unfinished business S. 1716, repealing matching requirement for Federal payments to States for training allowances for unemployed persons, but no action was taken on the bill today. **Page 16240**

Nominations Received: Senate received nomination of George L. Mehren, of California, to be a member of the Board of Directors, Commodity Credit Corporation; and one judicial nomination. One postmaster nomination was withdrawn. **Page 16287**

Nomination Reported: Nomination of Ashton C. Barrett, of Mississippi, to be member of Federal Maritime Commission, was reported, with individual views (Ex. Rept. 2). **Page 16217**

Treaty Reported: Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.) was reported without reservations (Ex. Rept. 3). **Page 16218**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, with testimony on funds for the State Department from Lucius D. Battle, Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs; Dr. Alexander Spoehr, Director, East-West Center, University of Hawaii; Senator Inouye; Representative Gill; Harlan Cleveland, Assistant Secretary for International Organization Affairs; and Francis T. P. Plimpton, Deputy U.S. Representative to the U.N.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AMATEUR RADIO OPERATORS

Committee on Commerce: The Communications Subcommittee held and concluded hearings on S. 920, providing for the issuance of authorizations for alien amateur radio operators to operate their stations in the U.S. and its possessions, with reciprocal agreement between the U.S. and the alien's government, after receiving testimony from Senator Goldwater; and Herbert Hoover, Jr., president, John Huntoon, secretary and general manager, Robert Booth, general counsel, and Ray E. Meyers, director of Southwest Division, all of the American Radio Relay League.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Seven public bills, H.R. 8331–8337; one private bill, H.R. 8338, and one resolution, H.J. Res. 680, were introduced. **Page 16216**

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Sisk to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page 16208**

The House met briefly but transacted no legislative business.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through August 31, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	115	116	..
Time in session	597 hrs., 57′	413 hrs. 30′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	9,330	6,014	15,344
Appendix	..	..	5,578
Public bills enacted into law	34	75	109
Private bills enacted into law	19	40	59
Bills in conference	..	5	..
Bills through conference	2	9	..
Measures passed, total	492	641	..
Senate bills	206	53	..
House bills	125	380	..
Senate joint resolutions	11	5	..
House joint resolutions	12	16	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	19	18	..
House concurrent resolutions	13	15	..
Simple resolutions	106	154	260
Measures reported, total	523	*671	..
Senate bills	223	42	..
House bills	101	458	..
Senate joint resolutions	12	4	..
House joint resolutions	12	18	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	21	17	..
House concurrent resolutions	12	14	..
Simple resolutions	142	118	260
Special reports	22	37	..
Conference reports	..	13	..
Reported measures not acted on	10	72	..
Measures introduced, total	2,467	9,737	12,204
Bills	2,103	8,330	10,433
Joint resolutions	115	679	794
Concurrent resolutions	57	215	272
Simple resolutions	192	513	705
Quorum calls	33	75	..
Yea-and-nay votes	116	64	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 473 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 721 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through August 31, 1963

Postmaster nominations, totaling 1,427, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	981
Withdrawn	10
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	436

Army nominations, totaling 9,738, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	9,712
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	26

Air Force nominations, totaling 17,252, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	16,841
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	411

Navy nominations, totaling 22,988, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	22,414
Withdrawn	1
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	573

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,908, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	3,703
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	205

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 2,551, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	2,334
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	214

Summary

Total nominations received	57,864
Total withdrawn	14
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	1,865
Total confirmed	55,985

Wednesday, September 4, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed manpower training bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16290–16326

Bills Introduced: Eight bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2108–2115. **Page 16291**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1049, providing for the partition or sale of Indian land held in trust or restricted status, with amendment (S. Rept. 479); and

S. 1831, proposing several amendments to the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, with minority views (S. Rept. 480). **Page 16291**

Manpower Training: Senate passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 1716, repealing matching requirement for Federal payments to States for training allowances for unemployed persons, after adopting all committee amendments and rejecting by 19 yeas to 44 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Prouty motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare with instructions to report it to Senate not later than 1 week after the filing of conference report on H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, or not later than 1 week after Committee on Labor and Public Welfare has reported the vocational education bill, whichever shall last occur. Also rejected was Prouty amendment (in the nature of a substitute for the bill).

Pages 16326, 16332–16341, 16349, 16354–16373

Merchant Marine—Nurses: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 5781, providing that professional nurses shall be registered as staff officers in the U.S. merchant marine. **Page 16373**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, Commerce, and the Judiciary, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Educational and Cultural Exchange Program from Lucius D. Battle, Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Department of Justice, and the Judiciary.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, but made no announcements, and will meet again on Friday, September 6.

COMMUNICATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications held hearings on the following bills:

S. 708, relating to FCC consideration of construction permits and broadcast station license applications where Members of Congress are involved;

S. 1005, to give the FCC additional authority to grant specific temporary authorizations for 60 days for certain nonbroadcast operations; and

S. 1193, requiring that petitions for intervention in hearings for a broadcasting license be filed with the FCC within 30 days after publication of the issues in the Federal Register.

Testimony was received from Senator Proxmire, who directed his remarks to S. 708; E. William Henry, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, who directed his remarks to all of the bills; and Frederick W. Ford, member of the FCC, who submitted testimony on S. 708.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

ELLIS ISLAND

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session to consider the matter of the disposal and future utilization of Ellis Island in New York Harbor, and announced that no action in connection with this matter would be taken until after January 1, 1964.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES' PAY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on the subject of pay legislation for Federal employees, receiving testimony from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, September 5, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Thursday, September 5, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed three sundry bills and took up amendments to Manpower Training Act.

Senate committee approved medical education facilities bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16392–16405

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2116–2120. Page 16394

Merchant Marine—Nurses: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 5781, providing that professional nurses shall be registered as staff officers in the U.S. merchant marine. Pages 16405, 16415

Merchant Marine Safety: H.R. 6012, authorizing the President to proclaim certain regulations for preventing collisions at sea, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 16415–16417

Coast Guard: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 5623, making revisions relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of Coast Guard officers. Page 16415

Manpower Training: Senate took up S. 1831, proposing several amendments to the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, and, by unanimous consent, agreed to limit debate thereon as follows: 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); no nongermane amendments to be received; and 1 hour, equally divided, on question of passage of bill. Pages 16401, 16426

Interparliamentary Union: Senator Allott was appointed by Vice President to attend meeting of Interparliamentary Union at Belgrade, Yugoslavia, September 12–20, 1963. Page 16392

Authority To Meet: Committee on Armed Services and the Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries of Committee on Commerce were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Friday, September 6. Page 16392

Confirmation: The nomination of Ashton C. Barrett, of Mississippi, to be member of the Federal Maritime Commission, was confirmed. Page 16428

Nominations: 1 civilian and 148 postmaster nominations were received. Pages 16427–16428

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—JUSTICE, AND THE JUDICIARY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and the Judiciary, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from S. A. Andretta, Administrative Assistant Attorney General; J. B. Jones, Tax Division; J. W. Douglas, Assistant Attorney General (Civil Division); Burke Marshall, Assistant Attorney General (Civil Rights Division); and James V. Bennett, Director, Bureau of Prisons, all of the Department of Justice; and Alfred P. Murrah, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals, 10th Circuit; and Warren Olney III, Director, Administrative Office, U.S. Courts.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, September 11, when officials of the Department of Commerce will testify.

SMALL BUSINESS INVESTMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Small Business Subcommittee resumed hearings on S. 298, to amend in several regards the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, with testimony from Eugene P. Foley, Administrator, Small Business Administration, and Jack M. Whitney II, member, Securities and Exchange Commission, both of whom were accompanied by their associates; and James W. Howard, National Association of Small Business Investment Companies.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FISHING RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1988, prohibiting fishing in territorial waters of the U.S. and certain other areas by persons other than U.S. nationals or inhabitants. Testimony was received from Senator Kennedy; Representative Keith; Edward S. Marvich, deputy commissioner, Alaska Department of Fish and Game, Juneau; James Ackert, president, Atlantic Fishermen's Union, Boston; and Adm. Edwin J. Roland, Commandant, who was accompanied by Rear Adm. Richard D. Schmidtman, Chief, Office of Operations, both of the U.S. Coast Guard.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Far Eastern Affairs met in executive session to receive a briefing on the situation in Vietnam from Roger Hilsman, Jr., Director of Intelligence and Research, Department of State.

MEDICAL EDUCATION FACILITIES, AND YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 12, proposed Health Professions Educational Assistance Act; and S. 1967, extending until 1967 the Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Offenses Control Act (amended).

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution resumed its executive consideration of S. 649, to establish a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration within the Department of HEW, but did not conclude action thereon.

It was announced that the subcommittee had tentatively scheduled a meeting for Monday, September 9, to consider this bill further.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Six public bills, H.R. 8339–8344; four private bills, H.R. 8345–8348; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 681–685, and H. Res. 514, were introduced. **Page 16391**

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Sisk to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page 16376**

Late Report: The Committee on Agriculture was granted permission to file by midnight Friday, September 6, a report on H.R. 8195, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program. **Page 16382**

Bill Referred: S. 1716, repealing matching requirements for Federal payments to States for training allowances for unemployed persons, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. **Page 16391**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Committee Meetings

AGREEMENTS FOR COOPERATION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Agreements for Cooperation held hearings on a proposed Agreement for Cooperation with the Government of India relative to the construction of the Tarapur nuclear power station, and on an amendment to the Additional Agreement for Cooperation with EURATOM (European Atomic Energy Community) to facilitate the transfer of additional quantities of U–235 to EURATOM for use in the peaceful atomic energy activities of the six member states of the EURATOM group. Witnesses heard were James T. Ramey, member, and Algie A. Wells, Director, Division of International Affairs, both of the Atomic Energy Commission; Henry D. Smyth, U.S. representative to the International Atomic Energy Agency; Charles W. Thomas, Office of Atomic Energy Affairs, Department of State; and Patterson Drew, Agency for International Development.

ARMY REACTOR PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to consider management of the

Army Reactor Program, receiving testimony from James T. Ramey and Dr. Robert E. Wilson, both members, A. R. Luedecke, General Manager, Dr. Frank K. Pittman, Director, Division of Reactor Development, and Col. Robert B. Burlin, all of the Atomic Energy Commission.

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Friday, September 6, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bill covering amendments to Manpower Training Act and began consideration of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16431–16451

Bills Introduced: Three bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2121–2123; and S. Res. 193.

Page 16432

German Bundestag: Several members of the West German Bundestag visited session of Senate today and received greetings from Senators. Page 16462

Manpower Training: By 41 yeas to 26 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments S. 1831, proposing several amendments to the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments, which were thereafter considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; Prouty amendment providing that eligible persons under the literacy program shall include those who are over 35 years of age or have not the equivalent of a grade school education; modified Prouty amendment respecting teaching of reading, writing, and arithmetic to eligible persons; and Prouty amendment providing that for a school dropout to be eligible he must have been out of school for not less than 6 months rather than 3 months during the school year; and

Rejected: By 10 yeas to 60 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Javits amendment to increase allowances and to base such compensation on the manufacturing wage in the particular State; by 18 yeas to 49 nays, Prouty amendment providing that not more than 30 percent of authorized funds shall be used for training courses; Prouty amendment to place ceiling on the amount that can be expended for literacy and youth programs; Prouty amendment to limit to 25 percent funds for training of high school graduates between the ages of 16 and 22; and, by 29 yeas to 38 nays, Prouty amendment to limit authorized funds for fiscal year 1964 to $60 million instead of $100 million. Pages 16452–16472

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate began debate on question of adoption of resolution to ratify the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

Pages 16481–16482

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, Edna F. Kelly, U.S. Representative from the State of New York, William S. Mailliard, U.S. Representative from the State of California, and Francis T. P. Plimpton and Charles W. Yost, both of New York, to be Representatives to 18th Session of General Assembly of U.N.; and Mercer Cook, Ambassador to Niger, Charles C. Stelle, of Maryland, Jonathan B. Bingham, of New York, and Sidney R. Yates and Mrs. Jane Warner Dick, both of Illinois, to be Alternate Representatives to the same session of the General Assembly, U.N.; and one judicial nomination. Page 16487

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOIL CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices held and concluded hearings on S. 1588, to eliminate the $10 million limitation on soil conservation programs for 1964 and subsequent years, with testimony from Horace D. Godfrey, Administrator, and Charles W. Cox, Assistant Deputy Administrator, State and County Operations, both of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Department of Agriculture; Reuben L. Johnson, National Farmers Union; John C. Lynn, American Farm Bureau Federation; and Joe S. Fletcher, Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, Fort Worth.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on S. 1101, proposed military construction authorizations for fiscal year 1964, receiving testimony from

Thomas D. Morris, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics; and Maj. Gen. W. R. Shuler, Director of Installations, Army.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FISHING RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 1988, prohibiting fishing in territorial waters of the U.S. and certain other areas by persons other than U.S. nationals or inhabitants. Witnesses heard were Manuel F. Lewis, Gloucester Fisheries Commission, Massachusetts; Ronald W. DeLucien, National Canners Association; Donald L. McKernan, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Department of the Interior; William C. Herrington, Special Assistant to the Under Secretary for Fisheries and Wildlife, Department of State; Comdr. Larry G. Parks, Office of the Navy Judge Advocate General; Hugh E. O'Rourke, Boston Fisheries Association, Inc.; August Felando, American Tunaboat Association; and Jacob Ostensen, New Bedford Fishermen's Union.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following five nominations: Henry A. Byroade, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to Burma; Graham A. Martin, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Thailand; Herbert B. Powell, of Oregon, to be Ambassador to New Zealand; William Matson Roth, of California, to be Deputy Special Representative for Trade Negotiations; and William O. Hall, of Oregon, to be Assistant Administrator, AID.

Prior to their approval, the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, September 9, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Monday, September 9, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16489–16525

Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2124–2127. Page 16493

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1006, to increase authorizations for subsidizing the construction of fishing vessels, with minority views (S. Rept. 481); and

S. 283, increasing the limitation on costs of projects authorized pursuant to the Small Reclamation Projects Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 482). Page 16489

President's Communication: Communication from President transmitting amendments to the budget for the District of Columbia for fiscal year 1964 in the amount of $38,030,000, with accompanying paper, was received, referred to Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 32. Page 16489

Printing: Letter from Secretary of Army transmitting report, dated September 3, 1963, from Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army, together with accompanying papers and illustrations on review of report on Waurika Reservoir, Beaver Creek, Okla., was ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 33—referred to Committee on Public Works. Page 16495

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Internal Security of the Committee on the Judiciary was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Tuesday, September 10. Page 16558

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate debated question of adoption of resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).
Pages 16525–16545, 16549–16554

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Gramah A. Martin, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Thailand; William Matson Roth, of California, to be Deputy Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with the rank of ambassador; Henry A. Byroade, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to Burma; Gen. Herbert B. Powell, U.S. Army (retired), of Oregon, to be Ambassador to New Zealand; William O. Hall, of Oregon, to be Assistant Administrator for Administration, AID; and numerous Diplomatic and Foreign Service nominations. Page 16560

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Glenn T. Seaborg, of California, to be Representative to the Seventh Session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency; and Henry Dewolf Smyth, of New Jersey, John Gorham Palfrey, of New York, James T. Ramey, of Illinois, and Frank K. Hefner, of Virginia, to be Alternate Representatives to the Seventh Session of the aforementioned agency; and one judicial. Page 16560

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration H.R. 7179, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Defense Establishment.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee resumed its executive consideration of S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

QUALITY STABILIZATION ACT

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 774, to promote quality and price stabilization, receiving testimony from Howard Waller, the Corondolet Corp., Memphis; Irving Mills, president, GOVCO, Indianapolis; S. Walter Foulkrod, Jr., Council for Ethical Trade Practices, Philadelphia; Jack C. Holley, Webb's City, Inc., St. Petersburg, Fla.; John Schwegmann, Jr., Schwegmann Bros., Giant Super Markets, Metairie, La.; and Robert E. Morrow, on behalf of the Cooperative League of the U.S.A.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

WATER RESOURCES PLANNING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee announced that the Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee will hold hearings at 10 a.m. on Thursday and Friday, September 12 and 13, on S. 1111, proposed Water Resources Planning Act.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower met in executive session to consider a subcommittee print of S. 1937, proposed Equal Employment Opportunity Act, but made no announcements, and will resume its consideration on Monday, September 16.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1973, extending to Alaska and Hawaii benefits relating to the transportation of the remains, families, and effects of Federal employees dying abroad; and 203 postmaster nominations.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings on S. 432, to extend and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program, with testimony from Senator Ribicoff; and Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary, and Vernon G. MacKenzie, Chief of the Division of Air Pollution, Public Health Service, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Nine public bills, H.R. 8349–8357; one private bill, H.R. 8358; and one resolution, H.J. Res. 686, were introduced. Page 16584

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8195, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program, filed on September 6 (H. Rept. 722); and

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 723). **Pages 16583–16584**

Committees To Sit: Subcommittee No. 1 of the Committee on the Judiciary was authorized to sit during general debate of the House today; Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was also authorized to sit during general debate on September 10, 11, and 12. Similar permission was granted to the Select Committee on Small Business to sit during general debate on September 10 and 11. **Pages 16561, 16562, 16566**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Olympic games: S.J. Res. 72, favoring the holding of the Olympic games in America in 1968;

War orphans' education: S. 330, regarding approval of courses under the War Orphans Educational Assistance Act; and

Public lands—Oregon: S. 1185, relating to the exchange of certain lands between the State of Oregon and the C. & B. Livestock Co., Inc.

Sent to Senate without amendment:

Interstate school district: H.J. Res. 626, granting congressional consent to the Hanover, N.H.-Norwich, Vt., Interstate School District;

New Mexico—relief: H.R. 4786, for the relief of the State of New Mexico; and

Veterans' medical affairs: H.R. 5691, relating to disciplinary boards in the Department of Medicine and Surgery.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S. 254, H.R. 7155 and 7235. **Pages 16561–16565**

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 495, 506, 657, 909, 1154, 1230, and 1489.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1526, 4088, 4768, and 5083.

Sent to the Senate, amended: S. 322, 538, H.R. 1221, 1263, 1345, 1347, 1452, 2757, 2968, 3384, 5743, 6260, and 6807.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1277, 2300, 2706, 2728, 4505, and 5145. **Pages 16566–16570**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of September 11. **Page 16574**

Bill Referred: S. 1831, proposing several amendments to the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. **Page 16583**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:42 p.m.

Committee Meetings

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements continued hearings on Winning the Cold War: The U.S. Ideological Offensive (U.S. Cultural and Artistic Exchanges). Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Tuesday, September 10.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 8070, and related bills, for the establishment of a Public Land Law Review Commission; and H.J. Res. 52, to establish a commission to study the nonmineral public land laws of the U.S. Heard testimony from John A. Carver, Jr., Acting Secretary of the Interior; and a public witness. Hearings continue Tuesday, September 10.

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Tuesday, September 10, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.
House passed Mental Retardation Facilities Act.
House committee approved the Revenue Act of 1963.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16590–16609

Bills Introduced: Nine bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2128–2136. **Page 16592**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1967, extending until 1967 the Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Offenses Control Act (S. Rept. 483);

S. 1973, extending to Alaska and Hawaii benefits relating to the transportation of the remains, families, and effects of Federal employees dying abroad (S. Rept. 484); and

H.R. 12, proposed Health Professions Educational Assistance Act of 1963, with minority views (S. Rept. 485).

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Bills Referred: 18 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 16591

Medical Education: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that on Thursday, September 12, at the conclusion of morning business, Senate will consider H.R. 12, proposed Health Professions Educational Assistance Act of 1963, with limitation of debate of 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); that no nongermane amendments may be received; and 1 hour, equally divided, on question of passage of bill. Page 16609

Pacific Power: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 1007, guaranteeing electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that area, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Anderson, Bible, Kuchel, and Allott.

Page 16611

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate debated question of adoption of resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

Pages 16609–16646

Nomination: The nomination of John A. Gronouski, of Wisconsin, to be Postmaster General, was received.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PESTICIDES LABELING

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held and concluded hearings on S. 1605, requiring the use of registration numbers in labeling insecticides, with testimony from Dr. M. R. Clarkson, Associate Administrator, Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture; J. K. Kirk, Assistant Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW; John C. Datt, American Farm Bureau Federation; and Parke C. Brinkley, president, and Robert L. Ackerly, counsel, both of the National Agricultural Chemical Association.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee met in executive session and considered but took no final action on the following three bills: S. 1952, relating to acquiring Government-insured mortgages on housing at NASA and AEC installations; H.R. 4842, extending time for holding annual meetings under the Federal Credit Union Act; and H.R. 772, to permit the city of Detroit to transfer land purchased for low-rent housing to urban renewal purposes.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1005, to give the FCC additional authority to grant specific temporary authorizations for 60 days for certain nonbroadcast operations; S. 1193, requiring that petitions for intervention in hearings for a broadcasting license be filed with the FCC within 30 days after publication of the issues in the Federal Register; S. 927, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to remove certain limitations concerning war risk insurance; and H.J. Res. 247, suspending for the 1964 campaign the equal broadcast opportunity requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act for Presidential and Vice Presidential nominees (amended).

Committee also considered further S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Thursday, September 12.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education met in executive session to consider S. 580, proposed National Education Improvement Act of 1963, and related measures, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on manpower problems—social roots of unemployment, receiving testimony from Samuel Ganz, Office of Manpower, Automation, and Training, Department of Labor, who was accompanied by his associates; Graham E. Holmes, Assistant Commissioner, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, who was accompanied by his associates; Joseph P. Lyford, Fund for the Republic; and Dr. Ray Marshall, University of Texas.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its hearings on S. 432, to extend and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program, with testimony from Senator Case; Mayor Richard J. Daley, of Chicago, who represented the U.S. Conference of Mayors, and who was accompanied by his associates; Mayor Joseph M. Barr, of

Pittsburgh, who was accompanied by Donald L. Slater, both representing the American Municipal Association; Edwin Michaelian, Westchester County, N.Y., who represented the National Association of Counties, and who was accompanied by his associates; Morton Hilbert, American Public Health Association; Dr. James E. Perkins, National Tuberculosis Association; and Dr. Spencer M. Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Special Subcommittee on Housing for the Elderly held an executive meeting to discuss its plans for future studies, and announced that it had agreed to focus its attention on the area of nursing homes for the aged for the next several months.

The subcommittee announced that it intends to conduct this study jointly with the Subcommittee on Health, pending approval of this proposal by that subcommittee's chairman, Senator McNamara.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 8359–8385; 18 private bills, H.R. 8386–8403; and 39 resolutions, H.J. Res. 687–723, and H. Res. 515 and 516, were introduced.

Pages 16728–16730

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Nine private bills, H.R. 1271, 1273, 1566, 3366, 3908, 5902, 6316, 1495, and 1542 (H. Repts. 724–732, respectively);

H.R. 7194, providing royalties for copyrighted music played on coin-operated machines (H. Rept. 733); and

H.R. 6038, a private bill (H. Rept. 734). **Page 16728**

Mental Health: By a record vote of 335 yeas to 18 nays the House passed and returned to the Senate S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963. Prior to its passage the Senate-approved language was replaced by adoption of a committee substitute amendment.

H. Res. 513, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 16650–16697

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session on Army research and development programs. Recessed until Wednesday, September 11.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session for a discussion on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on legislation to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, September 11.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements continued hearings on Winning the Cold War: The U.S. Ideological Offensive (U.S. Student and Leader Exchanges). Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, September 11.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands continued hearings on H.R. 8070, and related bills, for the establishment of a Public Land Law Review Commission; and H.J. Res. 52, to establish a commission to study the nonmineral public land laws of the U.S. Heard testimony from John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; and public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on legislation pertaining to civil rights.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.J. Res. 475, to authorize the President to designate December 7, 1966, as Pearl Harbor Day in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor; and

H.J. Res. 335, to designate the 17th day of December of each year as Wright Brothers Day.

Action was also taken on several private immigration and private claim bills.

FEDERAL SALARY ADJUSTMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Resumed hearings on pending Federal salary increase legislation, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

TAXES—REVENUE ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8363, the Revenue Act of 1963.

SMALL BUSINESS—FOREIGN TRADE

Select Committee on Small Business: Heard testimony from public witnesses regarding small business and foreign trade. Hearings continue Wednesday, September 11.

Joint Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Senate members of the committee held hearings on the nomination of Frank K. Hefner, to be Representative to the International Atomic Energy Agency, receiving testimony from Robert E. Lee, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Congressional Relations; and Henry Dewolf Smyth, U.S. Representative to the IAEA.

The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

AEC OMNIBUS BILL

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation met in executive session to consider S. 1795 and H.R. 7300, authorizing the AEC to require bonds of persons licensed to receive waste byproducts and other nuclear materials, and to amend the EURATOM Cooperative Act, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Wednesday, September 11, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16764–16782

Bills Introduced: Four bills and three resolutions were introduced as follows: S. 2137–2140; S.J. Res. 118; and S. Res. 194–195. **Page 16766**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 82, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to provide for the reimbursement of certain vessel construction expenses, with minority views (S. Rept. 486);

S. 1952, relating to acquiring Government-insured mortgages on housing at NASA and AEC installations, with amendments (S. Rept. 487);

S. Con. Res. 58, to print additional copies of the hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (S. Rept. 489);

S. Res. 190, to print as a Senate document additional copies of committee print entitled "The Ambassador and the Problem of Coordination" (S. Rept. 490);

S. Res. 193, to print additional copies of certain hearings entitled "Castro Network in the U.S." (S. Rept. 491);

H. Con. Res. 203, to print as a House document additional copies of a study entitled "The Federal Government and Education" (S. Rept. 492);

H. Con. Res. 212, to print as a House document selected excerpts relating to the 1963–64 national college debate topic, compiled by the Legislative Reference Service (S. Rept. 493);

S. Res. 182, authorizing an additional $15,000 for expenditure by the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (no written report); and

S. Res. 194–195, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees (no written reports). **Pages 16765–16766**

Medical Education: Senate made the following modifications in its unanimous consent agreement entered into on Tuesday, September 10, respecting debate limitation in consideration of H.R. 12, proposed Health Professions Educational Assistance Act of 1963: The bill will be laid before Senate for consideration at noon Thursday, September 12, and an amendment by Senator Javits will be considered to be in order when offered even though it may be nongermane. **Page 16771**

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate debated question of adoption of resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.). **Pages 16782–16811**

Confirmations: Numerous postmaster nominations were confirmed. **Pages 16815–16816**

Nominations: Numerous Marine Corps nominations were received. **Page 16815**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies.

The full committee will meet tomorrow in executive session to consider this bill.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and the Judiciary, with testimony in behalf of funds for their Department from Under Secretary Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., and Herbert W. Klotz, Assistant Secretary for Administration, both of the Commerce Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 16, to establish Ozarks National Rivers, Mo. (amended). Subcommittee tabled S. 986, to establish Prairie National Park, in Kansas.

Prior to this action, in open session, subcommittee held hearings on S. 503 and H.R. 4152, authorizing addition of certain donated lands to the administrative headquarters site, Isle Royale National Park, Mich., with testimony from Frank Harrison, National Park Service, and Henry Schmidt, superintendent of Isle Royale National Park, both of the Department of the Interior.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 1731 and S. 1750, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, receiving further testimony from Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee met in executive session to consider the matter of the selling of drugs in Latin America under generic names, and agreed to allow subpenas issued to seven drug companies to remain outstanding until December 2, 1963.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for assistance in improving vocational education programs.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on manpower problems—social roots of unemployment, receiving testimony from Representative Gonzalez; Dean Arthur Larson, professor of law and director, World Rule of Law Center, Duke University, who directed his remarks to employment problems of older workers; and Dionicio Morales, Council of Mexican-American Affairs, Pico Rivera, Calif., who directed his remarks to employment problems of Mexican-Americans.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution concluded its current series of hearings on S. 432, to extend and strengthen the Federal air pollution control program, after receiving testimony from Senator Neuberger; Dr. Myron B. Anthony, Manufacturing Chemists' Association; Samuel S. Johnson, National Association of Manufacturers; Erwin E. Schulze, American Iron & Steel Institute; Joseph W. Mullan, National Coal Association; Dr. Frederic G. Burke, Washington, D.C.; David P. Buckson, attorney general, Delaware, who submitted a statement; Dr. Merideth Thompson, representing Conference of State Sanitary Engineers; Eugene A. Sloane, Detroit, editor of Air Engineering magazine; and Edward Sargent, Incinerator Institute of America.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. Res. 182, authorizing an additional $15,000 for expenditure by the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare; S. Con. Res. 58, to print additional copies of the hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty; S. Res. 190, to print as a Senate document additional copies of committee print entitled "The Ambassador and the Problem of Coordination"; S. Res. 193, to print additional copies of certain hearings entitled "Castro Network in the U.S."; H. Con. Res. 203, to print as a House document additional copies of a study entitled "The Federal Government and Education"; H. Con. Res. 212, to print as a House document selected excerpts relating to the 1963–64 national college debate topic, compiled by the Legislative Reference Service; S. Con. Res. 1, to establish a Joint Committee on the Organization of Congress (with an amendment in the nature of a substitute); S. Res. 89, to amend Senate rule VIII so as to require that 3 hours each day the debate on the floor of the Senate be germane to the pending business (amended); S. Res. 111, to amend Senate rule XXV so as to permit committees to meet while the Senate is in session until the end of the morning hour; S. Res. 78, to permit former Presidents of the United States to have the privilege of speaking on the floor of the Senate (amended); two original resolutions authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees; and an original resolution relating to request by the U.S. Capitol Historical Society for permission to make a photograph of the Senate in session.

JOINT ADVERTISING BY RETAILERS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee began a series of hearings on the problem of allowing small retailers jointly to publish advertising which includes the prices of their products. Witnesses heard were Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Herman Nolan, chairman of the board, McKesson & Robbins, New York; M. W. Armistead III, Roanoke Times and World News, and chairman of ANPA Federal Laws Committee, Roanoke, Va.; Roland Hicks, professor of marketing and advertising, Ferris Institute, Big Rapids, Mich.; and E. B. Weiss, special merchandising service, Doyle, Dane, Bernback, Inc., New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Seven public bills, H.R. 8404–8410; five private bills, H.R. 8411–8415; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 724–727, were introduced. **Pages 16763–16764**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 516, providing for printing of additional copies of the report submitted by the Committee on Ways and Means to accompany H.R. 8363, the "Revenue Act of 1963" (H. Rept. 735); and

Twelve private bills, S. 1201, H.R. 2189, 2811, 4099, 4076, 4759, 5289, 4681, 5746, 6181, 6468 and 7088 (H. Repts. 736–747, respectively). **Page 16763**

Printing—Revenue Act: Adopted H. Res. 516, providing for printing additional copies of the report submitted by the Committee on Ways and Means to accompany H.R. 8363, the "Revenue Act of 1963." **Page 16742**

Pan America: Received and read a communication expressing the thanks of the Brazilian Chamber of Deputies to the House of Representatives for its message of congratulations on Pan American Day embodied in H. Res. 316. **Page 16742**

Mental Health: The House insisted on its amendment to S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Harris, Roberts of Alabama, Rhodes of Pennsylvania, O'Brien of New York, Rogers of Florida, Bennett of Michigan, Schenck, Nelson, and Brotzman. **Pages 16742–16743**

Cleared for President: The following three bills were cleared for Presidential action by House concurrence in Senate amendments thereto:

U.S. merchant marine—nurses: H.R. 5781, to provide that professional nurses shall be registered as staff officers in the U.S. merchant marine;

Coast Guard officers: H.R. 5623, to amend title 14, U.S. Code, relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of officers of the Coast Guard; and

Collisions at sea: H.R. 6012, to authorize the President to proclaim regulations for preventing collisions at sea. **Page 16743**

Research Program Investigations: By a unanimous record vote of 336 yeas the House adopted H. Res. 504, to create a select committee to investigate research programs conducted by or sponsored by the departments and agencies of the Federal Government.

Subsequently the Speaker appointed the following to membership on the select committee: Representatives Elliott, chairman, Fogarty, Miller of California, Price, Landrum, Brown of Ohio, Anderson, Cleveland, and Martin of California. **Pages 16744–16754**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

RETIREMENT—CIA

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7216 (a clean bill to be introduced), the Central Intelligence Agency Act amendments. Testimony was given by Marshall D. Carter, Deputy Director, Central Intelligence Agency; other CIA officials; and a State Department official. Also in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 384 (amended), to provide that members of the Armed Forces shall be retired in the highest grade satisfactorily held in any armed force. In open hearing heard testimony on the measure from an Air Force witness.

FORT MILES—DELAWARE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6678 (amended), to convey Fort Miles Reservation to Delaware State for public educational and park purposes. Prior to taking action on the measure heard testimony from Representative McDowell; Governor Carvell of Delaware; and public witnesses.

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session and continued review of Army research and development programs.

ABC ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2036, to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session on the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1963. No announcements were made.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on legislation to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, September 12.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements continued hearings on Winning the Cold War: The U.S. Ideological Offensive (The Impact Abroad of American Films, Books, Magazines, and Radio/TV). Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, September 12.

PROPERTY CONVEYANCE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities, in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 876, to authorize Administrator of General Services to convey certain land in Prince Georges County, Md., to the American National Red Cross; H.R. 3368 (amended), a private bill; and H.R. 4801, to empower GSA Administrator to certify to facts and to make administrative determinations on the basis of records transferred to him.

COSTILLA CREEK COMPACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 5949, to consent to the amendment by the States of Colorado and New Mexico of the Costilla Creek compact.

Considered S.J. Res. 17, to designate the lake to be formed by the waters impounded by the Flaming Gorge Dam, Utah, in the States of Wyoming and Utah, as "Lake O'Mahoney." Recessed until Thursday, September 12.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: In executive session ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8100, regarding railroad retirement (to increase the creditable and taxable compensation).

Prior to taking action on the measure heard testimony from public witnesses in an opening hearing.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on legislation pertaining to civil rights.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony on several private claim bills.

SMALL BUSINESS—FOREIGN TRADE

Select Committee on Small Business: Concluded hearings on small business in foreign trade, and heard testimony from Eugene Foley, Administrator, Small Business Administration; and public witnesses.

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Thursday, September 12, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated Nuclear Test Ban Treaty and passed and cleared for White House bill on medical education.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16851–16879

Bills Introduced: Four bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2141–2144; S.J. Res. 119; and S. Res. 196–197. Page 16852

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 6246, relating to the deductibility for income tax purposes of accrued vacation pay (S. Rept. 488);

H.R. 5250, to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to widows of veterans who died from service-connected disabilities (S. Rept. 494);

H.R. 3369, a private bill (S. Rept. 495);

S. Con. Res. 19, to designate "Bourbon whiskey" as a distinctive product of the U.S., with amendments (S. Rept. 496);

H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 497); and

S. Res. 197, to print as a Senate document report to Congress by Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture, entitled "Proposed Program for Expanding Research in Food and Nutrition" (no written report). Pages 16851–16852

Medical Education: By 71 yeas to 9 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 12, proposed Health Professions Educational Assistance Act of 1963, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

By 39 yeas to 37 nays, adopted Mansfield motion to table Javits amendments to bar discrimination because of race or color in medical school enrollments (motion to reconsider tabled—these actions in effect rejected Javits amendment); rejected by 39 yeas to 43 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Cotton amendment allowing cancellation of up to one-half of student loan at rate of 10 percent a year plus interest, for each year borrower engages in practice of medicine, dentistry, and osteopathy in an area determined to have shortage of such practitioners; and by 18 yeas to 63 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), rejected Goldwater amendment to eliminate from the bill the loan program for students of medicine, dentistry, and osteopathy. Pages 16819–16846

Military Mortgages: Senate passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 1952, relating to acquiring Government-insured mortgages on housing at NASA and AEC installations.

Pages 16846–16847, 16849–16850

Printing: Reports on research program needs submitted by Secretary of Agriculture, pursuant to S. Res. 415 of the 87th Congress, 2d session, was ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 34. Page 16856

Agricultural Research: Senate adopted S. Res. 197, to print as a Senate document report to Congress by Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture, entitled "Proposed Program for Expanding Research in Food and Nutrition." Pages 16851–16852

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate debated question of adoption of resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

Pages 16879–16906

Nomination: The nomination of W. True Davis, Jr., of Missouri, to be Ambassador to Switzerland, was received. Page 16906

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide a total of $6,046,738,340, an increase of $67,281,340 over the House-passed figure of $5,979,457,000.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and the Judiciary, with testimony in behalf of funds for his department from William L. Batt, Jr., Administrator, Area Redevelopment Administration, Department of Commerce.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, September 17, when other Commerce Department officials will be heard.

FISHING RIGHTS, AND CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 1988, prohibiting fishing in territorial waters of the U.S. and certain other areas by persons other than U.S. nationals or inhabitants.

Committee also continued its executive consideration of S. 1732, to prohibit discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Wednesday, September 18.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs held hearings on the following two bills:

S. 1024, authorizing payment of relocation costs for D.C. individuals and firms displaced by actions of the D.C. government, with testimony from Brig. Gen. C. M. Duke, Engineer Commissioner, D.C.; Phil A. Doyle, D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency; Rubin Clark, Washington Planning & Housing Association; Gover M. Koockogey, D.C. Federation of Citizens Associations; Arnold Sternberg, Democratic Central Committee; Bishop Smallwood E. Williams, the Bible Way Church; Andrew Johnson, D.C. Trucking Association; J. C. Turner, Greater Washington Federal Labor Council; and Arthur E. Miller, American Automobile Association; and

S. 1533, transferring mass transportation functions of the D.C. Public Utilities Commission to the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission, with testimony from Brig. Gen. C. M. Duke; Delmar Ison, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission; James H. Flanagan, D.C. Transit System; and James A. Washington, D.C. Public Utilities Commission.

Subcommittee will hold hearings tomorrow on two other pending bills.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 5250, to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to widows of veterans who died from service-connected disabilities; H.R. 6246, relating to the deductibility for income tax purposes of accrued vacation pay; H.R. 3369, a private bill; and S. Con. Res. 19, to designate "Bourbon whiskey" as a distinctive product of the U.S. (amended).

WATER RESOURCES PLANNING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1111, to establish a Water Resources Council to assist in the development of comprehensive water resources planning, with testimony from Senator Anderson, who submitted a written statement; Senator McGovern, Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary (Water and Power), who was accompanied by Henry P. Caulfield, Jr., Director of the Resources Program Staff, both of the Department of the Interior; Murray Stein, Assistant Chief, Division of Water Supply and Pollution Control, Department of HEW; William Welsh, National Reclamation Association; Page Ingrahm, executive director, and Charles Schwan, Washington office director, both representing the Council of State Governments and the Governors' Conference Committee on Federal-State Relations; and Burton J. Gindler, deputy attorney general of California, who presented a statement of Attorney General Stanley Mosk, of California.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nomination of Walter E. Craig, to be U.S. district judge for the district of Arizona, prior to which action, in open hearings, Senator Hayden submitted testimony in his behalf. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on manpower problems—social roots of unemployment, having as its witnesses Dr. Ellen Winston, Commissioner of Welfare, and Miss Mary Switzer, Commissioner of Vocational Rehabilitation, both of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Dr. Wayne Vasey, Washington University, St. Louis, who discussed the subject of interrelations between unemployment and public assistance; and Dr. Eugene J. Taylor, New York University, who directed his remarks to employment problems of handicapped workers.

Hearings continue on Thursday, September 19.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 8416–8431; 13 private bills, H.R. 8432–8444; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 728–733, were introduced. **Pages 16932–16933**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 8100, amendments to the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and other acts, to increase the creditable and taxable compensation (H. Rept. 748). **Page 16932**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of September 18. **Page 16907**

D.C. Right-of-Way Sale: H.R. 5081, a private bill, to permit the sale of a right-of-way across the District Training School to the Baltimore Gas & Electric Co., was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to a Senate amendment thereto. **Page 16907**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

OAKLAND ARMY TERMINAL

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 3806, regarding the Oakland Army Terminal. Heard testimony from Representative Cohelan; Department of the Army officials; and public witnesses. A statement was presented for the record by Representative Miller of California.

Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

INTERNATIONAL HOME LOAN BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Heard testimony from David Bell, Administrator, Agency for International Development, on H.R. 8143 and 8144, bills to provide for establishment of an International Home Loan Bank.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor heard testimony from Capt. William

R. Anderson, consultant to the President regarding National Service Corps.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and approved a subcommittee print, to be introduced as a bill, on manpower development and training.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on legislation to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act, and heard testimony from Representative Sikes; and public witnesses.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements continued hearings on Winning the Cold War: The U.S. Ideological Offensive (The Impact Abroad of Special Activities of Selected Private U.S. Organizations). Heard testimony from various public witnesses.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4018 (amended), to authorize establishment of the St. Gaudens National Historic Site, N.H.; H.R. 6756 (amended), to revise the boundaries of Mesa Verde National Park, Colo.; and H.R. 3500, to provide for the acquisition and preservation of the real property known as the Ansley Wilcox House in Buffalo, N.Y., as a national historic site.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 7724, to incorporate the Little League Baseball, Inc. Heard testimony from Representatives Cahill and Schneebeli; and public witnesses.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on legislation pertaining to civil rights.

FEDERAL PAY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: The committee heard testimony from various public witnesses on Federal pay legislation.

BASIN AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control voted to disagree with Senate amendments en bloc on H.R. 6016, the basin authorization bill.

U.S. CITIZENS' TRAVEL

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee heard testimony from public witnesses in hearings to determine whether congressional legislative action is needed to strengthen State Department limitations upon the travel of U.S. citizens to countries with which the U.S. has no diplomatic relations, and to broaden the definition of persons affected by the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938.

Joint Committee Meetings

NEVADA TEST SITE

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittees on Legislation and on Communities held joint hearings on S. 2030 and H.R. 8003, providing for the establishment of a community at or near the Nevada Test Site, with testimony from Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, James T. Ramey, member, A. R. Luedecke, General Manager, and other officials of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Friday, September 13, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16937–16957

Bills Introduced: Two bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2145–2146; S. Con. Res. 59; and S. Res. 198. Page 16937

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1005, to give the FCC additional authority to grant specific temporary authorizations for 60 days for certain nonbroadcast operations (S. 498);

S. 1193, requiring that petitions for intervention in hearings for a broadcasting license be filed with the

FCC within 30 days after publication of the issues in the Federal Register (S. Rept. 499); and

S. 1988, prohibiting fishing in territorial waters of the U.S. and certain other areas by persons other than U.S. nationals or inhabitants, with amendments (S. Rept. 500). Page 16937

Routine Resolutions Adopted: The following eight routine resolutions were adopted without amendment:

Committee authorizations: S. Res. 182, authorizing an additional $15,000 for expenditure by the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare;

Printing: S. Con. Res. 58, to print additional copies of the hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty;

Printing: S. Res. 190, to print as a Senate document additional copies of committee print entitled "The Ambassador and the Problem of Coordination";

Printing: S. Res. 193, to print additional copies of certain hearings entitled "Castro Network in the U.S.";

Printing: H. Con. Res. 203, to print as a House document additional copies of a study entitled "The Federal Government and Education";

Printing: H. Con. Res. 212, to print as a House document selected excerpts relating to the 1963–64 national college debate topic, compiled by the Legislative Reference Service; and

Gratuities: S. Res. 194–195, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees. Page 16942

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate debated question of adoption of resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.). Pages 16957–17006

Agriculture Appropriations: Senator Holland submitted notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies. Page 16938

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Frank K. Hefner, of Virginia, to be Deputy Representative to the International Atomic Energy Agency; Glenn T. Seaborg, of California, to be Representative to the seventh session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency; Henry DeWolf Smyth, of New Jersey, John Gorham Palfrey, of New York, James T. Ramey, of Illinois, and Frank K. Hefner, of Virginia, all to be Alternate Representatives to the seventh session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency; Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, Edna F. Kelly, Representative from the State of New York, William S. Mailliard, Representative from the State of California, Francis T. P. Plimpton, of New York, and Charles W. Yost, of New York, all to be Representatives to the General Assembly of the U.N.; and Mercer Cook, Ambassador to the Republic of Niger, Charles C. Stelle, of Maryland, Jonathan B. Bingham, of New York, Sidney R. Yates, of Illinois, and Mrs. Jane Warner Dick, of Illinois, all to be Alternate Representatives to the General Assembly of the U.N. Pages 17007–17008

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOIL CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices met in executive session to consider S. 1588, to eliminate the $10 million limitation on soil conservation programs for 1964 and subsequent years, but took no final action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Fiscal Affairs Subcommittee held hearings on the following two bills:

S. 1964, to increase the fee charged for learners' permits in the D.C., with testimony from George England, Director, D.C. Department of Motor Vehicles; Birch Bayh, Director, Department of Health, Physical Education, Athletics, and Safety, D.C. Public Schools; Arthur E. Miller, D.C. advisory board, American Automobile Association; and Andrew W. Johnson, secretary, D.C. Trucking Association, Inc.; and

S. 2054, to eliminate maintenance by the D.C. of perpetual accounts for unclaimed moneys held in trust by the D.C. government, with testimony from Thomas Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C., who was accompanied by Barney Farber, Deputy Accounting Officer, D.C.

WATER RESOURCES PLANNING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1111, to establish a Water Resources Council to assist in the development of comprehensive water resources planning, receiving testimony from Abbott Goldberg, department of water resources, State of California; Garland Hershey, chairman, Sam Thompson, past chairman, Harold Wilm, chairman of the policy committee, and Mitchell Wendell, counsel, all of the Interstate Conference on Water Problems; W. J. O'Connell, Contra Costa County Water Agency, California; John Taylor, American Farm Bureau Federation; Charles A. Robinson, Jr., National Rural Electric Cooperative Association; R. M. Dixon, who represented the American Water Works Association; Braxton B. Carr, American Waterways Operators, Inc.; and Samuel S. Johnson, National Manufacturers Association Conservation and Management of Natural Resources Committee.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Railroad Retirement Subcommittee held hearings on S. 729, 1356, and 2056, to amend in several regards the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937, and related acts, with testimony from Howard W. Habermeyer, Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board; George M. Harrison, who represented the Brotherhood of Railway & Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express & Station Employees, AFL-CIO, and the Railway Labor Executives Association; Daniel T. Loomis, president, Association of American Railroads; and D. L. Manion, president, American Short Line Railroad Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, September 16, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on urban renewal in nonresidential areas, and heard testimony from Phil A. Doyle, Executive Director, Redevelopment Land Agency; and public witnesses.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 5045, regarding authorization for expansion and improvement of facilities of Washington Hospital Center; H.R. 7441, to transfer from D.C. Inspector of Buildings to D.C. Commissioners authority and duties with respect to unsafe buildings; H.R. 7882, regarding exemptions from attachment and certain other process in the case of persons not residing in D.C.; and H.R. 8313, to repeal the D.C. Credit Unions Act. Heard testimony from Boisfeuillet Jones, Special Assistant to the Secretary (Health and Medical Affairs), Department of Health, Education, and Welfare (H.R. 5045); D.C. officials; and public witnesses.

In executive session the subcommittee ordered H.R. 7441 (title above) and H.R. 8813 (title above) reported favorably to the full committee.

U.S. IDEOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements continued hearings on Winning the Cold War: The U.S. Ideological Offensive (Problems and Techniques of International Communication). Heard testimony from public witnesses.

LITTLE LEAGUE—GETTYSBURG ADDRESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7724 (amended), to incorporate the Little League Baseball; and H.J. Res. 385 (amended), to request the President to proclaim November 19, 1963, as Gettysburg Address Centennial Day.

U.S. CITIZENS' TRAVEL

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee heard testimony from public witnesses in hearings to determine whether congressional legislative action is needed to strengthen State Department limitations upon the travel of U.S. citizens to countries with which the U.S. has no diplomatic relations, and to broaden the definition of persons affected by the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 resumed hearings on dual distribution (regarding books and drugs), and heard testimony from Representative Harding; and public witnesses.

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Monday, September 16, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.

House adjourned out of respect to the memory of Representative Gavin.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17015–17050

Bills Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced as follows: S. 2147-2148; and S. Res. 199.

Page 17015

Agriculture Appropriations: Senator Lausche submitted notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies.

Page 17019

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate debated question of adoption of resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

By unanimous consent, resolution of ratification of the treaty was passed through all of its stages, up to and including presentation thereof. No amendments to the treaty are now in order but reservations and understandings to the resolution of ratification are in order.

Pages 17050–17087, 17093–17109

Condolence Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 199, expressing condolences on the death of Representative Gavin. Pages 17109–17110

Nomination: One judicial nomination was received. Page 17110

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Committee on Labor and Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower, in executive session, tentatively approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1937, proposed Equal Employment Opportunity Act.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, September 13, the Railroad Retirement Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration S. 2056, to amend in several regards the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937, and related acts.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Eight public bills, H.R. 8445–8452; one private bill, H.R. 8453; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 734 and 735, and H. Res. 517, were introduced.

Pages 17013–17014

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 8363, the Revenue Act of 1963, filed on September 13 (H. Rept. 749). Page 17014

Condolence Resolution: Adopted H. Res. 517, providing for expressions of condolences and sympathy on the death of Representative Leon H. Gavin, of the 23d Congressional District of Pennsylvania. Thursday, September 19, was designated as the time for eulogizing the late Representative. The Speaker appointed the following Members to serve on the funeral committee: Representatives Albert, Halleck, Arends, Vinson, Hébert, Rivers of South Carolina, Philbin, Corbett, Fulton of Pennsylvania, Morgan, Norblad, Dague, Barrett, Green of Pennsylvania, Bates, Rhodes of Pennsylvania, Saylor, Byrne of Pennsylvania, Flood, Clark, Holland, Curtin, Dent, Nix, Milliken, Moorhead, Toll, Schneebeli, Whalley, Goodling, Schweiker, Kunkel, McDade, Weaver, and Rooney of Pennsylvania. Page 17013

Resolution Referred: S. Con. Res. 58, to print additional copies of the hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty, was referred to the Committee on House Administration. Page 17013

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HAGUE CONFERENCE—INTERNATIONAL LAW

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements held a hearing on H.J. Res. 732, to provide for participation by the U.S. in The Hague Conference on Private International Law and the International (Rome) Institute for the Unification of Private Law; and authorizing respectively appropriations therefor. Heard testimony from Abram Chayes, Legal Adviser, Department of State; and public witnesses.

MISSOURI RIVER BASIN PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 8171, to reauthorize the Riverton extension unit, Missouri River Basin project, to include all the Riverton reclamation project except the Muddy Ridge area; and H.R. 5836, to furnish water for the irrigation of lands in the third division, Riverton reclamation project, Wyoming. Heard testimony from Representative Harrison; and departmental witnesses.

A statement was presented for the record by Senator McGee.

INTERMEDIATE CARE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution in small business (appliance industry). Heard testimony from public witnesses.

Tuesday, September 17, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.
Bill to assist fallout shelter construction passed by House.
Senate committee reported defense appropriations.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17119–17132, 17204

Bills Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2149–2150; and S. Res. 200.
Pages 17119–17120, 17204

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.J. Res. 247, suspending for the 1964 campaign the equal broadcast opportunity requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act for Presidential and Vice Presidential nominees, with additional views (S. Rept. 501); and

H.R. 7179, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, with amendments (S. Rept. 502).
Page 17119

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate debated question of adoption of resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

The treaty has passed through all of its stages, up to and including presentation of resolution of ratification. No amendments to the treaty are now in order, but reservations and understandings to the resolution of ratification are in order. **Pages 17132–17152, 17154–17204**

Nominations: Numerous Navy nominations were received. **Pages 17208–17210**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 7179, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Defense Establishment. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide total funds of $47,371,407,000, an increase of $289,398,000 over the House-passed figure of $47,082,009,000.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and the Judiciary, with testimony in behalf of funds for his department from Daniel L. Goldy, Administrator, Business and Defense Services Administration, Department of Commerce.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MORTGAGES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing began hearings on the following bills: S. 810, authorizing the chartering of organizations to insure conventional mortgages loans; S. 811, proposed Home Mortgage Corporation Act; and S. 2130, to empower Federal National Mortgage Association to deal in conventional mortgages. Witnesses heard were Joseph P. McMurray, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; Milton P. Semer, General Counsel, Housing and Home Finance Agency; J. Stanley Baughman, President, Federal National Mortgage Association; and W. Evans Buchanan, president, and Thomas P. Coogan, past president, National Association of Home Builders.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee consideration S. 1594, to allow the Navajo and the Ute Mountain Tribes to bring suit in order to quiet title to reservation lands; S. 1885, declaring that the U.S. hold in trust for the Indians of the Battle Mountain Colony, Nev., certain lands used for cemetery purposes (amended); S. 2111, to fix the beneficial ownership of the Colorado River Indian Reservation, Ariz. and Calif.; and S. 2139, to provide for disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians, Idaho.

Prior to this action, subcommittee heard testimony on these proposals from Graham E. Holmes, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Lewis Sigler, Assistant Legislative Counsel, both of the Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, September 25.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 8454–8468; 15 private bills, H.R. 8469–8483; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 736–742, and H. Res. 518–521, were introduced.

Pages 17318–17319

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 491, relating to the care and maintenance of the original Iwo Jima Memorial on Mount Suribachi, Iwo Jima, Volcano Islands (H. Rept. 750);

H.R. 3850, to establish an additional office of Assistant Secretary of Agriculture (H. Rept. 751);

H.J. Res. 335, designating the 17th day of December of each year as "Wright Brothers Day" (H. Rept. 752); and

H.J. Res. 475, to authorize the President to proclaim December 7, 1966, as Pearl Harbor Day in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor (H. Rept. 753). **Page 17318**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was granted permission to meet during general debate of the sessions of the House on September 17 and 18. **Page 17210**

Consent Calendar: The Consent Calendar consisting of three bills was called and the bills thereon were passed over without prejudice. **Pages 17212–17213**

Private Calendar: H.R. 4505, a private bill conferring jurisdiction on Court of Claims to entertain, hear, and determine a motion for new trial on the claim of Robert Alexander, was passed without amendment.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1277, 2300, 2706, 2728, and 5145.

Further call of the calendar was dispensed with after item 210. **Page 17213**

Suspension Passages: By voice votes the House suspended the rules and passed the following three bills:

Military mortgages: S. 1952, relating to acquiring Government-insured mortgages on housing at NASA and AEC installations (cleared for President).

Pages 17213–17215

Railroad retirement: H.R. 8100, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937, the Railroad Retirement Tax Act, the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act, and the Temporary Extended Railroad Unemployment Insurance Benefits Act of 1961 to increase the creditable and taxable compensation (sent to the Senate without amendment). **Pages 17215–17220**

Veterans' hospitalization: H.R. 8009, to provide certain veterans with urgently needed nursing home care and nursing care facilities while reducing the cost to the United States of caring for such veterans (amended and sent to the Senate). **Pages 17220–17238**

Fallout Shelter Construction: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 8200, to further amend the Federal Civil Defense Act of 1950, as amended, to provide for shelter in Federal structures and to authorize payment toward the construction or modification of approved public shelter space. A recommittal motion designed to delete section 207 of the bill, providing for shelter financing, was rejected by a division vote of 67 yeas to 172 nays. The same language had been rejected earlier when offered as an amendment.

One amendment was adopted to permit usage of Federal Civil Defense Agency facilities and equipment by State and local agencies in event of disasters.

Also rejected two amendments that sought to prevent discrimination in use of shelters, and to require a balanced Federal budget before the authorization becomes effective.

H. Res. 512, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 17238–17280

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:13 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILK MARKETING

Committee on Agriculture: Dairy Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 7261, 7120, and 8357, related bills, regarding milk marketing adjustments. Heard testimony from Representative Stratton; and Charles S. Murphy, Under Secretary of Agriculture.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Johnson of Wisconsin, Hagen of California, and McFall. Hearings continue Wednesday, September 18.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.J. Res. 724

(amended), to increase by $75 million the authorization for direct loans for housing for the elderly.

NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on H.R. 6061, to extend the National Defense Education Act. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, September 18.

DATA PROCESSING CENTER

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee held a hearing on a National Research Data Processing and Information Retrieval Center, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

AGED—AGING

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 7957, the Older Americans Act. Heard testimony from Representative Fogarty; and Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on legislation to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

MISSOURI RIVER BASIN

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation heard testimony from public witnesses on H.R. 8171, to reauthorize the Riverton extension unit, Missouri River Basin project, to include all the Riverton reclamation project except the Muddy Ridge area; and H.R. 5836, to furnish water for irrigation of lands in the third division, Riverton reclamation project, Wyoming. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TOLL BRIDGE COMMISSION—DELAWARE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6199, to grant the consent of Congress to a supplemental compact between Pennsylvania and New Jersey concerning the Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission.

ANIMAL DRUGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety held a hearing on H.R. 7247, and related bills, to amend the Food and Drug Act, regarding a separate section on animal drugs. Heard testimony from Representatives Nelsen and Hull; and George P. Larrick, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on legislation pertaining to civil rights.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 2834, to amend chapter 35 of title 18, U.S. Code, with respect to the escape or attempted escape of juvenile delinquents; H.R. 7553, provisions regarding appeals taken to the U.S. Court of Customs and Patent Appeals; H.R. 7508, to provide that, when a district court or the Court of Claims refers a question to the Interstate Commerce Commission for determination, such court shall have exclusive jurisdiction of all actions pursuant to the Commission's order; and H.R. 7912, to amend, in order to clarify, the provisions of law authorizing the commitment of a defendant to the custody of the Attorney General for a study after conviction. Heard testimony from Government witnesses.

FEDERAL PAY INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on Federal salary increase legislation. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

RIVERS—HARBORS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5244 (amended), to modify the project on the Mississippi River at Muscatine, Iowa, to permit the use of certain property for public parks purposes; S. 1936, to provide that the operation of the Mount Hope Bay Bridge shall be subject to Rhode Island law, if title to the bridge ever rests in that State; S. 453, to change the name of the Memphis lock and dam on the Tombigbee River to the Aliceville lock and dam; and H.R. 6001 (amended), to convey to Waukegan Port District, Illinois, certain real property of the U.S.; 9 navigation resolutions; and 6 beach erosion resolutions.

Prior to the executive session held an open hearing on H.R. 5244; S. 1936, H.R. 7769 and 7781 (similar bills); S. 453; and H.R. 6001 (titles above). Heard testimony from Representative McClory (H.R. 6001); and Corps of Engineers officials (all measures).

A statement was presented for the record by Representative St Germain (S. 1936; H.R. 7769 and 7781).

Wednesday, September 18, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate reached agreement limiting debate and fixing time of voting on Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17348–17387

Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2151–2154. **Page 17350**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.J. Res. 192, relating to the validity of certain rice acreage allotments for 1962 and prior crop years (S. Rept. 503). **Page 17350**

Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 17426**

Agriculture Appropriations: Senator Lausche submitted notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies. **Page 17353**

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Thursday and Friday, September 19 and 20. **Page 17426**

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate debated question of adoption of resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), reaching unanimous-consent agreement to limit debate thereon as follows:

Effective on Monday, September 23, at conclusion of routine morning business during the further consideration of the treaty, debate on any amendment or preamble to the resolution of ratification, motion, or appeal (except motion to table) shall be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; no nongermane amendment shall be received (but every reservation and understanding already printed shall be considered germane); on question of final agreement to the resolution of ratification, debate shall be limited to 6 hours, equally divided; a final vote on adoption of the resolution shall be taken at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, September 24; and the Senate shall convene at 10 a.m. on Monday, September 23, and at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, September 24. **Pages 17352, 17387–17437**

Nominations: Nomination of Brig. Gen. Walter P. Leber, U.S. Army, to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission, and one Navy nomination, were received. **Page 17450**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of George Mehren, of California, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Committee also approved H.J. Res. 192, relating to the validity of certain rice acreage allotments for 1962 and prior crop years.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and the Judiciary, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from George Jaszi, Office of Business Economics, and Voit Gilmore, Director, U.S. Travel Service, both of the Department of Commerce.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MORTGAGES

Committee on Banking and Currency: The Housing Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 810, authorizing the chartering of organizations to insure conventional mortgage loans; S. 811, proposed Home Mortgage Corporation Act; and S. 2130, to empower Federal National Mortgage Association to deal in conventional mortgages. Witnesses heard were Richard C. Farrer, National Association of Real Estate Boards; M. Monroe Kimbrel, president, American Bankers Association, who was accompanied by his associates; Rex Baker, National League of Insured Savings Association; David Krooth, National Housing Conference; and William E. Hood, president, National Paint, Varnish & Lacquer Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.S. MISSIONS ABROAD

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations resumed, in executive session, its hearings on the role and problems of U.S. ambassadors and U.S. missions abroad, having as its witness Ambassador to Great Britain David K. E. Bruce.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 8484–8493; 5 private bills, H.R. 8494–8498; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 743 and 744, H. Con. Res. 216, and H. Res. 522 and 523, were introduced. **Page 17348**

The House met briefly but transacted no legislative business.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILK MARKETING

Committee on Agriculture: The Dairy Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 7261, and related bills, regarding milk marketing adjustments. Heard testimony from Senator McCarthy; and public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session on Navy research and development programs. Heard testimony from James H. Wakelin, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research and Development. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

HOUSING—COMMEMORATIVE MEDALS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.J. Res. 724 (amended), to increase by $75 million the authorization for direct loans for housing for the elderly;

S. 1125, to strike commemorative medal for centennial of Nevada statehood;

H.R. 3488, regarding striking of commemorative medal for sesquicentennial of Indiana statehood;

S. 743, to commemorate 250th anniversary of birth of Padre Junipero Serra;

S. 879, to strike medal to commemorate sesquicentennial of Battle of Lake Erie; and

H.R. 7193, to authorize striking of commemorative medal for 50th anniversary of founding of First Union Health Center in the U.S. by the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union.

NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on H.R. 6061, to extend the National Defense Education Act. No announcements were made.

COAL MINE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 23, to amend the Federal Coal Mine Safety Act. Heard testimony from John F. O'Leary, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Interior; and public witnesses.

AGED—AGING

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 7957, the Older Americans Act. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on legislation to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act, and heard testimony from William C. Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

ANIMAL DRUGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety continued hearings on H.R. 7247, and related bills, to amend the Food and Drug Act, regarding a separate section on animal drugs. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, September 19.

BROADCAST EDITORIALIZING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power resumed hearings on broadcast editorializing. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

AIRCRAFT CONVEYANCE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2522 (a clean bill to be introduced), to amend the Federal Aviation Act to provide that a conveyance of an aircraft or interest therein which is valid where it is made shall be valid after recordation throughout the U.S. as against all creditors and future purchasers.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on legislation pertaining to civil rights.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7601 (amended), to provide for full settlement of claims against the U.S. by the city of Winslow, Ariz., for paving of streets adjacent to U.S. Government property known as Emmons Dormitory. Took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

FEDERAL PAY INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on Federal pay increase legislation. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

BEACH EROSION BOARD

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 1523 (amended), to make certain changes in functions of the Beach Erosion Board and Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors.

Prior to executive action on the measure, heard testimony from Chief Technical Adviser, Beach Erosion Board, Department of the Army.

REVENUE ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule, with 8 hours of debate, waiving points of order against, with a motion to recommit, on H.R. 8363, the Revenue Act of 1963.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Mills and Byrnes of Wisconsin.

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Thursday, September 19, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.
House eulogized the late Representative Gavin.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17454–17501

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2155–2159. **Page 17455**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Con. Res. 1, to establish a Joint Committee on the Organization of Congress, with amendment, and with individual and supplemental views (S. Rept. 504);

S. Res. 78, to permit former Presidents of the United States to have the privilege of speaking on the floor of the Senate, with amendments (S. Rept. 505);

S. Res. 111, to amend Senate rule XXV so as to permit committees to meet while the Senate is in session until the end of the morning hour, with individual views (S. Rept. 506);

S. Res. 89, to amend Senate rule VIII so as to require that 3 hours each day the debate on the floor of the Senate be germane to the pending business, with amendments and with individual views (S. Rept. 507);

H.R. 772, to permit the city of Detroit to transfer land purchased for low-rent housing to urban renewal purposes (S. Rept. 508); and

H.R. 4842, extending time for holding annual meetings under the Federal Credit Union Act (S. Rept. 509). **Pages 17454–17455**

Committee Assignment: It was announced on behalf of the Vice President that Senator Mechem has been appointed to be a member of the Joint Committee on Navajo-Hopi Indian Administration. **Page 17462**

Mental Health: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 1576, Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hill, Yarborough, Williams of New Jersey, Pell, Javits, and Tower. **Pages 17492–17498**

Authority To Meet: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Friday, September 20. **Page 17564**

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate debated question of adoption of resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

Confirmation: Nomination of George L. Mehren, of California, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation, was confirmed. **Page 17566**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MORTGAGES

Committee on Banking and Currency: The Housing Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 810, author-

izing the chartering of organizations to insure conventional mortgage loans; S. 811, proposed Home Mortgage Corporation Act; and S. 2130, to empower Federal National Mortgage Association to deal in conventional mortgages, after receiving testimony from Mr. W. C. Warman, U.S. Savings & Loan League, who was accompanied by his associates; Samuel Neel, Mortgage Bankers Association; Norman P. Mason, a housing consultant; and Hobart C. Carr, school of commerce, New York University.

EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower held hearings to receive testimony on economic projections and employment prospects, having as its witnesses Dr. Leon H. Keyserling, president, Conference on Economic Progress; Otto Eckstein, professor, department of economics, Harvard University; and Dr. Sidney Sonenblum, director, Center for Economic Projections, National Planning Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 8499–8510; 6 private bills, H.R. 8511–8516; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 745–747, and H. Res. 524–527, were introduced.

Pages 17586–17587

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 724, to provide additional housing for the elderly, amended (H. Rept. 754);

H. Res. 527, closed rule waiving points of order against and providing for 8 hours of debate on H.R. 8363, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to reduce individual and corporate income taxes and to make certain structural changes with respect to the income tax (H. Rept. 755).

H. Res. 510, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on the Judiciary (H. Rept. 756);

H. Res. 514, granting additional travel authority to the Committee on Agriculture (H. Rept. 757); and

H. Res. 515, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries (H. Rept. 758). **Page 17586**

Gavin Eulogies: Heard many Members speak in tribute to the life, character, and public service of the late Representative Leon H. Gavin, of the 23d Congressional District of Pennsylvania. **Pages 17567–17575**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of September 25. **Page 17575**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 8130, to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Junior and Senior Reserve Officers' Training Corps. Heard testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower, Department of the Army.

NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on H.R. 6061, to extend the National Defense Education Act. No announcements were made.

COAL MINE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 23, and related measures, to amend the Federal Coal Mine Safety Act. Heard testimony from Representative Jennings; and public witnesses.

DATA PROCESSING

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee continued hearings on a National Research Data Processing and Information Retrieval Center. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

AGED—AGING

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 7957, the Older Americans Act. Heard testimony from Representative Bennett of Florida; and public witnesses.

VIETNAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information met in executive session to discuss a report on Vietnam information problems. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 7123 and S. 912, bills approving an agreement entered into by the Navajo Tribe relating to oil and gas leases; H.R. 3735, to set aside certain land in Montana for the Indians of the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation, Mont.; and H.R. 5837, regarding certain Indian lands on the Yakima Indian Reservation.

Heard testimony from Department of Interior witnesses (all measures).

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Olsen of Montana (H.R. 3735); and May (H.R. 5837).

Discussed proposed subcommittee resolution regarding use of tribal judgment funds to pay attorney fees.

BROADCAST EDITORIALIZING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on broadcast editorializing, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

ANIMAL DRUGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety continued hearings on H.R. 7247, and related bills, to amend the Food and Drug Act, regarding a separate section on animal drugs. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on S. 1828, H.J. Res. 546, 547, 548, and 549, measures to establish the Battle of Lake Erie Sesquicentennial Commission so as to authorize an appropriation to carry out the provisions therefor. Heard testimony from Representatives Ashley, McCulloch, and Latta. Representative Rivers of Alaska testified on S. 49 and H.R. 2159, to establish a three-member Alaska Centennial Commission.

ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY—NAVIGATION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors held a hearing on H.R. 2123, S. 530, and related bills, to provide for an investigation and study of means of making the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Seaway available for navigation during the entire year. Heard testimony from Representatives Ashley and Feighan.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Reuss, Rostenkowski, and Vanik; and a Corps of Engineers official.

SOVIET DEFECTOR

Committee on Un-American Activities: Heard testimony from Vladislaw Stepanovich Tarasov, a defector from the Soviet Union.

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Friday, September 20, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17591–17605

Bill Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2160–2161; and S.J. Res. 120. Page 17593

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 8100, to amend in several regards the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937, and related acts (S. Rept. 510). Pages 17592–17593

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries of the Committee on Commerce was authorized to meet Monday, September 23, while Senate is in session. Page 17591

Agriculture Appropriations: Senator Mundt submitted notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies. Pages 17594–17595

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate debated question of adoption of resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

The unanimous-consent agreement limiting debate and providing for voting on the treaty, adopted on Wednesday, September 18, was supplemented by agreement that the preamble to be offered by Senator Russell may be considered on Monday, September 23, after all reservations, understandings, and amendments have been disposed of. Pages 17605–17622, 17628–17651

Nominations: Numerous Marine Corps nominations were received. Pages 17651–17652

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, with testimony from Commissioners Walter N. Tobriner and John B. Duncan, Engineer Commissioner Brig. Gen. Charles M. Duke, Director of General Administration Schuyler Lowe, and other D.C. officials.

Hearings continue on Monday, September 23.

EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings, with testimony on employment impact of automation from Charles C. Killingsworth, professor of labor and industrial relations, Michigan State University; and John Diebold, the Diebold Group, Inc., management consultants, New York City.

Hearings continue on Thursday, September 26.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT FINANCES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 8100, to amend in several regards the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937, and related acts.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, September 23, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 8130, to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Junior and Senior Reserve Officers' Training Corps. Heard testimony from Stephen Ailes, Under Secretary of the Army.

NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on H.R. 6061, to extend the National Defense Education Act. No announcements were made.

COAL MINE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 23, to amend the Federal Coal Mine Safety Act. Heard testimony from a public witness.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 7434 and H.R. 8266, identical bills, regarding adult Indian vocational training; H.R. 6694, to provide nurses' training for 3-year periods for Indians; H.R. 8027, to fix the beneficial ownership of the Colorado River Indian Reservation located in the States of Arizona and California in the Colorado River Indian Tribes; H.R. 6463, and related bills, the Navajo-Ute Boundary Dispute Act; H.R. 2173, to amend certain requirements for the preparation of a membership roll of the Indians of the Yakima Reservation; and H.R. 5002, to change the leasing provisions of the Indian Long-Term Leasing Act. Heard testimony from Department of Interior officials; and a public witness.

BROADCAST EDITORIALIZING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on broadcast editorializing, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

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Monday, September 23, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on Nuclear Test Ban Treaty, rejecting any change except as to the preamble.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17772–17811

Bills Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2162–2166; and S. Res. 201.

Pages 17773–17774

Military Pay: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services, agreed to hold conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Russell, Cannon, Ervin, and Saltonstall.

Page 17710

Photograph of Senate: Senate adopted S. Res. 201, granting request by the U.S. Capitol Historical Society for permission to make a photograph of the Senate in session. Page 17775

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: Senate continued its consideration of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), taking the following actions on resolution of ratification thereof:

Adopted: By 79 yeas to 9 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Russell amendment providing for addition of a preamble stating that amendments to treaties are subject to the constitutional provision that the President has power, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to make treaties, provided that two-thirds of the Senators present concur (after rejecting by 8 yeas to 79 nays, Javits motion to table this amendment); and

Rejected: By 17 yeas to 75 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Goldwater reservation providing that the resolution shall not become effective until U.S.S.R. has removed its military base from Cuba, confirmed by U.N. after inspection within Cuba; by 11 yeas to 82 nays, Tower reservation that the treaty shall not become effective until all assessments upon U.S.S.R. for financing for peace and security operations of the U.N. have been paid; and by 16 yeas to 76 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tower reservation providing that the treaty shall not become effective until it has been revised by the original parties so as to provide for an adequate system of onsite inspections to detect any violation.

Mansfield motion was adopted by 61 yeas to 33 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) to table Tower understanding (for Senator Long of Louisiana) to assure that the treaty does not bar use of nuclear weapons in armed conflict (as modified by Holland amendment thereto). This action in effect rejected the understanding. Also adopted was Mansfield motion to table Miller amendment (to Russell preamble) providing that after ratification of this treaty by the *Presidium of the Supreme* Soviet, the Secretary of the Senate shall return the Senate resolution of ratification to the President for appropriate action. This action in effect rejected the Miller amendment to the preamble. Pages 17707–17771

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, with testimony in behalf of funds for D.C. schools from Dr. Carl F. Hansen, Superintendent of Schools, and Wesley S. Williams, President, Board of Education, both of the D.C. government.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: The Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee held hearings on the following bills:

S. 2100, continuing authority of Secretary of Commerce to suspend certain provisions of the Merchant Marine Act with respect to the transportation of lumber, with testimony from Senator Neuberger; Dave James, Simpson Timber Co., Seattle; Leonard B. Netzorg, Western Forest Industries Association, Portland, Oreg.; Joseph P. Adams, representing the port of Seattle; Gene W. Sibold, representing the port of Olympia; Henry E. Soike, representing the port of Gray's Harbor, Aberdeen, Wash.; James Johnson, representing the port of Coos Bay, Oreg.; Ernest Park, Brightwood Lumber Co., Arcata, Calif.; E. O. Thompson, West Coast Lumberman's Association; Alvin Shapiro, American Merchant Marine Institute, Inc.; John N. Thurman, Pacific American Steamship Association; and Richard W. Kurrus, American Tramp Shipowners' Association;

H.R. 75, to provide for exceptions to the rules of navigation with respect to operating beneath bridges, with testimony from Capt. Charles P. Murphy, Office of Merchant Marine Safety, U.S. Coast Guard; Sylvester Ridge, Bureau of Public Roads, Department of Commerce; and Henry J. Donohue, American Waterways Operators, Inc.; and

S. 1698, extending for 1 year the time for commitment of construction reserve funds under the Merchant Marine Act, with testimony from H. J. Coyle, American-Hawaiian Steamship Co., New York City.

NOMINATION, AND HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of John A. Gronouski, of Wisconsin, to be Postmaster General, prior to which action, in open session, favoring testimony was received from Senators Proxmire and Nelson. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Following the full committee meeting, Subcommittee on Health Benefits and Life Insurance approved for full committee consideration with reservations S. 1561, making certain clarifying amendments in the Federal Employees' Health Benefits Act.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 8517–8527; 6 private bills, H.R. 8528–8533; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 748–751, and H. Res. 528, were introduced.

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative John E. Moss to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Labor-HEW Appropriations: The House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 5888, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, for fiscal year 1964; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Fogarty, Denton, Cannon, Laird, and Michel.

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Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Committee on the Judiciary was authorized to sit during general debate of the House sessions for the balance of the week.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on financial institutions' investment freedoms. Heard testimony from James J. Saxon, Comptroller of the Currency. Hearings continue Tuesday, September 24.

NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session to continue on H.R. 6061, to extend the National Defense Education Act. No announcements were made. Recessed until Tuesday, September 24.

SAFETY LATCHES—REFRIGERATORS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety met to receive a progress report on the operation of P.L. 84–930, regarding safety latches on refrigerators. Heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on legislation pertaining to civil rights.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution in small business (regarding phonograph records), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

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Tuesday, September 24, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate ratified Nuclear Test Ban Treaty by vote of 80 to 19, passed Defense appropriations by unanimous vote of 77 yeas, and took up Agriculture appropriations.

House debated income tax reduction bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17821–17830

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2167–2173; S.J. Res. 121; and S. Res. 202.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1287, 1838, 1881, H.R. 1280, 3648, 2303, 3762, 4075, 7022, S. 1096, 1341, and 1488, private bills (S. Repts. 511–522);

S. 927, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to remove certain limitations concerning war risk insurance, with individual views (S. Rept. 523); and

Report of Committee on Commerce on problems of the domestic textile industry, with supplemental views (S. Rept. 524). **Page 17834**

Nuclear Test Ban Treaty: By 80 yeas to 19 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted resolution of ratification of Nuclear Test Ban Treaty (Ex. M, 88th Cong., 1st sess.). **Pages 17830–17832**

NATO Parliamentary Conference: Vice President appointed Senator Kuchel as an alternate delegate to the NATO Parliamentary Conference to be held in Paris November 4–9, 1963. **Page 17834**

Railroad Retirement: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) and cleared for President H.R. 8100, to amend in several regards the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937, and related acts, after rejecting Lausche amendment to strike out proviso setting a floor of 3 percent interest per annum on investments of the railroad retirement account in interest-bearing obligations of the U.S. **Pages 17861–17864**

Defense Appropriations: By unanimous vote of 77 yeas, Senate passed with amendments H.R. 7179, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc which were thereafter considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; and Russell amendment to reduce by $31.7 million funds for procurement of equipment and missiles, Army; and

Rejected: By 43 yeas to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Saltonstall amendment to reduce appropriations for procurement by 1 percent; by 2 yeas to 74 nays, McGovern amendment to reduce by 10 percent each appropriation in titles III and IV of the bill (procurement, research, development, tests, and evaluation) and authorizing adjustments and transfers between such appropriations; and by 5 yeas to 72 nays, Proxmire amendment to reduce by $60 million funds for research, development, tests, and evaluation, Air Force.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference, and appointed as conferees Senators Russell, Hayden, Hill, McClellan, Ellender, Byrd of Virginia, Saltonstall, Young of North Dakota, and Smith. **Pages 17865–17894**

German Foreign Minister: Foreign Minister Gerhard Schroeder, of West Germany, visited the Senate and was greeted by Senators. **Page 17865**

Agriculture Appropriations: H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, was made Senate's unfinished business.

Senator Javits filed two notices of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing amendments to this bill. **Pages 17841–17842, 17894**

Confirmation: The nomination of John A. Gronouski, of Wisconsin, to be Postmaster General, was confirmed. **Page 17899**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Schuyler Lowe, Director, Department of General Administration, and other officials of the D.C. government.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Abraham L. Marovitz, to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of Illinois; Walter E. Craig, to be U.S. district judge for the district of Arizona; Edward D. Re, of New York, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; and Thomas J. Donegan, of New York, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board.

The committee also approved 12 private immigration bills (S. 1096, 1287, 1341, 1488, 1838, 1881, H.R. 1280, 2303, 3648, 3762, 4075, and 7022).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 8534–8548; 8 private bills, H.R. 8549–8556; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 752–754, and H. Res. 529, were introduced. **Pages 17946–17947**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 1994, waiving the normal 6-month waiting period for disposal from national stockpile of certain waterfowl feathers (H. Rept. 759);

S. 812, to release restrictions and reservations on certain real property heretofore conveyed to the State of Arkansas by the U.S. (H. Rept. 760);

H.R. 384, regarding retirement in highest grade satisfactorily held in any armed force, amended (H. Rept. 761);

H.R. 8265, regarding adjustment of U.S. legislative jurisdiction over lands within Iowa Ordnance Plant Reservation, Iowa, amended (H. Rept. 762);

H.R. 8427, improved retirement and disability system for certain employees of the Central Intelligence Agency (H. Rept. 763);

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 764); and

H.R. 904, to prohibit trading in Irish potato futures on commodity exchanges (H. Rept. 765). Page 17946

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Albert to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page 17899

Revenue: By a record vote of 324 yeas to 67 nays the House adopted H. Res. 527, the closed rule providing for the consideration of and 8 hours of debate on H.R. 8363, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to reduce individual and corporate income taxes and to make certain structural changes with respect to the income tax.

After consuming 3 hours and 20 minutes of the time allotted for general debate the House deferred further consideration of the legislation to Wednesday. Pages 17900–17936

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 384 (amended), to provide that members of the Armed Forces shall be retired in the highest grade satisfactorily held in any armed force;

H.R. 8427, to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System for a limited number of employees;

S. 812, to provide for the release of restrictions and reservations on certain portions of Camp Joseph T. Robinson;

S. 1994, to authorize the disposal of the surplus waterfowl feathers and down now held in the national stockpile; and

H.R. 8265 (amended), to adjust the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over lands within the Iowa Ordnance Plant Reservation, Iowa.

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on financial institutions' investment freedoms. Heard testimony from William McChesney Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System. Hearings continue Wednesday, September 25.

D.C. URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 628 (amended), the D.C. Redevelopment Act amendments.

WHITE COLLAR WORKERS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session for a discussion with Clarence Lundquist, Administrator, Wage and Hour Division, Department of Labor, on the proposed "white collar" regulations under the Fair Labor Standards Act.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on S. 777, the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency authorization bill.

FAR EAST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing by Roger Hilsman, Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs.

INTERIOR-INSULAR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 5945 (amended), to establish a procedure for the prompt settlement, in a democratic manner, of the political status of Puerto Rico;

H.R. 6756 (amended), to revise the boundaries of the Mesa Verde National Park, Colo.; and

H.R. 4018 (amended), to authorize the establishment of the St. Gaudens National Historic Site, N.H.

Considered H.R. 3846, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people. No final action was taken.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on legislation pertaining to civil rights.

FEDERAL PAY INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on Federal salary increase legislation, and heard testimony from Representatives Miller of California, Halpern, Fulton of Pennsylvania, Fino, Ryan of New York, Green of Pennsylvania, Multer, Farbstein, Healey, Gilbert, Dent, Lindsay, O'Neill, and Toll; a departmental official; and a public witness.

AREA REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on S. 1163, the area redevelopment bill. Heard testimony from Representatives Patman and Rains.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Wednesday, September 25, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated Agriculture appropriations and passed five sundry measures.

Income tax reduction bill passed by House.

Conferees reached agreement on military pay bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17952–17992

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2174–2181; and S. Res. 203–204. **Page 17953**

Sundry Measures Passed: Senate passed, in the manner indicated, five sundry measures as follows:

Juvenile delinquency: S. 1967, extending until 1967 the Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Offenses Control Act (without amendment and motion to reconsider tabled);

Veterans' widows: H.R. 5250, to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to widows of veterans who died from service-connected disabilities (without amendment and cleared for President);

"Bourbon whiskey": S. Con. Res. 19, to designate "Bourbon whiskey" as a distinctive product of the U.S. (without amendment and motion to reconsider tabled);

Communications: S. 1005, to give the FCC additional authority to grant specific temporary authorizations for 60 days for certain nonbroadcast operations (without amendment); and

Communications: S. 1193, requiring that petitions for intervention in hearings for a broadcasting license be filed with the FCC within 30 days after publication of the issues in the Federal Register (without amendment). **Pages 17993–17997**

Agriculture Appropriations: Senate debated H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies. **Pages 18000–18035**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Thomas James Donegan, of New York, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board; Edward D. Re, of New York, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; and two judicial. **Page 18043**

Nomination: One judicial nomination was received. **Page 18043**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SURPLUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

Committees on Agriculture and Forestry and Foreign Relations: Committees met informally in executive session to discuss the matter of the sale of surplus agricultural commodities abroad. Also participating in today's session were officials of the Departments of State, Commerce, and Agriculture.

It was announced that these committees will meet to discuss this matter further on Tuesday, October 1, at which time Secretary of Agriculture Freeman, Secretary of Commerce Hodges, and Under Secretary of State Ball will be present.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, with testimony from Representative Schwengel, and numerous public witnesses, on various items of the bill.

Subcommittee continued hearings in an evening session to hear officials of the D.C. government in connection with funds for the Fire Department, Civil Defense, Office of the Corporation Counsel, and for vocational rehabilitation.

Hearings continue tomorrow, to receive testimony from public witnesses.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary held hearings on the following four bills:

S. 854 and H.R. 4276, providing for the creation of horizontal property regimes in the D.C., with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; Godfrey L. Munter, who was accompanied by W. V. Maki, both of the D.C. Bar Association; Charles H. Purcell, president, Washington Board of Realtors; and George Geiser, representing the Metropolitan Washington Board of Trade;

H.R. 3190, allowing property in the D.C. to be bequeathed to a trustee under or in accordance with terms of an existing trust, with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer; and Richard Mayfield, D.C. Bar Association;

H.R. 682, to permit the appointment of new trustees in deeds of trust in the D.C. by agreement of the parties, with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer; and Godfrey Munter, who was accompanied by Nathaniel Goldberg, both of the D.C. Bar Association;

S. 1403 and H.R. 7440, revising criteria relating to commitment, maintenance, and discharge of mentally retarded persons in Forest Haven institution in the D.C., with testimony from Miss Winifred Thompson, Administrator, Children's Center, D.C. Training School, who was accompanied by Thomas F. Moyer.

Subcommittee announced that the record would remain open until October 5 for the inclusion of additional written material.

TREATIES, AND NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported Consular Convention with Korea, signed at Seoul on January 8, 1963 (Ex. B, 88th Cong., 1st sess.); Consular Convention with Japan, signed at Tokyo on March 22, 1963 (Ex. I, 88th Cong., 1st sess.); protocol to amend the Convention on International Civil Aviation (Ex. D, 88th Cong., 1st sess.); and the following three Extradition Treaties: (*a*) with Sweden, together with a related protocol (Ex. E, 87th Cong., 2d sess.), (*b*) with Israel (Ex. E, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), and (*c*) protocol to amend Treaty with Brazil (Ex. F, 87th Cong., 2d sess.).

Committee also approved the nomination of Dwight J. Porter, of Nebraska, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Committee also discussed, but took no action on, S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964.

Prior to this executive action, committee heard Leonard C. Meeker, Deputy Legal Adviser, Department of State, testify in connection with the above-mentioned treaties.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations began a series of hearings into illegal traffic in narcotics and organized crime, having as its witnesses Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy; and Michael J. Murphy, police commissioner, Leonard Reisman, deputy chief commissioner, and John Schanley, deputy chief inspector, all of the New York City Police Department.

Hearings continue on Friday, September 27.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee consideration with an amendment in the nature of a substitute S. 1718, to amend the law with respect to trade with the Indians; and with amendments S. 1565, authorizing the sale of timber on Indian lands in accordance with the principles of sustained yield.

Prior to this action, subcommittee received testimony on S. 1718 from Graham E. Holmes, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; and on S. 1565 from John Cragun, an attorney representing several Indian tribes.

Subcommittee held an additional hearing on H.R. 2635, to include the Fort Mojave Indian Reservation among reservations excepted from the 25-year lease limitation, receiving testimony from Raymond Simpson, representing the Fort Mojave Indians.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1243, changing the name of the Tennessee, Andrew Johnson National Monument, to the Andrew Johnson National Historic Site, prior to which action testimony thereon was received from Senator Walters; and Elbert Cox and Frank Harrison, both of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee also held hearings on S. 1909, establishing the Sesquicentennial Commission for the Celebration of the Battle of New Orleans, with testimony from Messrs. Cox and Harrison; and Gen. Edward Bres, Chairman, Sesquicentennial Memorial Commission for the Celebration of the Battle of New Orleans. Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for assistance in improving vocational education programs (with amendments); H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act (with an amendment in the nature of a substitute); S. 569, authorizing cancellation of certain loans under the National Defense Education Act; and an original bill entitled "Library Services and Construction Act of 1963."

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 649, establishing within the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 8557–8591; 7 private bills, H.R. 8592–8598; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 755, and H. Res. 530–536, were introduced. Pages 18120, 18131–18132

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3488, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the statehood of the State of Indiana (H. Rept. 766);

H.R. 7193, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of the Founding of the First Union Health Center in the United States by the International Ladies' Garment Workers Union, amended (H. Rept. 767);

S. 743, to furnish to the Padre Junipero Serra 250th Anniversary Association medals in commemoration of the 250th anniversary of his death (H. Rept. 768);

S. 879, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the building of Perry's Fleet and the Battle of Lake Erie (H. Rept. 769);

S. 1125, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the admission of Nevada to statehood (H. Rept. 770);

H.R. 1959, regarding payment of transportation of private vehicles of Government employees in Alaska, amended (H. Rept. 771);

H.R. 4460, regarding travel expenses of student trainees when assigned to Government positions (H. Rept. 772);

Conference report on H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services (H. Rept. 773); and

Conference report on H.R. 5888, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 774). Page 18131

Revenue: By a record vote of 271 yeas to 155 nays the House passed H.R. 8363, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to reduce individual and corporate income taxes and to make certain structural changes with respect to the income tax.

Earlier a recommittal motion, designed to limit Federal expenditures for fiscal year 1964 to $97 billion and for fiscal year 1965 to $98 billion, had been rejected by a record vote of 199 yeas to 226 nays.

Adopted several committee amendments to correct typographical errors.

The bill over a 2-year period is expected to reduce tax liabilities by $11.1 billion. Pages 18044–18119

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 534, electing Representative Schweiker to membership on the Committee on Armed Services. Page 18120

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:43 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on financial institutions' investment freedoms. Heard testimony from Joseph G. McMurray, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board. Hearings continue Thursday, September 26.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for a hearing on S. 777, the Arms Control and Disarmament Act authorization bill. Heard testimony from Paul H. Nitze, Assistant Secretary of Defense, International Security Affairs; and Arthur W. Barber, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, International Security Affairs (Arms Control). Recessed until Thursday, September 26.

GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S. 876, to authorize the Administrator of General Services to convey certain land in Prince Georges County, Md., to the American National Red Cross;

H.R. 3368 (amended), a private bill;

H.R. 4801, to empower the General Services Administrator to certify to facts and to make administrative determinations on the basis of records transferred to him;

H.R. 4460, to permit payment of travel expenses for student trainees who have been assigned to Federal positions for which there is a manpower shortage; and

H.R. 1959 (amended), to authorize the transportation of privately owned motor vehicles of Government employees assigned to duty in Alaska.

Approved a report entitled "U.S. Information Problems in Vietnam."

Passed over without prejudice H.R. 5929, to authorize payment of travel expenses for individuals who are invited by a department to visit it for purposes of future employment.

LAKE O'MAHONEY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House S.J. Res. 17 (amended), designating the lake to be formed by the waters impounded by the Flaming Gorge Dam, Utah, in the States of Wyoming and Utah, as Lake O'Mahoney.

Considered H.R. 3846, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people. No final action was taken.

FEDERAL AVIATION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8521, to amend title V of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to provide that the validity of an instrument the recording of which is provided for by such act shall be governed by the laws of the place in which such instrument is delivered.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony on several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on legislation pertaining to civil rights.

QUALITY STABILIZATION

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H.R. 3669, the quality stabilization bill. Heard testimony from Representative Harris. No final action was taken.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare.

MILITARY PAY

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services. As agreed by the conferees: (1) the provisions of this bill would require an additional $1.2 billion for payment of military personnel salaries, (2) effective date of the bill would be October 1, 1963, and (3) the new pay scales would be applicable to all persons whose retirement began on April 1, 1963, or later.

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Thursday, September 26, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate adopted conference reports on Labor-HEW appropriations and on military pay, and worked on Agriculture appropriations.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18180–18221, 18273–18274

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2182–2186. **Pages 18181, 18273**

Communication From President: Communication from President transmitting an amendment to the budget for fiscal year 1964 in the amount of $804,000 for the District of Columbia, with an accompanying paper, was received, referred to Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 37. **Page 18180**

Military Pay: By unanimous vote of 79 yeas, Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 5555, increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services. **Pages 18224–18227**

Labor-HEW Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on and cleared for President H.R. 5888, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare. In this connection, Senate agreed to House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 8 (restricting availability of funds granted to States, Bureau of Employment Security), 12 (Office of Labor-Management Relations Services), 21 (funds for expansion of teaching in education of deaf), and 37 (earmarking funds for study of Ohio River Basin), and 56 (funds for a study of education of deaf).

Pages 18265–18268

Agriculture Appropriations: Senate considered H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, taking the following actions on amendments:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc which were thereafter considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; Aiken amendment to increase by $1 million funds for resources, conservation, and development, Soil Conservation Service; and Ribicoff amendment to provide $5 million for study of effects of use of pesticides.

By 16 yeas to 57 nays, Senate rejected Lausche motion to suspend rules for purpose of proposing amendment to limit interest rate on REA loans to 3 percent instead of 2 percent (after this amendment had been ruled out of order as legislation on an appropriation bill).

By 46 yeas to 22 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted Humphrey motion to table Javits amendment to bar funds for payments and expenses, Federal Extension Service (land-grant colleges and 4–H clubs in States where segregation is practiced, in effect rejecting this amendment).

Unanimous-consent agreement was entered that on further consideration of this bill starting on Monday, September 30, at conclusion of routine morning business, debate on Mundt amendment No. 197 (authorizing extension until December 31, 1965, of certain conservation reserve contracts scheduled to expire in 1963 or 1964) shall be limited to 3 hours, equally divided; that no amendment that is not germane to this amendment may be received; that on question of final passage of bill, debate shall be limited to 30 minutes, equally divided; and that at conclusion of debate on Mundt amendment yea-and-nay vote shall be taken thereon, after which a third reading of the bill shall be had.

Pages 18221, 18227–18228, 18230–18254, 18256–18260, 18262–18265, 18269–18270

Confirmation: The nomination of Dwight J. Porter, of Nebraska, to be an Assistant Secretary of State, was confirmed. **Page 18274**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, having as it witnesses Commissioners Walter N. Tobriner and John B. Duncan, Donald D. Brewer, Acting Director, Department of Public Welfare, and other officials of the D.C. government.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session with Teodoro Moscoso, Assistant Administrator for Latin America, AID, and Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, to discuss the current situation in the Dominican Republic.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued, in executive session, its hearings on illegal traffic in narcotics and organized crime, having as its witness Joseph Valachi, presently under life sentence for murder, and a former member of the organized crime network known as Cosa Nostra.

Hearings continue tomorrow in open session when this witness will continue testifying.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on manpower problems, receiving testimony on productivity trends and their impact on employment from the following witnesses: Harold Goldstein, Assistant Commissioner for Manpower and Employment Statistics, Leon Greenberg, Assistant Commissioner for Productivity and Technological Development, and Dr. Denis F. Johnston and Sophia Cooper, labor economists, all of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Commerce; and Dr. A. J. Jaffee, Bureau of Applied Social Research, Columbia University.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FARM EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Migratory Labor Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 527, proposed Voluntary Farm Employment Service Act, after receiving testimony from Fred Burrows, International Apple Association; Delmer Robinson, Jr., National Apple Institute and Frederick County Fruit Growers Association, Inc., Winchester, Va.; and Carroll Miller, West Virginia State Horticultural Society.

POSTMASTERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 178 postmaster nominations.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 45 public bills, H.R. 8599–8643; 6 private bills, H.R. 8644–8649; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 756–759, and H. Res. 537–539, were introduced. Pages 18179–18180

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 538, providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 6237, to authorize grants for the collection, reproduction, and publication of documentary source material significant to the history of the United States (H. Rept. 775);

H. Res. 539, providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 7044, regarding Corregidor-Bataan Memorial (H. Rept. 776);

H. Res. 535, to grant certain travel authority to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce (H. Rept. 777); and

H. Res. 536, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Agriculture (H. Rept. 778). Pages 18178–18179

Defense Department Appropriations: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 7179, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mahon, Sheppard, Cannon, Ford, and Ostertag. Page 18146

Alaska—Public Lands: H.R. 6118, to amend the act providing for the admission of the State of Alaska into the Union with respect to the selection of public lands for the development and expansion of communities, was cleared for the President by House concurrence in Senate amendments thereto. Page 18146

Housing for Elderly: Adopted a committee amendment and passed H.J. Res. 724, to provide additional housing for the elderly. Page 18146

Labor-HEW Appropriations: The House adopted the conference report on H.R. 5888, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies for fiscal year 1964, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Fourteen amendments were reported in disagreement, and on which the House voted to recede and concur in Senate amendments Nos. 7, 14, 20, 34, 38, 46, 58, 66, and 68. Senate amendments Nos. 8, 12, 21, 37, and 56, were concurred in with amendments by the House. Pages 18151–18153

Committee Travel: The House adopted H. Res. 510 and 515, which granted additional travel authority to the Committees on the Judiciary, and Merchant Marine and Fisheries, respectively. Pages 18153–18154

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 2. Page 18155

Bills Referred: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate House committees. Page 18178

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SKOPJE EARTHQUAKE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Foreign Agricultural Operations held a discussion with various departmental officials on the Skopje earthquake tragedy in Yugoslavia.

REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate and Construction met in executive session and took action on various pending military real estate projects. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session and heard testimony from Department of Navy officials regarding Navy research and development programs.

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on financial institutions' investment freedoms. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue hearings on S. 777, the Arms Control and Disarmament Act authorization bill. Heard testimony from Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Deputy Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

BATTLE OF LAKE ERIE—ALASKA CELEBRATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 1828 (amended), to authorize $25,000 for the Battle of Lake Erie Sesquicentennial Celebration Commission; and S. 49 (amended), to establish a three-member Alaska Centennial Commission appointed by the President to cooperate with the State of Alaska in a study of suitable U.S. participation in the 1967 Alaska centennial celebration.

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT—HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: **Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:**

H.R. 10 (amended), to extend the apportionment requirements in the Civil Service Act of 1883 to temporary summer employment; and

H.R. 7400, to amend the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act of 1959, to authorize the transfer of unused funds from the administrative expense reserve to the contingency reserves of the several health plans under such act.

The following Members were appointed to serve on the Subcommittee on H.R. 3539, to adjust the annuities of former Members of Congress: Representatives Morrison, chairman, Staggers, Beckworth, Corbett, and Wallhauser.

Deferred consideration of H.R. 7381, regarding dual employment and dual compensation.

RIVERS—HARBORS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S. 530 (amended), to provide for an investigation and study of means of making the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence Seaway available for navigation during the entire year;

H.R. 5244 (amended), to modify the project on the Mississippi River at Muscatine, Iowa, to permit the use of certain property for public park purposes;

S. 1936, to provide that the operation of the Mount Hope Bay Bridge shall be subject to Rhode Island law if title to the bridge ever rests in that State;

S. 453, to change the name of the Memphis lock and dam on the Tombigbee River to the Aliceville lock and dam; and

H.R. 6001 (amended), to authorize the Secretary of the Army to convey to the Waukegan Port District, Illinois, certain real property of the U.S.

Approved nine navigation resolutions and two beach erosion resolutions.

Prior to the full committee action S. 530 (amended, title above), was reported (in executive session) by the Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors.

FEDERAL PROPERTY

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 6237, to amend the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949.

Heard Representatives Dawson, Moorhead, and Wallhauser on the request for a rule.

CORREGIDOR-BATAAN

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 7044, regarding the Corregidor-Bataan Memorial Commission.

Representatives Selden, Mailliard, and Sikes were heard on the request for a rule.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H.R. 6041, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act. Heard testimony from Representatives Roosevelt, Griffin, and Goodell. No final action was taken.

SURPLUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

Committees on Agriculture and Foreign Affairs: The committees held a joint meeting regarding proposed changes in policies for exportation of surplus agricultural commodities to the Soviet bloc. Heard testimony from Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; and Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Commerce.

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Monday, September 30, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed Agriculture appropriations and took up legislation to extend Civil Rights Commission for 1 year.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18304–18341

Bills Introduced: Eight bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2187–2194. **Pages 18305–18306**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 1191, 1458, 1726, 2770, and 3219, private bills (S. Repts. 525–529);

S. 721, transferring Austin, Fort Bend, and Wharton Counties from the Galveston division to the Houston division of the Southern Judicial District of Texas (S. Rept. 530);

S. 1206, 1269, H.R. 1192, 1281, and 1459, private bills (S. Repts. 531–535);

H.R. 1709, establishing a Federal Commission to study possible uses of Alcatraz Island (S. Rept. 536);

H.R. 2256, 2751, 3450, 3843, 4965, 5307, 5811, 5812, 6373, and 6443, private bills (S. Repts. 537–546);

H.R. 2845, eliminating the statutory requirement that Federal district courts hold formal terms (S. Rept. 547); and

H.R. 2268, 6377, and S. 573, private bills (S. Repts. 548–550). **Page 18305**

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 18359**

Agriculture Appropriations: By 74 yeas to 5 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, after taking action on additional amendments thereto as follows:

Rejected: By 20 yeas to 59 nays, the combined question of suspending rules and adopting Mundt amendment authorizing extension until December 31, 1965, of certain conservation reserve contracts (soil bank) scheduled to expire in 1963 or 1964.

Senate insisted on its amendments to the bill, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Holland, Russell, Ellender, Young of North Dakota, and Mundt. **Pages 18341–18358**

Private Bill—Civil Rights: Senate took up H.R. 3369, a private bill, and debated Humphrey-Mansfield-Dirksen amendment to add a new section to extend Civil Rights Commission until September 30, 1964. This amendment was pending at adjournment. **Pages 18359–18367, 18370–18377**

Confirmations: Numerous postmaster nominations were confirmed. **Page 18388–18389**

Nominations: Senate received two civilian and numerous Air Force nominations. **Pages 18377–18388**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SURPLUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

Committees on Agriculture and Forestry and Foreign Relations: Committees met informally in executive session to discuss further the matter of the sale of surplus agricultural commodities abroad. Participating in today's session were Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Commerce Luther H. Hodges, and Under Secretary of State George W. Ball.

POTATO FUTURES

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held hearings on S. 332, prohibiting trading in Irish potatoes for future delivery on commodity exchanges, having as its witnesses Senator Muskie; Representative McIntire; Alex C. Caldwell and Ronald C. Callander, both of the Commodity Exchange Authority, USDA; Kenneth D. Naden, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives; A. E. Mercker, National Potato Council; Harold Bryant, of the Maine Potato Council; James Bishop, Presque Isle, Maine; Douglas Bagnell, Fairhope, Ala.; Dr. Roger W. Gray, Stanford University; Orville J. L. Dalling, Presque Isle, Maine; Llewellyn Watts, Jr., and Richard J. Dubord, both of the New York Mercantile Exchange; Melville Ehrlich, Potato Chip Institute International; and Anthony Zambito, Elba County Farm Bureau, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, with further testimony on funds for the Department of Welfare from its Acting Director, Donald D. Brewer, and Commissioner John B. Duncan, who were accompanied by other officials of the D.C. government, who were also heard on Friday, September 27.

On Saturday, September 28, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Maj. Robert V. Murray, Chief, Metropolitan Police Department; Harry N. Peterson, Librarian; Donald Clemmer, Director, Department of Corrections; J. J. Ilgenfritz, Director of Licenses and Inspections; Chief Judge Morris Miller, D.C. juvenile court; Chief Judge John L. Smith, Jr., D.C. court of general sessions; Judge Jo V. Morgan, D.C. tax court; J. F. Reilly and Charles Murray, D.C. Legal Aid Agency; Harold L. Aitken, Department of Highways and Traffic; George A. England, Department of Motor Vehicles; and David V. Auld, Department of Sanitary Engineering.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1101, proposed military construction authorizations for fiscal year 1964, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Naval Establishment from Rear Adm. G. W. Pressey, Director of Shore Activities, and Rear Adm. Peter Corradi, Chief, Bureau of Yards and Docks, both of the Navy; and Maj. Gen. W. P. Battell, Assistant Quartermaster General, U.S. Marine Corps.

On Friday, September 27, committee, in open and executive sessions, received testimony on funds for the Air Force from Maj. Gen. R. H. Curtin, Director of Civil Engineering, Col. Gayle L. Smith, Chief Civil Engineer, Programs Development, and Lt. Gen. W. S. Stone, Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, all of the Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony on funds for the Navy, and on funds for Defense agencies.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses Daniel P. Loomis, president, Association of American Railroads; and Ben W. Heineman, chairman of the board, Chicago & North Western Railway.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: On Friday, September 27, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings on illegal traffic in narcotics and organized crime, receiving further testimony from Joseph Valachi, presently under life sentence for murder, and a former member of the organized crime network known as Cosa Nostra.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from this witness.

TERRITORIES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, September 27, Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs held hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 1989, authorizing the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds, with testimony from Ralph M. Paiewonsky, Governor of the Virgin Islands, who was accompanied by M. de Castro and Mrs. Ruth Van Cleve, both of the Office of Territories, Department of the Interior;

H.R. 2073, relating to the jurisdiction over certain submerged lands of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa, with testimony from Martin P. Mangan, Office of Territories, who was accompanied by Mr. de Castro and Mrs. Van Cleve;

H.R. 6481 (S. 1580) to permit the government of Guam to authorize a public authority to undertake housing activities, with testimony from E. Everett Ashley and Ashley A. Foard, both of the Housing and Home Finance Agency; and

S. 1495 and H.R. 6225, authorizing funds for the rehabilitation of Guam from typhoon damage, with testimony from John A. Carver, Jr., Assistant Secretary for Public Land Management, and Richard F. Taitano, Director, Office of Territories, both of the Department of the Interior; Adm. Peter Corradi, Chief, Bureau of Yards and Docks, Navy; and Antonio B. Won Pat, Speaker of the Seventh Legislature of Guam.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 1709, establishing a Federal Commission to study possible uses of Alcatraz Island; S. 721, transferring Austin, Fort Bend, and Wharton Counties from the Galveston division to the Houston division of the Southern Judicial District of Texas; H.R. 2845, eliminating the statutory requirement that Federal district courts hold formal terms; and 23 private bills (S. 573, 1206, 1269, H.R. 1191, 1192, 1281, 1458, 1459, 1726, 2256, 2268, 2751, 2770, 3219, 3450, 3843, 4965, 5307, 5811, 5812, 6373, 6377, and 6443).

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on S. 654, 1219, and 1788.

Committee announced the following changes in assignments to several of its subcommittees, which changes were occasioned by the recent death of Senator Kefauver:

Constitutional Amendments: Senators Bayh, chairman, Eastland, Dodd, Dirksen, Keating, and Fong;

National Penitentiaries: Senators Long (Missouri), chairman, Johnston, Burdick, Hruska, and Scott;

Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights: Senators McClellan, chairman, Johnston, Hart, Burdick, Scott, and Fong;

Antitrust and Monopoly: Senators Hart, chairman, Dodd, Long, McClellan, Ervin, Kennedy, Dirksen, Hruska, and Keating;

Administrative Practice, and Procedure: Senators Long, chairman, Hart, Bayh, Burdick, and Dirksen; and

Juvenile Delinquency: Senators Dodd, chairman, Ervin, Hart, Bayh, Burdick, Fong, Hruska, and Keating.

On Friday, September 27, subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the above-listed 23 private claims bills.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 8650–8660; 3 private bills, H.R. 8661–8663; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 760 and 761, were introduced. Page 18303

The House met briefly but transacted no legislative business.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on financial institutions' investment freedoms. Heard testimony from a public witness.

On Friday, September 27, also heard public witnesses on this subject.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6413, to revise the requirements for marking packages of dairy products sold in the District of Columbia; and H.R. 4333, to authorize the D.C. Board of Parole to discharge a parolee from supervision prior to the expiration of the maximum term for which he was sentenced.

Considered H.R. 6351, to authorize the D.C. Commissioners to provide relocation services and pay relocation costs for individuals, families, business concerns, and nonprofit organizations displaced by actions of the District government. No final action was taken.

Prior to executive action heard testimony from D.C. officials and public witnesses in an open hearing on the measures.

WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on S. 2, H.R. 2683, and related bills, to establish water resources research centers at land-grant colleges and State universities to stimulate water research at other colleges, universities, and centers of competence, and to promote a more adequate national program of water research. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

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Tuesday, October 1, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed legislation to extend Civil Rights Commission for one year and passed bill to bar foreign fishing in U.S. waters.

House cleared military pay increase bill for President and passed the Corregidor-Bataan War Memorial bill.

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18436–18467

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2195–2205; S.J. Res. 122–123; and S. Res. 205–207. **Page 18440**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 7544, to increase Federal aid under the maternal and child health services program, with an amendment (S. Rept. 551);

H.R. 7195, proposed Federal-Aid Highway Amendments Act of 1963, with amendments (S. Rept. 552); and

H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs, with amendments and with individual and minority views (S. Rept. 553). **Page 18436**

Authority To Report: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations was authorized to file certain reports until December 31, 1963. **Page 18443**

Private Bill—Civil Rights Commission: By 71 yeas to 15 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 3369, a private bill, after adopting, by 70 yeas to 15 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Humphrey-Mansfield-Dirksen amendment to extend Civil Rights Commission for 1 year. **Pages 18467–18482, 18488–18492**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 13 measures, of which 12 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: H.R. 1280, 3648, 2303, 3762, 4075, and 7022, private bills.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: S. 1287, 1838, and 1881, private bills.

Resolution adopted with amendments:

Senate rules—former Presidents: S. Res. 78, to permit former Presidents of the United States to have the privilege of speaking on the floor of the Senate. **Pages 18494–18495**

Foreign Fishing: Senate passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled), S. 1988, prohibiting fishing in territorial waters of the U.S. and certain other areas by persons other than U.S. nationals or inhabitants, after adopting committee amendments and Bartlett amendments of a technical corrective nature. **Pages 18495–18504**

Fishing Vessel Construction: Senate debated S. 1006, to increase authorizations for subsidizing the construction of fishing vessels, reaching unanimous consent to limit further debate thereon as follows: At conclusion of morning hour on Wednesday, October 2, 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); no nongermane amendments to be received; and 2 hours, equally divided, on question of final passage of bill. **Pages 18504, 18509–18516**

Nominations: Two civilian, one judicial, and numerous Army and Navy nominations were received. **Pages 18528–18530**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held hearings on S. 829 and S. 1506, bills relating to potato marketing quotas, with testimony from Senators Muskie, Church, and Jordan of Idaho; Horace D. Godfrey, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, and F. F. Hedlund, Agricultural Marketing Service, both of the Department of Agriculture; John C. Lynn, American Farm Bureau Federation; Vernon James and John Broome, both of the North Carolina Potato Association; E. Perrin Edmunds and Luman Mahany, both of the Maine Potato Council; Merle Anderson, Minnesota Control Board; Harvey D. Tallackson, Grafton, N. Dak.; Doyle Burns, San Luis Valley Potato Committee, Colorado; Emil Jorgensen, Clearwater Lake, Wis.; W. F. McCaleb, Jr., Association of Virginia Potato & Vegetable Growers; A. E. Mercker, National Potato Council; Melville Ehrlich, Potato Chip Institute International; William J. Hart, National Canners Association; Clayton E. Gascoigne, National Association of Frozen Food Packers; and Jack B. Bishop, Wayland, N.Y.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the Navy title of S. 1101, proposed military construction authorizations for fiscal year 1964, after receiving testimony from E. J. Sheridan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Property and Installations); Rear Adm. G. W. Pressey, Director of Shore Activities, Navy; Col. Max C. Tyler, Defense Atomic Support Agency; Capt. D. C. Christiensen, USN, Defense Supply Agency; Rear Adm. Peter Corradi, Chief, Bureau of Yards and Docks; and Rear Adm. D. F. Roeder, Director of Naval Communications.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for Reserve requirements and Defense agencies.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee resumed its executive consideration of S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witness Jervis Langdon, Jr., president, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS, AND TAX BILL

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 7544, to increase Federal aid under the maternal and child health services program (amended); and the nomination of Dan H. Fenn, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be a member of the U.S. Tariff Commission.

Also, the committee agreed to begin executive sessions on Thursday, October 3, to receive staff briefings on provisions of the House-passed version of H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, which briefings will probably last for 5 or 6 days. Committee also announced that it will probably begin open hearings on this bill on Friday, October 11, to hear Secretary of the Treasury Dillon.

NOMINATION, AND PANAMA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of W. True Davis, to be Ambassador to Switzerland, prior to which action Mr. Davis was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Also, in executive session, committee heard former Ambassador Joseph S. Farland testify in connection with the aid program and present situation in Panama.

Committee will meet again tomorrow in executive session to resume consideration of S. 1276, foreign aid authorizations bill.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings on illegal traffic in narcotics and organized crime, receiving further testimony from Joseph Valachi, presently under life sentence for murder, and a former member of the organized crime network known as Cosa Nostra.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from this witness.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee began hearings on S. 1658, providing for the construction of the Central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, with testimony from Senator Goldwater; Representatives Rhodes, Senner, and Udall; Gov. Paul Fannin, of Arizona; Wayne M. Akin, chairman, Arizona Interstate Stream Commission; Walter Bimson, chairman of the board of the Valley National Bank; Dean Harold E. Myers, School of Agriculture, University of Arizona; O. M. Lassen, State land commissioner; W. S. Gookin, Arizona State water engineer; Samuel F. Turner, consulting engineer; Victor I. Corbell, Arizona Interstate Stream Commission, and the Salt River Valley Water Users' Association; and John Jacobs, chairman of the board, Arizona Public Service Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of George C. Edwards, Jr., of Michigan, to be U.S. circuit judge, sixth circuit. Witnesses heard were Senators McNamara and Hart; Justice Theodore Souris, Supreme Court of Michigan; and Nathan Goodno, president, and Damon Keith, commissioner, both of the State Bar of Michigan. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on manpower problems, with testimony on the adjustment to technological change from Philip Arnow, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor for Policy Planning and Research; and Marion Folsom, Vice Chairman, Committee for Economic Development.

Hearings continue on Thursday, October 3.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 1696, to define the interest of local public agencies in federally constructed reservoirs where such agencies have contributed to the construction costs; H.R. 7195, proposed Federal-Aid Highway Amendments Act of 1963 (amended); and S. 649, providing for the establishment within the Department of HEW of a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration (amended).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 8664–8681; 8 private bills, H.R. 8682–8689; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 762–764, were introduced. **Pages 18434–18435**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 453, to change the name of the Memphis lock and dam on the Tombigbee River near Aliceville, Ala. (H. Rept. 779);

S. 1936, authorizing the State of Rhode Island to maintain and operate the bridge across Mount Hope Bay (H. Rept. 780);

H.R. 8611, to facilitate the performance of medical research and development within the Veterans' Administration by providing for the indemnification of contractors (H. Rept. 781);

H.R. 4018, authorizing establishment of the Saint Gaudens National Historic Site, N.H., amended (H. Rept. 782);

H.R. 5949, consenting to the amendment by the States of Colorado and New Mexico of the Costilla Creek compact (H. Rept. 783);

H.R. 6756, revising the boundaries of the Mesa Verde National Park, Colo., amended (H. Rept. 784);

H.R. 7601, for the relief of the city of Winslow, Ariz. (H. Rept. 785);

H.R. 7400, regarding transfer of certain funds under the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act of 1959 (H. Rept. 786);

H.R. 3941, to eliminate the offset against burial allowances paid by the Veterans' Administration for amounts paid by burial associations (H. Rept. 787);

S. 13, regarding transfer of land to Fayetteville, Ark. (H. Rept. 788);

H.R. 2436, regarding benefits for veterans with conditional discharge (H. Rept. 789);

Seven private bills, H.R. 1851, 4766, 6182, 6477, 8222, 8280, and 8470 (H. Repts. 790–796, respectively);

Eleventh report by the Committee on Government Operations entitled "United States Information Problems in Vietnam" (H. Rept. 797);

H.R. 6289, to provide that the Chicago Skyway (Calumet Skyway toll bridge) shall be operated as a freeway, amended (H. Rept. 798); and

H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins (H. Rept. 799). **Page 18434**

Mental Health: Representative Bennett of Michigan was excused from serving as a conferee on the part of the House on S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963; and Representative Younger was appointed to the conference committee. **Page 18393**

D.C. Health: H.R. 2485, regarding treatment of D.C. minors with venereal disease, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto. **Pages 18393–18394**

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 2189, 4099, 5289, and 6468.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 1277, 1542, 2811, 3366, 4759, 5746, 5902, 6181, and 7088.

Passed over without prejudice: S. 1201, H.R. 1273, 1277, 1495, 1566, 2300, 2706, 2728, 3908, 4076, 4681, 5145, 6038, and 6316. **Pages 18395–18399**

Military Pay Increase: By a record vote of 333 yeas to 5 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 5555, to increase the rates of basic pay for members of the uniformed services, and thus cleared the legislation for Presidential action. **Pages 18399–18409**

Corregidor-Bataan Memorial: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 7044, to authorize $1.5 million for construction of Corregidor-Bataan Memorial.

H. Res. 539, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a record vote of 314 yeas to 12 nays. **Pages 18409–18417**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved two watershed projects.

ROTC

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 8130, to establish a Junior and Senior Reserve Officers' Training Corps. Heard testimony from various departmental witnesses.

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session and continued review of Navy research and development programs. Heard testimony from various Navy Department officials.

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on the investment freedoms on financial institutions. Heard testimony from a public witness. Hearings continue Wednesday, October 2.

ELEMENTARY-SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education resumed hearings on elementary and secondary education. Heard testimony from various public witnesses.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued in executive session on S. 777, the Arms Control and Disarmament Act authorization bill. Heard testimony from John A. McCone, Director, Central Intelligence Agency. Hearings continue, in executive session, Wednesday, October 2.

WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation continued hearings on S. 2, H.R. 2683, and related bills, to establish water resources research centers at land-grant colleges and State universities to stimulate water research at other colleges, universities, and centers of competence, and to promote a more adequate national program of water research. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7601, for the relief of the city of Winslow, Ariz.;

H.J. Res. 747 (amended), to authorize and request the President to proclaim November 19, 1963, as Gettysburg Address Centennial Day;

S. 1828 (amended), to authorize $25,000 for the Battle of Lake Erie Sesquicentennial Celebration Commission; and

Several private immigration and private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session on pending civil rights legislation.

MANPOWER UTILIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization met in executive session on pending legislation. No announcements were made.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S. 13, regarding transfer of land to Fayetteville, Ark.;

H.R. 8611, to facilitate the performance of medical research and development within the Veterans' Administration by providing for the indemnification of contractors;

H.R. 2436 (amended), regarding benefits for veterans with conditional discharge; and

H.R. 3941, to eliminate the offset against burial allowances paid by the Veterans' Administration for amounts paid by burial associations.

Joint Committee Meetings

MENTAL HEALTH

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1576, authorizing funds to assist in construction of mental health facilities, but did not reach final agreement, and are tentatively scheduled to meet again on Tuesday, October 8.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through September 30, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	134	131	..
Time in session	731 hrs., 09′	453 hrs., 29′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	10, 855	6, 599	17, 454
Appendix	..	..	6, 140
Public bills enacted into law	41	90	131
Private bills enacted into law	26	41	67
Bills in conference	2	6	..
Bills through conference	2	9	..
Measures passed, total	518	688	..
Senate bills	212	66	..
House bills	133	402	..
Senate joint resolutions	11	6	..
House joint resolutions	12	18	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	21	18	..
House concurrent resolutions	15	15	..
Simple resolutions	114	163	277
Measures reported, total	*601	*724	..
Senate bills	245	48	..
House bills	139	493	..
Senate joint resolutions	12	4	..
House joint resolutions	14	21	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	24	17	..
House concurrent resolutions	14	14	..
Simple resolutions	153	127	280
Special reports	23	39	..
Conference reports	..	15	..
Reported measures not acted on	66	84	..
Measures introduced, total	2, 578	10, 179	12, 757
Bills	2,194	8, 663	10, 857
Joint resolutions	121	761	882
Concurrent resolutions	59	216	275
Simple resolutions	204	539	743
Quorum calls	36	89	..
Yea-and-nay votes	142	69	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 550 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 778 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through September 30, 1963

Postmaster nominations, totaling 1,575, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	1, 159
Withdrawn	11
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	405

Army nominations, totaling 9,738, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	9, 712
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	26

Air Force nominations, totaling 19,791, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	17, 252
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	2, 539

Navy nominations, totaling 23,799, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	22, 414
Withdrawn	1
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	1, 384

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 4,224, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	3, 703
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	521

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 2,588, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	2, 556
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	29

Summary

Total nominations received	57, 864
Total withdrawn	14
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	1, 865
Total confirmed	55, 985

Wednesday, October 2, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on fishing vessel construction, equal-time political broadcasting, mental retardation, and passed 26 sundry bills on calendar call.

Civil rights bill approved by House subcommittee.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18536–18553

Bills Introduced: Three bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2206–2208; and S. Res. 208. **Pages 18540–18541**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows:

H.R. 1696, to define the interest of local public agencies in federally constructed reservoirs where such agencies have contributed to the construction costs (S. Rept. 554). **Page 18540**

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 18542**

Ethiopian Emperor: Senate briefly recessed to greet, and hear an address by, Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia. **Page 18535**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 26 bills, of which 23 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Alcatraz study: H.R. 1709, establishing a Federal commission to study possible uses of Alcatraz Island;

Courts: H.R. 2845 eliminating the statutory requirement that Federal district courts hold formal terms; and

Private bills: H.R. 1191, 1458, 1726, 2770, 3219, 1192, 1281, 1459, 2256, 2751, 3450, 3843, 4965, 5307, 5811, 5812, 6373, 6443, and 6377.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Private bill: H.R. 2268, private bill.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Courts: S. 721, transferring Austin, Fort Bend, and Wharton Counties from the Galveston division to the Houston division of the Southern Judicial District of Texas; and

Private bills: S. 1206 and 1269, private bills.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bill: S. 573, private bill. **Pages 18552–18553**

Fishing Vessel Construction: By 57 yeas to 14 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with committee amendments S. 1006, to increase authorizations for subsidizing the construction of fishing vessels, after rejecting two amendments as follows:

By 14 yeas to 57 nays Lausche amendment to reduce to 33⅓ percent the 55 percent proposed subsidy for fishing vessel construction; and

Williams (Delaware) amendment (to committee amendment) to reduce from $10 million to $5 million authorized funds for this program. **Pages 18554–18564**

Communications—Equal Broadcast Time: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled), H.J. Res. 247, suspending for the 1964 campaign the equal broadcast opportunity requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act for Presidential and Vice Presidential nominees, after adopting committee amendments en bloc. **Pages 18564–18566**

Mental Retardation: H.R. 7544, to increase Federal aid under the maternal and child health services program, was passed (motion to reconsider tabled), as amended by adoption of committee amendment. **Pages 18566–18570**

Highways: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 7195, proposed Federal-Aid Highway Amendments Act of 1963, after rejecting Miller amendment providing that apportionments made for extensions of the primary and secondary systems within urban areas shall apply to fiscal year 1965 and thereafter. **Pages 18575–18576, 18578–18580**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: W. True Davis, Jr., of Missouri, to be Ambassador to Switzerland; Dan H. Fenn, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the U.S. Tariff Commission; and three other civilian nominations. **Page 18582**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOIL CONSERVATION PROGRAM, AND WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 1588, eliminating the $10 million limitation on soil conservation programs for 1964, and subsequent years.

Committee also approved the following seven watershed projects: Mud Creek, Ark.; Crooked Creek, Minn.; Joe River, Minn.; Cane Creek, Ga.; Little Shenango, Pa.; Marsh Creek, Pa.; and Weatherford-Bear Creek, Tenn.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1101, proposed military construction authorizations for fiscal year 1964, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Edward J. Sheridan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Properties and Installations; Lt. Gen. Alfred D. Starbird (USA), Defense Communications Agency; Lt. Gen. William W. Quinn (USA), Defense Intelligence Agency; and Capt. J. Burkhardt, Jr. (USN), National Security Agency. Testimony in behalf of funds for Reserve forces construction was received from W. R. Deininger, Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Properties and Installations; and Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Chief, National Guard Bureau.

HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing began hearings on S. 1170, S.J. Res. 118, and H.J. Res. 724, bills to improve housing facilities for the elderly, with testimony from Sidney Spector, Assistant Administrator, Housing and Home Finance Agency; Mayor Frank P. Celeste, of Lakewood, Ohio; John W. Edelman, National Council of Senior Citizens; Gibson Kingren, Kaiser Foundation Health Plan; Dr. Glen Beyer, Director, Housing Research Center, Cornell University; and Hoyt S. Haddock, Four Freedoms, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its executive consideration of S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witness Braxton B. Carr, president, American Waterways Operators, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MINIMUM WAGES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Public Health, Education, Welfare and Safety held hearings in an evening session on Tuesday, October 1, on S. 860, to provide broader coverage and improved standards of minimum wages in the D.C., with testimony from Walter N. Tobriner, President, D.C. Board of Commissioners, who was accompanied by Charles W. Putnam and Carrie L. Allgood, both of the D.C. Minimum Wage and Industrial Safety Board, Donald D. Brewer, D.C. Department of Public Welfare, and Irving Bryan, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; F. H. McGuigan, Greater Washington Central Labor Council, AFL–CIO; Selma Borchardt, a D.C. citizen; Lloyd S. Luther, D.C. Citizens Council; Mary Keyserling, National Consumers League; Madeline B. Furth, D.C. League of Women Voters; Reverend Father Geno C. Baroni, Catholic Interracial Council; E. Ladd Thurston, Jr., D.C. Health and Welfare Council; Louis Aronica, ADA; and Arnold Sternberg, Democratic Central Committee.

Hearings continue on Friday, October 4, also in an evening session.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its executive consideration of S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign aid program for fiscal 1964, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, October 8.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings on illegal traffic in narcotics and organized crime, receiving further testimony from Joseph Valachi, presently under life sentence for murder, and a former member of the organized crime network known as Cosa Nostra.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, October 8.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1658, authorizing construction of the Central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, with testimony from H. S. Raymond, Maricopa County, Municipal Water Conservation District No. 1; Wilbur W. Weigold, Buckeye Irrigation Co.; Mayor Lew Davis, of Tucson; Neil Christensen, city attorney, Flagstaff, Ariz.; Jesse A. Udall, vice-chief justice, Supreme Court of Arizona; Carl A. Anderson, district engineer, San Carlos District, Pinal County, Ariz.; K. K. Henness and C. B. Shiflett, farmers of Pinal County, Ariz.; Alfred Jackson and Edison Evans, member of tribal council, both of the Pima Indian Tribe of Arizona, Gila River Indian Reservation; and T. Richmond Johnson, president, Central Arizona Project Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Eight public bills, H.R. 8690–8697; four private bills, H.R. 8698–8701; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 765, and H. Res. 540, were introduced. Pages 18592–18593

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 533, providing an additional stationery allowance for Members of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 800);

H. Res. 532, to provide additional postage for Members of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 801);

H. Res. 531, providing an additional allowance for telephone and telegraph service for Members of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 802);

H. Res. 497, to provide additional funds for the Committee on the Judiciary under Public Law 86–272 (H. Rept. 803);

H. Res. 499, to provide funds for the further expense of studies and investigation authorized by H. Res. 38 (H. Rept. 804);

H. Res. 521, to amend H. Res. 226, 88th Congress (H. Rept. 805);

H. Res. 523, to provide funds for the investigation authorized by H. Res. 504 (H. Rept. 806);

H. Res. 528, to provide additional funds for the expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 153 (H. Rept. 807); and

H.R. 8677, to set aside funds for research into spinal injuries and diseases (H. Rept. 808). Page 18592

Congressional Resignation: Heard the reading of a letter from Representative Homer Thornberry of the 10th Congressional District of Texas stating that he had submitted to the Governor of Texas his resignation as a Member of the House of Representatives effective December 20, 1963. Page 18583

Pacific Northwest Power: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 1007, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Aspinall, Rogers of Texas, Haley, Saylor, and Westland. Page 18583

Private Bill—Civil Rights Commission: Objection was raised to an effort to agree to a Senate amendment to H.R. 3369, a private bill. The amendment would extend for 1 year the life of the Civil Rights Commission. Page 18583

Committee Travel Authority: Adopted H. Res. 535 and 536, authorizing travel outside the United States by members of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and the Committee on Agriculture, respectively. Pages 18583–18585

Administrative Resolutions: The following resolutions from the Committee on House Administration were called up, considered, and adopted:

Stationery allowance: H. Res. 533, providing for an additional $600 stationery allowance for Members of the House of Representatives;

Postage allowance: H. Res. 532, providing additional postage for Members of the House of Representatives; and

Telephone and telegraph allowances: H. Res. 531, providing an additional allowance for telephone and telegraph service for Members of the House of Representatives. Pages 18585–18586

Committee Expenses: The following resolutions providing funds for the expenses of certain House committees were called up, considered, and adopted:

Judiciary: H. Res. 497, to provide additional funds for the Committee on the Judiciary under Public Law 86–273;

Agriculture: H. Res. 499, to provide funds for the further expenses of studies and investigations by the Committee on Agriculture authorized by H. Res. 38;

Interstate and Foreign Commerce: H. Res. 521, to amend H. Res. 226 of the 88th Congress;

Research program investigation: H. Res. 523, to provide funds for the select committee to investigate research programs conducted by or sponsored by departments and agencies of the Federal Government; and

Banking and Currency: H. Res. 528, to provide additional funds for the expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries by the Committee on Banking and Currency authorized by H. Res. 153. Pages 18586–18587

Flood Control and Navigation: Objection was raised to a request for the consideration of H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins. Pages 18587–18589

Bills Referred: Seven Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 18592

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on the investment freedoms of financial institutions. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Thursday, October 3.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5871, to modify the retirement benefits of the judges of the courts of the District of Columbia; and H.R. 5337, to increase the partial pay of educational employees of D.C. public schools who are on leave of absence for educational improvement.

Considered, but took no final action on, H.R. 4200, to provide for the regulation, through licensing and bonding of brokers and agents, of the business of selling securities in the District of Columbia.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued in executive session on S. 777, the Arms Control and Disarmament Act authorization bill. Heard testimony from Gerald F. Tape, Commissioner, Atomic Energy Commission, accompanied by other AEC officials.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing with John B. Martin, U.S. Ambassador to the Dominican Republic.

CALL DATES—BANK REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs held a hearing on the operations of the Federal bank supervisory agencies in setting call dates for bank reports. Heard testimony from J. L. Robertson, Governor, Board of Governors, accompanied by other Federal Reserve System officials; Justin P. Watson, Deputy Comptroller, accompanied by other officials of the Office of Comptroller of the Currency; and representatives of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

ADMINISTRATIVE RESOLUTIONS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following resolutions:

H. Res. 497, to provide additional funds for the Committee on the Judiciary under Public Law 86–272;

H. Res. 499, to provide funds for the further expense of studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 38;

H. Res. 521, to amend H. Res. 226 of the 88th Congress, to increase the funds of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce for further studies and investigations;

H. Res. 523, to provide funds for the investigation authorized by H. Res. 504;

H. Res. 528, to provide additional funds for the expenses of studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 153;

H. Res. 531, providing an additional allowance for telephone and telegraph service for Members of the House of Representatives;

H. Res. 532, to provide additional postage for Members of the House of Representatives;

H. Res. 533, to provide an additional stationery allowance for Members of the House of Representatives; and

S. Con. Res. 58, to provide that 5,000 additional copies of the hearings on Executive M, 88th Congress, 1st session, "Nuclear Test Ban Treaty" be printed for the use of the Committee on Foreign Relations.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7152 (amended), the proposed Civil Rights Act.

SHELLFISH INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held a hearing to consider problems of the shellfish industry. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Thursday, October 3.

WATERSHED

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Watershed Development held a hearing on pending watershed projects. Heard testimony from Representatives Everett, Poage, and Flynt.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Jones of Alabama, Udall, Rhodes of Arizona, Abernethy, Steed, Belcher, Roberts of Alabama, and Burleson. Hearings continue on Thursday, October 3.

FRUIT-VEGETABLE CONTAINERS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Held a hearing on H.R. 5792, to permit the use of additional standard containers for fruits and vegetables. Heard testimony from Representative Matthews; and public witnesses.

Thursday, October 3, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate cleared for President four sundry bills and took up vocational education bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18730–18733

Bills Introduced: One bill and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2209; S. Con. Res. 60; and S. Res. 209. **Page 18730**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 1588, eliminating the $10 million limitation on soil conservation programs for 1964, with amendments (S. Rept. 555). **Page 18730**

Bill Referred: H.R. 4759, a private bill, was referred to Committee on the Judiciary. **Page 18619**

Authority To Meet: Senator Clark submitted S. Res. 209, authorizing Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to sit for a certain period while Senate is in session. This resolution was ordered to lie over under the rule. **Page 18643**

Authority To Report: Committee on Public Works was authorized to file during Senate recess or adjournment a report, with minority views, on S. 649, providing for the establishment within the Department of HEW of a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration. **Page 18730**

Water Reservoirs: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 1696, to define the interest of local public agencies in federally constructed reservoirs where such agencies have contributed to the construction costs. **Page 18694**

Taxation: H.R. 6246, relating to the deductibility for income tax purposes of accrued vacation pay, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. **Pages 18694–18695**

Merchant Marine: Senate took up S. 927, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to remove certain limitations concerning war risk insurance, and reached unanimous-consent agreement that when Senate meets at 11 a.m. on Monday, October 7, debate thereon will be limited to one-half hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); that no nongermane amendment will be received; and that debate on question of passage of bill will be limited to 1½ hours, equally divided. **Pages 18695–18696, 18704**

Urban Renewal—Detroit: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 772, to permit the city of Detroit to transfer land purchased for low-rent housing to urban renewal purposes. Motion to reconsider passage of this bill was tabled. **Pages 18623, 18696–18697**

Credit Unions: H.R. 4842, extending time for holding annual meetings under the Federal Credit Union Act, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. Motion to reconsider this action was tabled. **Pages 18697–18698**

Vocational Education: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs. **Pages 18698–18704**

Nominations: 81 Coast Guard nominations were received. **Page 18733**

Recess: Recessed at 6:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, with further testimony on funds for the Department of Public Welfare from Acting Director Donald D. Brewer, Commissioners Walter N. Tobriner and John B. Duncan, and other officials of the D.C. government.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued, in open and executive sessions, its hearings on S. 1101, proposed military construction authorizations for fiscal year 1964, with testimony on funds for the military family housing program (title V) from Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara; Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Chief of Staff, Air Force; and John J. Reed, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Family Housing.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 7.

VIETNAM

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on their recent trip to Vietnam from Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor.

HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued its hearings on S. 1170, S.J. Res.

118, and H.J. Res. 724, bills to improve housing facilities for the elderly, with testimony from Thomas D'Alesandro III, president, Baltimore City Council; Mayor Theodore F. McKeldin, of Baltimore; Richard L. Steiner, Baltimore Urban Renewal & Housing Agency; Nathaniel Keith, president, National Housing Conference; Samuel Hopkins, Maryland State Commission on the Aging; Mrs. Eone Harger, chairman, New Jersey State Commission on the Aging; Elias Cohen, commissioner, Office of the Aging, Department of Public Welfare, Harrisburg, Pa.; and the Reverend Lawrence Upton, United Church Board of Homeland Ministry, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its executive consideration of S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, October 8.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses E. W. Cimokowski, Assistant General Counsel, who was accompanied by Owen Kane and other officials of the General Accounting Office; and Emil Seerup, vice president, air services, REA Express.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 7.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee met in executive session to receive staff briefing on provisions of the House-passed version of H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on the situation in the Dominican Republic from U.S. Ambassador John B. Martin and Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs Edwin M. Martin.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 1299, to defer collection of irrigation charges due for the last half of 1963 from the Eden Valley Irrigation and Drainage District (amended); S. 1584, authorizing execution of a contract for repayment of reimbursable costs of the Newton project, Utah; S. 1687, authorizing modification of repayment contract between the U.S. and the Big Flat Irrigation District, Missoula Valley project, Montana; S.J. Res. 49, authorizing continuing program to reduce nonbeneficial consumptive use of water in the Pecos River Basin, N. Mex. and Tex. (amended); and H.R. 641, authorizing removal of certain assessable land from the Wapato Indian irrigation project, Washington.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony was received from Dr. A. B. Goodman, Bureau of Reclamation, who directed his remarks to the provisions of S. 1299, 1584, and 1687; and Graham E. Holmes, Bureau of Indian Affairs, who discussed H.R. 641.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: The Internal Security Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Frank Kowalski, of Connecticut, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board, with testimony from Senator Ribicoff; and Michael J. Dwyer, national legislative research consultant. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on manpower problems, receiving testimony on employment impact of automation from John I. Snyder, Jr., president, U.S. Industries, Inc., New York City, and Isaac L. Auerbach, president, International Federation for Information Processing, Philadelphia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Seven public bills, H.R. 8702–8708; and seven private bills, H.R. 8709–8715, were introduced.

Pages 18618–18619

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: Report of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce entitled "Communications Satellite Act of 1962—The First Year" (H. Rept. 809).

Page 18618

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 9. **Page 18612**

Bills Referred: Five Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 18618**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session and completed hearings on Air Force research and development programs. Heard testimony from various Air Force officials. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

ROTC

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 8130, regarding Junior and Senior Reserve Officers' Training Corps. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on financial institutions' investment freedoms. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on the Columbia Plaza urban renewal project. Heard testimony from D.C. officials; and public witnesses.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT—TRAINING

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 8419, the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962.

U.S. PARTICIPATION—INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements, in executive session, considered H.J. Res. 666, to provide for membership and participation by the U.S. in the South Pacific Commission; and H.J. Res. 732, to provide for participation by the U.S. in the Hague Conference on Private International Law; and the International (Rome) Institute for the Unification of Private Law; and to authorize respectively appropriations therefor.

In open hearing heard testimony from George L-P Weaver, Assistant Secretary of Labor for International Affairs, regarding U.S. participation in the International Labor Organization Conference.

PUBLIC LAND LAW REVIEW

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 8070, and related bills, to establish a Public Land Law Review Commission to study existing laws and procedures relating to the administration of the public lands of the U.S. Heard testimony from Representative Rhodes of Arizona; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, October 4.

SHELLFISH INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation heard testimony from public witnesses regarding the problems of the shellfish industry.

WATERSHED

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Watershed Development in executive session approved several pending watershed projects.

Prior to executive action held an open hearing on the projects with testimony from departmental witnesses.

Statements were filed for the record by Representatives Landrum, Albert, Steed, Cleveland, and Patman, and Fernós-Isern, Resident Commissioner.

NATIONAL STANDARDS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Held a hearing on H.R. 5838, to incorporate in the Organic Act of the National Bureau of Standards the authority to make certain improvements of fiscal and administrative practices for more effective conduct of its research and development activities; and S. 1064, to substitute "candela" for "candle" as the unit of measurements of luminous intensity. Heard testimony from Dr. Robert D. Huntoon, Deputy Director, National Bureau of Standards; accompanied by other National Bureau of Standards officials.

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Monday, October 7, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on vocational education bill.

House passed 23 miscellaneous bills and agreed to extension of Civil Rights Commission.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18754–18791

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2210–2219; and S. Con. Res. 61.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 649, providing for the establishment within the Department of HEW of a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, with amendments and with individual views (S. Rept. 556)—reported October 4 under prior authorization;

H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act, with amendments and with individual and minority views (S. Rept. 557); and

S. Con. Res. 61, authorizing the printing of additional copies of hearings on "Organized Crime and Illicit Traffic in Narcotics," conducted by Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations (no written report).

Pages 18753–18754

Merchant Marine: Senate considered S. 927, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to remove certain limitations concerning war risk insurance, adopting committee amendment thereto, and then by unanimous consent returned the bill to the calendar without further action.

Pages 18741, 18746–18751

Merchant Marine: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 1172, relating to the computation of refunds of construction-differential subsidies of vessels made after December 31, 1959. **Pages 18751–18753**

Vocational Education: Senate took up H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs, and rejected, by 23 yeas to 52 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Goldwater amendments (to committee substitute) to reduce authorized funds for vocational education as follows: for fiscal year 1964 from $108 million to $45 million, for fiscal year 1965 from $153 million to $90 million, for fiscal year 1966 from $198 million to $135 million, and for fiscal year 1967 and each fiscal year thereafter from $243 million to $180 million.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed to limit further debate as follows: starting at noon Tuesday, October 8, 60 minutes, equally divided, on each amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), no nongermane amendment may be accepted except for an amendment to be offered by Senator Javits on impacted areas, and 60 minutes, equally divided, on question of final passage of bill.

Pages 18753, 18791–18805, 18807, 18816–18826

Treaties Reported: Protocol to amend the Convention on International Civil Aviation, dated at Rome, September 15, 1962 (Ex. D, 88th Cong., 1st sess.) (Ex. Rept. 4); Convention on Extradition between U.S. and Sweden, together with a related Protocol, signed at Washington, October 24, 1961 (Ex. E, 87th Cong., 2d sess.) (Ex. Rept. 5); an additional Protocol to the Treaty of Extradition of January 13, 1961, between U.S. and Brazil, signed at Rio de Janeiro June 18, 1962 (Ex. F, 87th Cong., 2d sess.) (Ex. Rept. 5); and Convention on Extradition between U.S. and Israel, signed at Washington December 10, 1962 (Ex. E, 88th Cong., 1st sess.) (Ex. Rept. 5). **Page 18755**

Treaty Received: Convention between U.S. and Mexico for the solution of the problem of the Chamizal, signed at Mexico City August 29, 1963 (Ex. N, 88th Cong., 1st sess.). **Pages 18758–18759**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: LaVern R. Dilweg, of Wisconsin, and Theodore Jaffe, of Rhode Island, to be members of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; and Lt. Gen. Wallace M. Greene, Jr., USMC, to be Commandant of the Marine Corps. **Page 18851**

Recess: Recessed at 7:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded its hearings on the public welfare provisions of H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, after receiving testimony from Walter N. Tobriner and John B. Duncan, Commissioners, and Donald B. Brewer, Acting Director of the Department of Public Welfare, and other officials of the D.C. government.

On Friday and Saturday, October 4 and 5, subcommittee also heard testimony from these witnesses.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 1101 and H.R. 6500, authorizing funds for military construction for fiscal year 1964, after receiving testimony from Senator Moss, in connection with items of proposed construction in Utah; and the following witnesses who discussed the Pulse Nuclear Reactor proposed by the Army for construction at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md.: Senators Beall and Brewster, Representative Long of Maryland, Mayor Warner Buchel, of Bel Air, Md., and Dr. Jack B. Hunter, Maryland Academy of Science, all of whom favored this proposal; and Senators Keating and Javits, and Oliver Townsend, New York State Atomic Research & Development Authority, who testified in opposition to the proposal.

HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, October 4, the Housing Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration H.J. Res. 724, to improve housing facilities for the elderly.

Prior to this action, subcommittee concluded hearings on this, and related bills, after receiving testimony from Alvin E. Gershen, professional planner and housing consultant, Trenton, N.J.; Joseph D. Weiss, an architect, New York City; Boris Shishkin, housing committee, AFL–CIO; Theodor Schuchat, a consultant, American Association of Homes for the Aging; Theodore T. Dorman, administrator, the United Church of Christ Home, Inc.; and Frank C. Watters, Group Health Association, Inc.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: The Surface Transportation Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1061, exempting certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, having as its witnesses D. W. Brosnan, president, Southern Railway System; and Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

D.C. MINIMUM WAGES

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Friday, October 4, Subcommittee on Public Health, Education, Welfare, and Safety continued its hearings on S. 860, to provide broader coverage and improved standards of minimum wages in the D.C., with testimony from Esther Peterson, Assistant Secretary of Labor; Kenneth A. Meiklejohn, legislative representative, AFL–CIO; Julius W. Hobson, Washington CORE; Allen Jones, Hotel Association of Washington; A. Julian Brylawski; president, Metropolitan Theatre Owners Association; and Curtis E. McCalip, Jr., Automotive Trade Association, National Capital Area.

Hearings continue tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued, in executive session, to receive staff briefings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

PESTICIDES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations resumed its hearings on the effects of pesticides on human health and safety, having as its witnesses Dr. John L. Buckley, Patuxent Wildlife Research Center, Laurel, Md.; Dr. Edward F. Knipling, Entomology Research Division, Department of Agriculture, Beltsville; Dr. Arnold Lehman, Jr., Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW; and Dr. C. Burroughs Mider, National Institutes of Health.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUBMERGED LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs approved for full committee consideration H.R. 2073, relating to the jurisdiction over certain submerged lands of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, October 4, Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee consideration H.R. 844 and 845, bills declaring that certain U.S. land be held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation; and S. 136, placing certain U.S.-held lands in trust for the Rosebud Sioux Tribe of South Dakota.

Prior to this action, subcommittee held hearings on these bills, and on S. 410, authorizing the deeding of certain lands of the Fort Totten Reservation, N. Dak., to the U.S., and H.R. 6496, authorizing conveyance of 40 acres of U.S. lands to the Cherokee Indians of Oklahoma. Witnesses heard were Graham E. Holmes, Assistant Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; and Richard Schifter and Marvin Sonosky, both of whom are D.C. attorneys.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, October 4, Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on adjustment to technological change, having as its witnesses Ralph L. Vaughn, Kaiser Steel Corp., Fontana, Calif.; and Marvin Miller, United Steelworkers of America, Pittsburgh.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 8716–8730 and H.R. 8747; 16 private bills, H.R. 8731–8746; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 766–769, and H. Res. 541 and 542, were introduced. **Page 18900**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 810);

H.R. 5945, establishing a procedure for the prompt settlement, in a democratic manner, of the political status of Puerto Rico, amended (H. Rept. 811);

Conference report on H.R. 7179, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 812);

Eleven private bills, S. 838, 1313, H.R. 1174, 1289, 1432, 2305, 2799, 4507, 4760, 5453, and 7268 (H. Repts. 813-823, respectively); and

H.R. 8747, the independent offices appropriation bill for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 824). **Pages 18864, 18900**

Civil Rights Commission: By a record vote of 265 yeas to 80 nays the House suspended the rules and adopted H. Res. 541, providing for House agreement to a Senate amendment, extending for 1 year the life of the Civil Rights Commission, to H.R. 3369, a private bill. The House action cleared the legislation for the President.

Pages 18851–18865

VA Loan Default Waivers: H.R. 242, to provide for waiver of indebtedness to the U.S. in certain cases arising out of default on loans guaranteed or made by the Veterans' Administration, was cleared for the President by House concurrence in Senate amendments thereto.

Pages 18864–18865

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Arkansas land conveyance: S. 13, to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to convey certain land situated in the State of Arkansas to the city of Fayetteville, Ark.;

Memphis lock and dam: S. 453, to change the name of the Memphis lock and dam on the Tombigbee River near Aliceville, Ala.;

Padre Junipero Serra medal: S. 743, to furnish to the Padre Junipero 250th Anniversary Association medals in commemoration of his death;

Arkansas property transfer: S. 812, to provide for release of restrictions and reservations on certain real property heretofore conveyed to the State of Arkansas by the U.S.;

Student trainees expenses: S. 814 (in lieu of H.R. 4460), to amend the Administrative Expenses Act of 1946;

Nevada statehood medal: S. 1125, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the admission of Nevada to statehood;

Bridge: S. 1936, to authorize the State of Rhode Island to maintain, repair, and operate the bridge across Mount Hope Bay; and

Stockpile: S. 1994, to authorize the disposal, without regard to the prescribed 6-month waiting period, of certain waterfowl feathers and down from the national stockpile.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Iwo Jima Memorial: H.R. 491, to vest in the American Battle Monuments Commission the care and maintenance of the original Iwo Jima Memorial on Mount Suribachi, Iwo Jima, Volcano Islands;

Indiana statehood medal: H.R. 3488, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the statehood of the State of Indiana;

Health Benefits Act: H.R. 7400, to amend the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act of 1959 to authorize the transfer of unused funds from the administrative expense reserve to the contingency reserve of the several health plans under such act;

Medical research—veterans: H.R. 8611, to facilitate the performance of medical research and development within the Veterans' Administration by providing for the indemnification of contractors;

Wright Brothers Day: H.J. Res. 335, designating the 17th day of December of each year as "Wright Brothers Day"; and

Pearl Harbor anniversary: H.J. Res. 475, to authorize the President to proclaim December 7, 1966, as Pearl Harbor Day in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Armed Forces retirement: H.R. 384, to provide that members of the Armed Forces shall be retired in the highest grade satisfactorily held in any armed force;

Veterans' benefits: H.R. 2436, to permit the furnishing of benefits to certain individuals conditionally discharged or released from active military, naval, or air service;

Veterans' burial allowances: H.R. 3941, to eliminate the offset against burial allowances paid by the Veterans' Administration for amounts paid by burial associations;

Costilla Creek compact: H.R. 5949, to consent to the amendment by the States of New Mexico and Colorado of the Costilla Creek compact;

Mesa Verde National Park: H.R. 6756, to revise the boundaries of Mesa Verde National Park, Colo.;

Ladies' Garment Workers Union medal: H.R. 7193, to provide for striking of medals in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the first union health center in the U.S. by the International Ladies' Garment Workers Union;

Supreme Court: H.R. 7235, to amend sections 671 and 672 of title 28, U.S. Code, relating to the Clerk and the Marshal of the Supreme Court;

Winslow, Ariz., relief: H.R. 7601, for the relief of the city of Winslow, Ariz.; and

Iowa public lands: H.R. 8265, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to adjust the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over lands within the Iowa Ordnance Plant Reservation, Iowa.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S. 254, H.R. 1959, 4018, and 7155.

Recommitted: S. 879. **Pages 18866–18878**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SUBCOMMITTEE POLICY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session regarding subcommittee policy. Heard testimony from John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; and other Department of Agriculture officials.

INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8747, the independent offices appropriation bill for fiscal year 1964.

ROTC

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 8130, the Junior and Senior Reserve Officers' Training Corps bill. Heard testimony from Stephen Ailes, Under Secretary of the Army.

On Friday, October 4, Subcommittee No. 3 also considered H.R. 8130 (title above).

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on financial institutions' investment freedoms. Heard testimony from a public witness.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Friday, October 4, Subcommittee No. 3, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8355 (amended), to amend the Life Insurance Company Act of the District of Columbia; and H.R. 7882 (amended), to exempt from attachment or levy by D.C. courts or officers the same amount which would be exempt under local State law for individuals who do not reside in D.C.

Prior to executive action held on open hearing on H.R. 8451, to amend the D.C. Sales Tax Act, relating to certain sales to common carriers or sleeping-car companies; H.R. 8377, to eliminate the maintenance by the District of Columbia of perpetual accounts for unclaimed moneys held in trust by the D.C. government; H.R. 8355 (title above); and H.R. 7882 (title above).

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT—RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 8419 (a clean bill to be introduced), to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962; and

H.R. 7771, to insure that Federal funds will not be used to assist educational institutions which practice racial discrimination.

RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 8135, to provide for the establishment and administration of public recreational facilities at Sanford Reservoir area, Canadian River project, Texas; H.R. 130, to provide for compensation for rights-of-way acquired by the U.S. in connection with reclamation projects, the construction of which commenced after January 1, 1961; H.R. 4323, to provide for payment for rights-of-way used for Ainsworth unit, Missouri River Basin project; and Ex. Com. 1241, to provide for payment of compensation for rights-of-way acquired by U.S. in connection with reclamation projects hereafter constructed.

Heard testimony from Representative Sisk, Martin of Nebraska, and Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation (H.R. 130 and 4323); and departmental witnesses (H.R. 8135).

On Friday, October 4, Subcommittee on Public Lands heard testimony from public witnesses on H.J. Res. 52, to establish a commission to study the nonmineral public land laws of the U.S.; and H.R. 8070, and related bills, to establish a Public Land Law Review Commission.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 resumed hearings on dual distribution in small business (regarding the food equipment service). Heard testimony from officials of the Commercial Food Equipment Agencies of America.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Conferees, on Friday, October 4, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7179, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Defense Establishment.

Tuesday, October 8, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed vocational education bill, with 3-year extension of National Defense Education Act and school aid to impacted areas.

House adopted conference report on Defense Department appropriations.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18978–18984, 19005–19038

Bills Introduced: 6 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2220–2225; S.J. Res. 124–126; and S. Res. 210–211. **Pages 19005–19006**

Bills Referred: 16 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 18949, 18961**

Defense Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on and cleared for President H.R. 7179, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Defense Establishment. In this connection, it concurred in House amendment to Senate amendment No. 20 (funds for shipbuilding and conversion, Navy). **Pages 18961–18964**

Vocational Education: By 80 yeas to 4 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs, as amended by adoption of committee substitute (also extending for 3 years the National Defense Education Act and school assistance in federally impacted areas). Prior to this, the following actions had been taken on amendments to the committee substitute:

Adopted: Dodd amendment to redefine the meaning of real property under Public Law 874 (relief to school districts for 1 year beyond the sale of Government-owned housing property to a private buyer) in order that provisions will apply to Government-owned industrial and nonhousing property also; modified Clark amendment providing that Commissioner of Education shall submit to Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare for transmission to Congress by January 1, 1965, a full report of the operation of Public Laws 815 and 874 (respecting school aid to federally impacted areas), with recommendations.

In effect rejected was Javits amendment providing for integrated schools in federally impacted areas (by adoption, 54 yeas to 35 nays, of Morse motion to table the amendment). Motion to reconsider this action was tabled.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Morse, Hill, McNamara, Yarborough, Clark, Randolph, Prouty, Goldwater, and Javits.

Pages 18938, 18943–18948, 18949–18959, 18961, 18964–18978, 18984–19004

Indians: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 3306, establishing a fund to help finance procurement of expert assistance for Indians in cases before the Indian Claims Commission. **Page 19005**

Nomination: Nomination of Douglas Henderson, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Bolivia, was received. **Page 19038**

Recess: Recessed at 6:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, by a vote of 14 to 3, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 1732, to eliminate discrimination in public accommodations affecting interstate commerce.

Committee also approved for reporting with amendment S. 920, providing for the issuance of authorizations for alien amateur radio operators to operate their stations in the U.S. and its possessions, with reciprocal agreement between the U.S. and the alien's government; and sundry Coast Guard nominations.

D.C. MINIMUM WAGES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Public Health, Education, Welfare, and Safety concluded its hearings on S. 860, to provide broader coverage and improved standards of minimum wages in the D.C., with testimony from William H. Press, Metropolitan Washington Board of Trade; Mrs. Jean Head Sisco, Woodward & Lothrop; and John S. Cockrell, Restaurant Association of Metropolitan Washington, Inc.

Subcommittee also held hearings on S. 1406, authorizing establishment of a Junior College Division within the D.C. Teachers College, with testimony from Wesley Williams and Col. West A. Hamilton, both of the D.C. Board of Education; Dr. Carl F. Hansen, Superintendent, D.C. Public Schools; Dr. Paul Cooke, D.C. Teachers College; Irving Bryan, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; Dr. Ellis Haworth, D.C. Congress of Parents & Teachers; Alice Finlayson, D.C. Federation of Civic Associations; and Don Goodloe, American Federation of Teachers.

It was announced that the record would remain open until Friday, October 11, for the inclusion of additional written material.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued, in executive session, to receive staff briefings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor testify and answer questions with regard to the situation in Vietnam.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its hearings on illegal traffic in narcotics and organized crime, receiving continued testimony from Joseph Valachi, presently under life sentence for murder, and a former member of the organized crime network known as Cosa Nostra.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from this witness.

PESTICIDES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations continued its hearings on effects of pesticides on human health and safety, receiving testimony from Dr. Alexander Hollaender and Dr. Arthur Upton, both of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory, AEC; Dr. R. L. Metcalf, University of California, Riverside; Dr. E. O. Wilson, Biological Laboratory, Harvard University; and Dr. Kenneth F. DuBois, Air Force Radiation Laboratory, University of Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Public Lands Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration H.R. 4588, to withdraw for use by the Navy certain lands at Mojave B Aerial Gunnery Range, San Bernardino County, Calif.

Subcommittee ordered reported to the full committee without recommendation H.R. 976, authorizing acquisition of the Narbonne House to be added to the Salem Maritime National Historic Site, Mass.

Subcommittee considered, but took no action on, S. 503, authorizing acquisition of land for a headquarters site of the Isle Royale National Park, Mich.; and S. 1137, providing for the establishment of the Oregon Dunes National Shorelands.

Prior to this action, subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 976, receiving testimony from Frank Harrison, National Parks Service, Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, October 16, when it will consider further S. 1137, Oregon Dunes bill.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on employment problems, receiving testimony on adjustment to technological change from Harry Bridges, president, International Longshoremen's & Warehousemen's Union, San Francisco; and J. Paul St. Sure, president, Pacific Maritime Association, San Francisco.

Hearings are scheduled to continue on Wednesday, October 16.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 8748–8764; 6 private bills, H.R. 8765–8770; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 770, and H. Con. Res. 217, were introduced. **Pages 18937–18938**

Defense Department Appropriations: By a record vote of 336 yeas to 3 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 7179, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Four Senate amendments were reported in disagreement and on which the House voted to recede and concur in amendments Nos. 9, 11, and 27.

On amendment No. 20 the House receded and concurred with an amendment. **Pages 18908–18916**

Bill Referred: S. 1172, relating to the computation of refunds of construction differential subsidies of vessels made after December 31, 1959, was referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries. **Page 18937**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held a hearing on various pending watershed projects. Heard testimony from Representatives Weaver and Bass.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Schneebeli and Flynt. The subcommittee will continue, in executive session, Wednesday, October 9.

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on financial institutions' investment freedoms. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT TRAINING

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8720 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 8419), to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8657, to amend the Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Offense Control Act of 1961 by extending its provisions for 2 additional years and providing for certain special projects and studies.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for a briefing by Robert S. McNamara, Secretary of Defense; and Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs held a hearing regarding Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation employee benefit costs, and heard testimony from General Accounting Office and Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation officials.

RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation ordered reported to the full committee H.R. 8135 (amended), to provide for the establishment and administration of public recreational facilities at Sanford Reservoir area, Canadian River project, Texas; H.R. 130, to provide for compensation for rights-of-way acquired by the U.S. in connection with reclamation projects, the construction of which commenced after January 1, 1961; and H.R. 4323 (for appropriate committee action), to provide for payment for rights-of-way used for Ainsworth unit, Missouri River Basin project.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and began consideration of H.R. 7152 (amended), the Civil Rights Act.

The committee will continue, in executive session, on this subject Wednesday, October 9.

WATERSHED

Committee on Public Works: The committee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1523, to abolish the Beach Erosion Board and vest its functions to the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, and to establish a Coastal Engineering Research Center.

Sixteen watershed projects were also approved.

Joint Committee Meetings

MENTAL HEALTH

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1576, authorizing funds to assist in the construction of mental health facilities, but did not reach final agreement, and have tentatively scheduled a meeting for Tuesday, October 15, to give further consideration to this matter.

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Wednesday, October 9, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed an Indian claims bill and considered milk marketing bill, reaching debate-limitation agreement thereon.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19043–19065

Bills Introduced: 2 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2226–2227. **Page 19043**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Con. Res. 59, to print additional copies of a revised Government Operations Committee print entitled "Federal Disaster Relief Manual" (S. Rept. 558);

S. Con. Res. 61, authorizing the printing of additional copies of hearings on "Organized Crime and Illicit

Traffic in Narcotics," conducted by Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations (S. Rept. 559); and

S.J. Res. 123, authorizing the printing and binding of an edition of Senate Procedure (S. Rept. 560).

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Indians: Senate passed with amendments H.R. 3306, establishing a fund to help finance procurement of expert assistance for Indians in cases before the Indian Claims Commission, after adopting a committee amendment and a Dominick amendment (a substitute for sec. 2 of the bill) barring loans under the legislation if tribe has funds available adequate to obtain needed expert assistance or if in the opinion of the Secretary of the Interior the fees to be paid to the experts are unreasonable. **Pages 19065–19066**

Private Bill: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. 1981, a private bill, and the bill was indefinitely postponed. **Page 19044**

Milk Marketing: Senate considered S. 1915, to encourage the reduction of excess marketings of milk, and reached agreement to limit further debate thereon as follows: starting at noon Thursday, October 10, debate on each amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table) shall be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; no nongermane amendment will be received; and further debate on the question of the passage of the bill will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided.

Pending at adjournment was Proxmire amendment providing for transfer of the unissued milk delivery allocation of a dairy farmer to the purchaser of his farm.

Pages 19067, 19075–19078, 19087, 19095–19114

Nominations: Numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations were received. **Pages 19128–19129**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

QUALITY STABILIZATION ACT

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 774, to promote quality and price stabilization, receiving testimony from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

D.C. INSURANCE, AND COMMERCIAL CODE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 1775, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act relating to annual statements; H.R. 3191, to exempt life insurance companies of the D.C. from the regulation of loans on securities; and H.R. 5338, to enact the Uniform Commercial Code for the D.C.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued, in executive session, to receive staff briefings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, and will meet again tomorrow when these briefings will be resumed.

Also, committee announced that it would begin public hearings on this bill on Tuesday, October 15, with testimony from Secretary of the Treasury Dillon and other witnesses, to be announced at a later date.

FOREIGN AID PROGRAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of State Dean Rusk and AID Administrator David E. Bell testify and answer questions with regard to the foreign aid program.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings on illegal traffic in narcotics and organized crime, receiving testimony from Joseph Valachi, presently under life sentence for murder, and a former member of the organized crime network known as Cosa Nostra; and John J. Bergin, assistant attorney general, and John Fitzsimmons, captain of State police, both of New Jersey.

Hearings continue tomorrow on such activities in the Detroit area.

PESTICIDES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations continued its hearings on the effects of pesticides on human health and safety, having as its witnesses Dr. John P. Frawley, Hercules Powder Co., Wilmington, Del.; Dr. Ernest Jaworski, Monsanto Chemical Co., St. Louis; Dr. Julius E. Johnson, Dow Chemical Co., Midland, Mich.; and Dr. E. F. Feichtmeir, Shell Development Co., Modesto, Calif.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of David Rabinovitz, to be U.S. district judge for the western district of Wisconsin, with testimony from Senators Proxmire and Nelson; and Associate Judge Myron Gordon, Wisconsin State Supreme Court. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

VETERANS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs held hearings on the following bills: S. 385, extending maximum maturity of certain VA guaranteed or insured home loans to 35 years;

S. 1046, liberalizing eligibility requirements for medical care of war veterans awarded the Medal of Honor; S. 1959 and H.R. 221, providing educational assistance to children of veterans permanently and totally disabled from service-connected causes; S. 2064, relieving VA from paying interest on funds transferred from the direct loan revolving fund to the loan guaranty revolving fund; and H.R. 5691, to empower the VA Administrator to delegate to the Chief Medical Director authority to act upon the recommendations of disciplinary boards. Witnesses heard were Senator Morse; Robert C. Fable, Jr., General Counsel, Dr. Herman C. Kretzschmar, Assistant Chief Medical Director, John M. Dervan, Director, Loan Guaranty Service, and other officials of the Veterans' Administration; Francis W. Stover, Veterans of Foreign Wars; and Charles L. Huber, Disabled American Veterans.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S.J. Res. 123, authorizing the printing and binding of an edition of Senate Procedure; S. Con. Res. 59, to print additional copies of a revised Government Operations Committee print entitled "Federal Disaster Relief Manual"; S. Res. 198, to print additional copies of a revised Government Operations Committee print entitled "Federal Disaster Relief Manual"; and S. Con. Res. 61, to print additional copies of Government Operations Committee hearings on "Organized Crime and Illicit Traffic in Narcotics."

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, October 10, 1963, at 11 a.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved several pending watershed projects. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals for lifting restrictions on financial institutions' investment freedoms. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, October 10.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 5337, to increase the partial pay of educational employees of D.C. public schools who are on leave of absence for educational improvement;

H.R. 5871 (amended), to modify the retirement benefits of the judges of the courts of the District of Columbia;

H.R. 6413, to establish standard weights and measures for the District of Columbia;

H.R. 4333, to authorize the D.C. Board of Parole to discharge a parolee from supervision prior to the expiration of the maximum term for which he was sentenced;

H.R. 7441 (amended), to authorize the D.C. Commissioners to remove dangerous or unsafe buildings and parts thereof;

H.R. 8313, to repeal the D.C. Credit Unions Act;

H.R. 8355 (amended), to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Company Act; and

H.R. 7882 (amended), regarding exemptions from attachment and certain other process in the case of persons not residing in the District of Columbia.

FOOD REGULATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session and approved a report entitled "Consumer Protection Activities of State Governments—Part II, The Regulation of Foods and Related Products."

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The committee held a discussion on H.R. 3846, to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session to continue consideration of H.R. 7152 (amended), the Civil Rights Act.

The committee will continue on this subject in executive session, Thursday, October 10.

MARITIME INDUSTRY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and voted to table H.R. 1897, to provide for an orderly disposition of labor-management disputes in the maritime industry.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds heard testimony from Representative Ayres; and Robert T. Daly, Commissioner, Public Buildings Service, General Services Administration, on a building project survey for Akron, Ohio.

COMMITTEE TRAVEL

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 540, granting additional travel authority for the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Heard testimony from Representatives Aspinall and Saylor.

MEXICAN LABOR

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 8195, regarding the Mexican farm labor program.

Representatives Gathings, Teague of California, Purcell, Mahon, Olson of Minnesota, Rosenthal, Matsunaga, Leggett, and Gonzalez were heard on the request for a rule.

CIA

Committee on Rules: Completed hearings on H.R. 8427, to provide for establishment and maintenance of a Central Intelligence Agency retirement and disability system for a limited number of employees. No final action was taken. Heard testimony from Representative Rivers of South Carolina.

MERCURY REPORT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on NASA Legislative Oversight held a hearing on National Aeronautics and Space Administration Mercury report, and heard testimony from George P. Mueller, Director, Manned Space Flight; George Low, Deputy Director, Programs, Office of Manned Space Flight; and Walter C. Williams, Deputy Director for Missions Requirements and Flight Operations, Manned Space Craft Center, Houston, Tex., all of NASA.

Joint Committee Meetings

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the effects of ocean freight rates on the U.S. balance of payments, having as its witnesses Julian H. Singman, an attorney, Washington, D.C., former counsel to the House Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee; William Grossman, chairman, transportation department, New York University; Joseph A. Klausner, a maritime attorney, Washington, D.C.; and Wytze Gorter, department of economics, University of California.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Thursday, October 10, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bill on excess milk marketings, took up bill on aid to higher education, agreeing to debate limitation on that bill and on soil conservation bill.

House passed independent offices appropriation bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19152–19175

Bills Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced as follows: S. 2228–2231; and S. Res. 212.

Pages 19152–19153

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows:

H.J. Res. 724, to improve housing facilities for the elderly (S. Rept. 561). **Page 19152**

Soil Conservation: Senate considered S. 1588, eliminating the $10 million limitation on soil conservation programs for 1964, but deferred further action on the bill after the committee substitute amendment had been adopted, which adoption was later vacated.

It was announced by majority leader that at about 12:15 p.m. on Friday, October 11, H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act, will be temporarily put aside for the further consideration of S. 1588, and by unanimous consent it was agreed to limit debate to 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), and on question of final passage of the bill, it being provided also that no amendment may be received that is not germane to the bill. **Pages 19131–19132, 19179–19180**

Milk Marketing: By 45 yeas to 33 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed S. 1915, to encourage the reduction of excess marketings of milk, after taking the following actions on amendments:

Adopted: Proxmire amendment providing for transfer of the unissued milk delivery allocation of a dairy farmer to the purchaser of his farm; and

Rejected: By 27 yeas to 56 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), McCarthy amendment providing that when program of surplus adjustment payments to dairy farmers results in net savings to the Government under the price support program, the CCC is authorized to make payments to such farmers who agree to marketing restrictions; and by 16 yeas to 63 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Aiken amendment requiring minimum standards for milk manufacturing purposes, including sanitation standards equivalent to those recommended by Public Health Service.

Pages 19130–19131, 19132, 19134–19152

Higher Education: Senate began consideration of H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act, agreeing by unanimous consent to consider first as an amendment the Prouty substitute amendment for the committee substitute (Prouty substitute embraces the provisions of the bill as it passed the House).

It was also agreed by unanimous consent to limit debate on this legislation as follows: starting at noon on Tuesday, October 15, debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table) will be limited to 1½ hours, equally divided; that no nongermane amendment will be received; and that on question of final passage of the bill debate will be limited to 6 hours, equally divided.

Pages 19175–19180, 19187–19196, 19215–19221

Senate Staff: Senate adopted S. Res. 212, authorizing Committee on Rules to investigate financial or business interests or activities of any Senate officer or employee or former Senate officer or employee. **Pages 19181–19185**

Nominations: Senate received nomination of Philip Elman, of Maryland, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner, and one Air Force nomination. **Page 19221**

Recess: Recessed at 6:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Willis M. Hawkins, Jr., to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army; Lt. Gen. Wallace M. Greene, Jr., to be Commandant of the Marine Corps; and 5,137 nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, Mr. Hawkins and General Greene were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, unanimously approved for reporting without amendment H.J. Res. 724, to improve housing facilities for the elderly.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee began a series of hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crimes and criminal procedure in the D.C., with testimony from Walter N. Tobriner, Commissioner, and Donald Clemmer, Director, Department of Corrections, both of the D.C. government; David C. Acheson, U.S. attorney, District of Columbia; who also represented the D.C. Law Enforcement Council; and William K. Norwood, Metropolitan Washington Board of Trade.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, October 15.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued, in executive session, to receive staff briefings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, and will meet again tomorrow when these briefings will be resumed.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear John A. McCone, Director, Central Intelligence Agency, testify and answer questions regarding Vietnam, Latin America, and other matters.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to hear Secretary of State Rusk.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings into illegal traffic in narcotics and on organized crime, with testimony on such activities in the Detroit area from Commissioner George E. Edwards and Inspector Vincent Piersante, both of the Detroit Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 8771–8800; 20 private bills, H.R. 8801–8820; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 771–773, and H. Res. 543–546, were introduced.

Pages 19322–19324

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Five private bills, H.R. 1414, 1887, 4862, 6624, and 6795 (H. Repts. 825–829, respectively);

S. 876, to convey certain land in Prince Georges County, Md., to the American National Red Cross (H. Rept. 830);

H.R. 3368 a private bill (H. Rept. 831);

H.R. 4801, to amend Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 regarding certification of facts based upon transferred records (H. Rept. 832);

H.J. Res. 747, proclaiming November 19, 1963, as Gettysburg Address Centennial Day (H. Rept. 833);

H. Res. 540, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs (H. Rept. 834);

H.R. 6413, regarding size of milk and ice cream containers in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 835);

H.R. 7882, regarding exemptions from attachment and certain other process in the case of persons not residing in the District of Columbia, amended (H. Rept. 836);

H.R. 5337, to increase partial pay for D.C. school board employees on educational leave (H. Rept. 837);

H.R. 4333, to authorize discharge of D. C. parolees from supervision prior to the expiration of their maximum term (H. Rept. 838);

H.R. 5871, to amend the D.C. Judges Retirement Act (H. Rept. 839);

H.R. 8313, to repeal D.C. Credit Unions Act and to convert credit unions to Federal credit unions, amended (H. Rept. 840);

H.R. 8355, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act regarding capital of stock insurance companies (H. Rept. 841);

H.R. 7441, to amend the act authorizing removal of dangerous and unsafe buildings in the District of Columbia, amended (H. Rept. 842);

H. Res. 544, providing for consideration of, 2 hours of debate on, and the substitution of provisions of H.R. 8195, to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program, for the text of S. 1703 (H. Rept. 843);

S. 1828, authorizing the appropriation of funds for the Battle of Lake Erie Sesquicentennial Celebration Commission, amended (H. Rept. 844); and

H. Res. 543, providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 8427, to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Central Intelligence Agency retirement and disability system for a limited number of employees (H. Rept. 845). **Page 19322**

Independent Offices Appropriations: By a record vote of 302 yeas to 32 nays the House passed H.R. 8747, making appropriations for sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, corporations, agencies, and offices for fiscal year 1964.

A recommital motion designed to reduce by $200 million the research and development funds for National Aeronautics and Space Administration was rejected by a record vote of 145 yeas to 192 nays.

Adopted amendments that would:

Require approval of Senate to agreements as provided by section 205 of the National Aeronautics and Space Act of 1958, prior to use of funds for joint lunar landings with Communist countries;

Bar use of any funds to pay salaries of study group for creation of a domestic peace corps or National Service Corps; and

Reduce by $100,000 the funds for salaries and expenses of the Federal Power Commission.

Rejected amendments that sought to:

Reduce by $700 million the NASA funds for research and development with limitations of $597,400,000 and $124,400,000 placed on the Apollo project and the lunar and planetary exploration program, respectively;

Delete $3,990,000 from NASA facility construction funds for an electronic research center; and

Reduce from $60 million to $500,000 the amount provided for civil supersonic aircraft development.

As reported from the Committee on Appropriations the bill provided appropriations of $13,102,818,700, which figure is $1,555,769,300 less than the budget estimates. **Pages 19222–19271**

Executive Communication—Grain Sales: Heard the reading of a communication from the President regarding the Government's decision not to oppose sales of surplus grain to the Soviet Union by private American dealers. The communication was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 163). **Pages 19283–19284**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 16. **Page 19279**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals to lift restrictions on financial institutions' investment freedoms, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, October 11.

D.C. REDEVELOPMENT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and considered H.R. 3189 and S. 628, similar bills, the District of Columbia Redevelopment Act Amendments. No final action was taken.

ELEMENTARY-SECONDARY EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on elementary and secondary education. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 3846 (amended), to establish a land and water conservation fund to assist the States and Federal agencies in meeting present and future outdoor recreational demands and needs of the American people.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session to continue consideration of H.R. 7152 (amended), the Civil Rights Act.

CIA RETIREMENT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 8427, to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Central Intelligence Agency retirement and disability system for a limited number of employees.

Joint Committee Meetings

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded the second phase of its hearings on the effects of ocean freight rates on the U.S. balance of payments, after receiving testimony from Representative Dingell; Thomas A. Arnholz, president, Chemoleum Corp.; Robert R. Clark, vice president, Chemical Sales, FMC International, Inc.; and Arthur Dodge, president, Dodge Cork Co.

It was announced that hearings would resume on Tuesday, November 19, when representatives of steamship lines will testify.

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Friday, October 11, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on soil conservation and Indians and continued on higher education bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19335–19345

Bills Introduced: Three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2232–2234; S.J. Res. 127; and S. Res. 213. **Page 19336**

Soil Conservation: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 1588, eliminating the $10 million limitation on soil conservation programs for 1964, as amended by committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute). Prior to these actions Senate rejected Mundt amendment (to committee substitute) on restriction of use of certain land for grazing purposes (motion to reconsider tabled). **Pages 19345–19352**

Printing: S. Con. Res. 59, to print additional copies of a revised Government Operations Committee print entitled "Federal Disaster Relief Manual," was adopted without amendment. **Page 19367**

Printing: Senate adopted without amendment S. Con. Res. 61, authorizing the printing of additional copies of hearings on "Organized Crime and Illicit Traffic in Narcotics," conducted by Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations. **Page 19367**

Printing: S.J. Res. 123, authorizing the printing and binding of an edition of Senate Procedure, was adopted without amendment. **Page 19367**

Indians: Senate adopted S. 1049, providing for the partition or sale of Indian land held in trust or restricted status, after amending the bill by adoption of committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute). Two amendments, as follows, offered to the committee substitute, were rejected: (1) Burdick amendment respecting funds available for purchase of land, and (2) McGovern amendment to eliminate section 7(b) respecting sale or exchange in trust status land acquired by a tribe pursuant to this legislation. **Pages 19367–19371**

Higher Education: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act, with pending question at adjournment being Prouty substitute amendment for the committee substitute (Prouty substitute contains the language of the bill as it passed the House). **Pages 19367, 19373–19405**

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Willis Moore Hawkins, Jr., of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army, and numerous nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps. **Pages 19411–19412**

Nomination: The nomination of John R. Reilly, of Iowa, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner, was received. **Page 19411**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Commissioners Walter N. Tobriner and John B. Duncan, and Dr. Murray Grant, Director of Public Health, and other officials of the D.C.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 14.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued, in executive session, to receive staff briefings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, and will meet again on Monday, October 14.

LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Under Secretary of State George W. Ball testify principally in connection with Latin American matters.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings into illegal traffic in narcotics and on organized crime, with further testimony on such activities in the Detroit area from Commissioner George E. Edwards and Inspector Vincent Piersante, both of the Detroit Police Department.

In an afternoon session, subcommittee heard testimony on such activities in the Chicago area from Orlando W. Wilson, superintendent, Capt. William J. Duffey, director of intelligence, and Joseph F. Morris, deputy superintendent, all of the Chicago Police Department, the latter of whom submitted a statement.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, October 15, when subcommittee will receive testimony on such activities in the Tampa and Buffalo areas.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, October 14, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals to lift restrictions on investment freedoms on financial institutions. Heard testimony from Representative Cleveland; and a public witness.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs considered H.R. 1713, to approve the order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Klamath Indian irrigation project, Oregon; H.R. 6151, to increase the appropriation authorization for the completion of construction of the irrigation and power systems of the Flathead Indian irrigation project, Montana; and H.R. 8527, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians.

Heard testimony from Representatives Ullman (H.R. 1713); White (H.R. 8527); Olsen of Montana (H.R. 6151); and Department of Interior witnesses (all measures).

H.R. 2485, authorizing immediate treatment of minors in the D.C. who are found to have venereal disease. Signed October 11, 1963 (P.L. 88–137).

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Monday, October 14, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Tuesday, October 15, at noon.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, with further testimony on funds for public health from John B. Duncan, Commissioner, Schuyler Lowe, Department of General Administration, Dr. Murray Grant, Director of Public Health, and other officials of the D.C. government.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from the following witnesses: Edward C. Welsh, Executive Secretary, National Aeronautics and Space Council; Edward A. McDermott, Director, Office of Emergency Planning; Jerome B. Wiesner, Director, Office of Science and Technology; Alan S. Boyd, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission; Rosel H. Hyde and Kenneth A. Cox, both members of the Federal Communications Commission; and Joseph P. McMurray, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued, in executive session, to receive staff briefings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to begin hearings on this bill, with testimony from Secretary of the Treasury Douglas Dillon.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Seven public bills, H.R. 8821–8827; three private bills, H.R. 8828–8830; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 774 and 775, were introduced. **Page 19449**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 1064, establishing the candela as the unit of luminous intensity (H. Rept. 846);

H.R. 5838, amending the Organic Act of the National Bureau of Standards regarding fiscal year limitation of appropriations (H. Rept. 847);

S. 1523, making certain changes in functions of the Beach Erosion Board and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, amended (H. Rept. 848);

H.R. 5244, modifying the project on the Mississippi River at Muscatine, Iowa, to permit the use of certain property for public park purposes, amended (H. Rept. 849); and

H.R. 6001, authorizing the conveyance to the Waukegan Port District, Illinois, of certain real property of the United States, amended (H. Rept. 850). **Pages 19448–19449**

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of bills pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up, considered, and passed:

Weights and measures: H.R. 6413, to amend the act approved March 3, 1921, regarding size of milk and ice cream containers in the District of Columbia. **Pages 19413–19414**

Parolee discharge: H.R. 4333, to authorize discharge of parolees from supervision of D.C. Board of Parole prior to the expiration of their maximum term. **Pages 19414–19416**

Unsafe buildings removal: H.R. 7441, to amend the act authorizing removal of dangerous and unsafe buildings regarding uniform assessment of costs (amended). **Pages 19416–19418**

Credit unions: H.R. 8313, to repeal the D.C. Credit Unions Act and to convert credit unions incorporated thereunder to Federal credit unions. **Pages 19418–19420**

Life insurance companies: H.R. 8355, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act in regard to capital of stock insurance companies (amended). **Pages 19420–19422**

Garnishment actions: H.R. 7882, to amend the act of March 3, 1901, with respect to exemptions from attachment and certain other process in the case of D.C. nonresidents (amended). **Pages 19422–19423**

Educational leave pay increase: H.R. 5337, to increase the partial pay of educational employees of the D.C. public schools who are on leave of absence for educational purposes. **Pages 19423–19426**

Judicial retirement: H.R. 5871, to modify the retirement benefits of the judges of the District of Columbia Court of General Sessions, the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, and the Juvenile Court of the District of Columbia (amended and passed by a record vote of 150 yeas to 86 nays). **Pages 19426–19431**

Bills Referred: Six Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 19448**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7123, to approve an agreement entered into by the Navajo Tribe of Indians relating to oil and gas leases; H.R. 3735 (amended), to set aside certain land in Montana for the Indians of the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation; H.R. 6694 (amended), relating to vocational training for Indians, including nurses' training; H.R. 1713 (amended), to approve an order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Klamath Indian irrigation project, Oregon; and H.R. 8527, to provide for disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians, Idaho.

Discussed a proposed subcommittee resolution regarding use of tribal judgment funds to pay attorney fees.

Ordered reported to the full committee for appropriate disposition: H.R. 7434, 8266, and S. 1868, to amend the act of August 3, 1956, relating to adult Indian vocational training; and S. 912 (same title as H.R. 7123).

FISHING BOAT OWNERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety held a hearing on medical care for fishing boat owners. Heard testimony from Representatives Rivers of Alaska, Pike, and McIntire; departmental officials; and public witnesses.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution in small business (regarding automotive service industries), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

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Tuesday, October 15, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on higher education bill but postponed it until October 21.
House passed bill on preservation and reproduction of historic documents.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19509–19538

Bills Introduced: Three bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2235–2237; S. Con. Res. 62–64; and S. Res. 214. Pages 19510–19511

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 920, providing for the issuance of authorizations for alien amateur radio operators to operate their stations in the U.S. and its possessions, with reciprocal agreement between the U.S. and the alien's government, with amendments (S. Rept. 562). Page 19510

Bills Referred: Eight House-passed bills were referred to Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 19455

President's Communication—Wheat: Communication from President respecting sale of surplus American wheat was received and referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. Page 19509

Housing for Elderly: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 724, to improve housing facilities for the elderly. Motion to reconsider this passage was tabled. Page 19459

Higher Education: Senate worked on H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act, taking the following action on amendments to committee amendment (in nature of a substitute):

Adopted: By 45 yeas to 33 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Ervin amendment to permit taxpayers' suits to test constitutionality of loans or grants to religious schools; McIntyre amendment adding to the definition in bill of "an institution of higher education"; Clark amendment authorizing appropriations for grants for construction of graduate academic facilities; and Morse amendment adding to the definition in bill of "academic facilities."

Rejected: By 33 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Prouty substitute amendment for the committee substitute (Prouty substitute contains the language of the bill as it passed the House); by 26 yeas to 55 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Ervin amendment to exclude from purview of the bill any higher institutions of learning owned, dominated, or operated by a religious organization.

The bill was then temporarily put aside until Monday, October 21, for the consideration of other business in the interim. Pages 19455, 19463, 19465, 19467–19504

Water Pollution: By unanimous consent, Senate agreed that S. 649, providing for the establishment within the Department of HEW of a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, will be considered starting at noon Wednesday, October 16, and that debate thereon will be limited as follows: 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); that no nongermane amendment will be accepted; and that debate on question of passage of bill will be limited to 4 hours, equally divided (except that 1 hour of this time shall be allotted to Senator Cooper for debate on an amendment to be offered by him).

Committee amendments were then adopted en bloc, and will be considered as original text for purpose of further amendment. Pages 19504–19509

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, with further testimony on funds for public health from John B. Duncan, Commissioner, Schuyler Lowe, Department of General Administration, Dr. Murray Grant, Director, and Dr. Samuel Shwartz, both of the Department of Public Health, and other officials of the D.C. government.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from the following witnesses: Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Joseph Campbell, Comptroller General, GAO; Bernard L. Boutin, Administrator, General Services Administration; and Robert C. Weaver, Administrator, Housing and Home Finance Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute H.R. 6500, authorizing funds for military construction for fiscal year 1964.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing held hearings on S. 981, to assist in the provision of housing for domestic farm labor, with testimony from Howard Bertsch, Administrator, Farmers Home Administration; John F. Henning, Under Secretary of Labor; Rev. James L. Vizzard, S.J., National Catholic Rural Life Conference; Mrs. Sarah Newman, National Consumers League; and Robert P. Burnett, National Congress of American Indians.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, October 17, to hear testimony on other pending legislation.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 2100, continuing authority of Secretary of Commerce to suspend certain provisions of the Merchant Marine Act with respect to the transportation of lumber (amended); and H.R. 75, to provide for exceptions to the rules of navigation with respect to operating beneath bridges.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crimes and criminal procedure in the D.C., with testimony on the so-called "Durham rule" from David Acheson, U.S. attorney for the District of Columbia; Robert F. Kneipp, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; Dr. Dale Cameron, Superintendent, St. Elizabeths Hospital; and Chief Robert V. Murray, Metropolitan Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee began hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, receiving testimony from Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon, who did not conclude with his testimony, and will continue with same tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID PROGRAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its executive consideration of S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Investigating Subcommittee resumed its hearings on illegal traffic in narcotics and on organized crime, with testimony on such activities in the Tampa area from Neil G. Brown, chief, and Jack de la Llana, both of the Tampa Police Department; Sgt. W. Branch, Orlando Police Department; and James M. Russ, county solicitor, Orange County, Fla.

Subcommittee heard testimony on such activities in the Boston area from Col. Walter Stone, superintendent, Lt. Joseph J. McCauley, and Cpl. J. W. Mullins, all of the Rhode Island State Police Department; and Edmond McNamara, commissioner, and John Howland, both of the Boston Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow on such activities in the Buffalo area.

WATER RESOURCES PLANNING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee met in executive session for the consideration of S. 1111, to establish a Water Resources Council to assist in the development of comprehensive water resources planning, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Nine public bills, H.R. 8831–8839; seven private bills, H.R. 8840–8846; and 7 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 218–222, and H. Res. 547 and 548, were introduced. **Page 19601**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7771, to prohibit discrimination in federally assisted education (H.Rept. 851); and

S. 530, to provide for an investigation and study of means of making the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence Seaway available for navigation during the entire year, amended (H. Rept. 852). **Page 19601**

Private Calendar: On the call of the Private Calendar the following bills were passed:

Cleared for the President: S. 838 and 1313.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1174, 1273, 1432, 1851, 2305, 4760, 4766, 6316, 8222, and 8470.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 1289, 1495, 1566, 2799, 3908, 4076, 4507, 4681, 5453, 6038, 6477, and 8280.

Passed over without prejudice: S. 1201, H.R. 1277, 2300, 2706, 2728, 5145, 6182, and 7268.

Further call of the Private Calendar was dispensed with after item No. 250. **Pages 19538–19543**

Historic Documents Reproduction: By a record vote of 158 yeas to 154 nays the House passed H.R. 6237, to authorize grants for the collection, reproduction, and publication of documentary source material significant to the history of the United States. A recommittal motion had previously been rejected by a voice vote.

Amendments were adopted that—

Replaced the word "editing" with the words "preserving and compiling";

Would limit the program to 5 years with a fiscal limitation of $500,000; and

Would require an annual audit and accounting of all grants and donations by the Administrator to Congress.

H. Res. 538, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 19544–19565**

Vocational Education: Objection was raised to an effort to send to conference the bill H.R. 4955, to strengthen and improve the quality of vocational education and to expand the vocational education opportunities in the Nation. **Pages 19565–19566**

Committee To Sit: The Committee on Public Works was authorized to sit during general debate of the sessions of the House today and the balance of the week. Similar authority was granted the Committee on the Judiciary for Wednesday, October 16. **Pages 19538, 19600**

Committee Travel Authority: Adopted H. Res. 540, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs to investigate and study the development of geothermal steam resources in Italy and Iceland. **Pages 19543–19544**

Mental Retardation: H.R. 7544, to amend the Social Security Act to assist States and communities in preventing and combating mental retardation, was cleared for Presidential consideration by House concurrence in a Senate amendment thereto. **Pages 19544–19545**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REA LOAN

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight and Consumer Relations held a hearing on Rural Electrification Administration loan to the Blue Knob Development Corp., Altoona, Pa. Heard testimony from Norman M. Clapp, Administrator, REA.

Statements were presented for the record by Senator Clark and Representative Michel.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session on H.R. 23, and related bills, to amend the Federal Coal Mine Safety Act. No announcements were made.

PEACE CORPS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Heard testimony from R. Sargent Shriver, Jr., Director of the Peace Corps, on proposed amendments to the Peace Corps Act. Hearings continue Wednesday, October 16.

BANKING INSTITUTIONS—CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs held a hearing on the rise in crimes against banks and savings and loan associations. Heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses.

HOUSE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

S.J. Res. 123, to provide for the printing and binding of an edition of Senate Procedure and providing the same shall be subject to copyright by the authors;

S. Con. Res. 59, to print, for the use of the Committee on Government Operations, 25,000 additional copies of the revised edition of the committee print entitled "Federal Disaster Relief Manual";

S. Con. Res. 61, to authorize the printing of additional copies of hearings on "Organized Crime and Illicit Traffic in Narcotics" of the Senate Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations; and

H. Res. 542, to provide for the expenses of an investigation authorized by H. Res. 103.

PACIFIC ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session for a briefing by Anthony Solomons, Chairman, President's Task Force To Study the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. No announcements were made.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session to continue consideration of H.R. 7152 (amended), the Civil Rights Act.

The committee will continue on this subject, in executive session, Thursday, October 17.

FEDERAL PAY INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Concluded hearings on Federal pay increase legislation. Heard testimony from Kermit Gordon, Director, Bureau of the Budget; and John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission.

PUBLIC WORKS ACCELERATION ACT

Committee on Public Works: Held a hearing on H.R. 7351, and similar bills, to amend the Public Works Acceleration Act, to increase the authorization for appropriations under that act. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses; the mayor of Pittsburgh; and a public witness.

SCIENCE—GOVERNMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science Research and Development heard testimony from Dr. Frederick Seitz, President, National Academy of Sciences, on the general relationship of Government and science.

COFFEE

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on H.R. 8378, to carry out U.S. obligations under the International Coffee Agreement of 1962. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, October 16.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR REACTORS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Legislation held hearings on proposed modifications to the Piqua, Ohio, and Elk River, Minn., nuclear reactor projects, receiving testimony from A. R. Luedecke, General Manager, and Dr. Frank K. Pittman, Director, Division of Reactor Development, both of the AEC; Henry Nickel, Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Co., and Eldon Welsh and Robert Campbell, both of the Rural Cooperative Power Association of Elk River, who directed their remarks to the Minnesota project; and John P. Gallagher, director of utilities, Piqua, and Chauncey Starr, president, Atomics International, who directed their remarks to the Ohio project.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to consider various pending items of business, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

ELECTRIC POWER

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1007, establishing procedures for giving consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy produced in that area, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Wednesday, October 23.

Wednesday, October 16, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on water pollution, Court of Claims, and communications, and took up bill on rice acreage.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19682–19699

Bills Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2238–2241; and S. Res. 215. **Pages 19682–19683**

Bills Referred: 23 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 19688**

Water Pollution: By 69 yeas to 11 nays, Senate passed with amendments (committee amendments having been adopted yesterday) S. 649, providing for the establishment within the Department of HEW of a Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, after rejecting modified Cooper amendment providing that Secretary of HEW shall conduct public hearings for purpose of making recommendations to Congress on measures to be taken to carry out the legislation.

Motion to reconsider vote on passage was tabled. **Pages 19638, 19640–19651, 19661–19682**

Alien Radio Operators: S. 920, providing for the issuance of authorizations for alien amateur radio operators to operate their stations in the U.S. and its possessions, with reciprocal agreement between the U.S. and the alien's government, was passed with committee amendments. **Pages 19700–19701**

Government Employees: By unanimous consent, S. 1973, extending to Alaska and Hawaii benefits relating to the transportation of the remains, families, and effects of Federal employees dying abroad, was taken from calendar and recommitted to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **Page 19701**

Court of Claims: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 102, to provide for five additional Commissioners of the U.S. Court of Claims. **Pages 19701–19705**

Rice: Senate made its unfinished business H.J. Res. 192, relating to the validity of certain rice acreage allotments for 1962 and prior crop years. **Page 19705**

Treaties: The following two treaties were reported: Consular Conventions between (1) U.S. and Japan, together with a protocol, signed at Tokyo March 22, 1963 (Ex. I, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), and between (2) U.S. and Korea, signed at Seoul January 8, 1963 (Ex. B, 88th Cong., 1st sess.) (Ex. Rept. 6). **Page 19682**

Nominations: The nominations of Paul H. Nitze, of Maryland, to be Secretary of the Navy, and William P. Bundy, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, were received. **Page 19718**

Recess: Recessed at 5:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PESTICIDES LABELING

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 1605, providing for a system of labeling insecticides and pesticides.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Laurence K. Walrath, Chairman, and other members of the Interstate Commerce Commission; Walter E. Washington, Executive Director, National Capital Housing Authority; Lawrence E. Hartwig, Chairman, who was accompanied by members of the Renegotiation Board; William L. Cary, Chairman, and three other members of the Securities and Exchange Commission; Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System; and Joseph C. Swidler, Chairman, and three other members of the Federal Power Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUPERSONIC AIRLINER

Committee on Commerce: The Aviation Subcommittee began a series of hearings to obtain information from officials of the Government, aircraft manufacturers, and airline operators concerning the development of a commercial supersonic aircraft. Witnesses heard today were Alan S. Boyd, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; and Najeeb E. Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Mr. Halaby.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crimes and criminal procedure in the D.C., having as its witnesses Dr. Winfred Overholser, former Superintendent of St. Elizabeths Hospital; Dr. Manfred Guttmacher, chief medical officer, Supreme Bench of the City of Baltimore; Abe Krash, an attorney of Washington, D.C.; and A. Kenneth Pye, associate dean, Georgetown University Law School.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, with further testimony from Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon.

Secretary Dillon will resume testifying tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID PROGRAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued, in executive session, to mark up S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings on illegal traffic in narcotics and on organized crime, receiving testimony on such activities in the Buffalo area from W. M. Schneider, commissioner of police, Lt. Michael A. Amico, assistant chief of detectives, and Detective Sgt. Samuel Grambrone, all of the Buffalo Police Department.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 26, authorizing construction and operation of the Dixie project, Utah (amended); S. 1584, authorizing execution of a contract for repayment of reimbursable costs of the Newton project, Utah; H.R. 641, authorizing removal of certain assessable land from the Wapato Indian irrigation project, Washington; S. 1299, deferring certain operation and maintenance charges of the Eden Valley Irrigation & Drainage District, Wyoming (amended); S. 1687, authorizing modification of the repayment contract of the Big Flat Irrigation District, Montana; S.J. Res. 49, authorizing continuing program to reduce nonbeneficial consumptive use of water in the Pecos River Basin, N. Mex. and Tex. (amended); H.R. 4588, to withdraw for use by the Navy certain lands at Mojave B Aerial Gunnery Range, San Bernardino County, Calif.; S. 16, authorizing establishment of the Ozark National Rivers, Mo. (amended); and S. 1243, authorizing acquisition of the Andrew Johnson Home at Greenville, Tenn., for addition to the Andrew Johnson National Monument.

Committee also approved a small reclamation projects loan application of the Hooper Irrigation Co., Utah.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider other pending legislation.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on manpower problems, having as its witnesses Francis Keppel, Commissioner, Dr. Daniel F. Fusfeld, and Dr. Walter M. Arnold, all of the Office of Education, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: One public bill, H.R. 8847; five private bills, H.R. 8848-8852; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 776, H. Con. Res. 223, and H. Res. 549, were introduced. Page 19637

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 542, to provide for the expenses of an investigation authorized by H. Res. 103 (H. Rept. 853);

S.J. Res. 123, to authorize the printing and binding of an edition of Senate Procedure and providing the same shall be subject to copyright by the authors (H. Rept. 854);

S. Con. Res. 59, to print, for the use of the Committee on Government Operations, 25,000 additional copies of a revised committee print entitled "Federal Disaster Relief Manual" (H. Rept. 855);

S. Con. Res. 61, authorizing the printing of additional copies of hearings on "Organized Crime and Illicit Traffic in Narcotics" of the Senate Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations (H. Rept. 856);

S. Con. Res. 58, to print additional copies of the hearings on the nuclear test ban treaty for the Committee on Foreign Relations (H. Rept. 857);

Report of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service entitled "Use of Electronic Data Processing

Equipment in the Federal Government" (H. Rept. 858); and

H. Res. 549, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 5945, to establish a procedure for the prompt settlement, in a democratic manner, of the political status of Puerto Rico (H. Rept. 859). **Page 19637**

Late Report: The Committee on Ways and Means was granted permission to file, by midnight Friday, a report on H.R. 8821, to revise the provisions of law relating to the methods by which amounts made available to the States pursuant to the Temporary Unemployment Compensation Act of 1958 and title XII of the Social Security Act are to be restored to the Treasury. **Page 19610**

Committee Investigation Expense: Adopted H. Res. 542, to provide $5,000 for expenses of investigation of administration and operation of St. Elizabeths Hospital, by the Committee on Education and Labor. **Pages 19610–19611**

Printing Resolutions: The following resolutions providing for the printing of additional copies of sundry congressional documents were called up, considered, and passed by the House:

S.J. Res. 123, to authorize the printing and binding of an edition of Senate Procedure and providing the same shall be subject to copyright by the authors;

S. Con. Res. 59, to print, for the use of the Committee on Government Operations, 25,000 additional copies of a revised committee print entitled "Federal Disaster Relief Manual";

S. Con. Res. 61, authorizing the printing of additional copies of hearings on "Organized Crime and Illicit Traffic in Narcotics" of the Senate Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations; and

S. Con. Res. 58, to print additional copies of the hearings on the nuclear test ban treaty for the Committee on Foreign Relations (amended and returned to Senate). **Page 19611**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 6600, to amend title 10, U.S. Code, with respect to the appointment of members of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Heard testimony from Roswell L. Gilpatric, Deputy Secretary of Defense; and the Director of International Relations for the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

D.C. BUSINESSS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5097, to amend the D.C. Practical Nurses' Licensing Act, to permit the licensing of such nurses who have practiced in the Washington metropolitan area.

Considered H.R. 5882, regarding the zoning of foreign chanceries; and H.R. 5098, to eliminate payment of tuition by nonresidents attending D.C. public schools. No final action was taken.

PENSION PLANS ACTS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 4669, 4670, and 4671, bills to amend the Landrum-Griffin and Welfare Pension Plans Acts. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

PEACE CORPS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed amendments to Peace Corps Act, and heard testimony from R. Sargent Shriver, Jr., Director of the Peace Corps.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. No announcements were made.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session on H.R. 7152 (amended), the Civil Rights Act.

DATA PROCESSING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and approved a report from the Subcommittee on Census and Government Statistics entitled "Use of Electronic Data Processing Equipment by the Federal Government."

PUBLIC WORKS ACCELERATION ACT

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 7351, and similar bills, to amend the Public Works Acceleration Act, to increase the authorization for appropriations under that act. Heard testimony from Representatives Flood, Stratton, Staebler, Hechler, O'Konski, and Perkins; and public witnesses.

A statement was presented for the record by Representative Kee.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 5945, to establish a procedure for the prompt settlement, in a democratic manner, of the political status of Puerto Rico.

Representatives Aspinall and O'Brien of New York, and Commissioner Fernós-Isern, testified on the request for a rule.

RIVER BASIN AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Rules: Deferred hearing on request for a rule on H.R. 8667, to authorize additional appropriation for certain river basins, at request of Committee on Public Works.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on a request to send to conference H.R. 4955, the vocational education bill. No final action was taken.

Representatives Perkins, Green of Oregon, Dent, Goodell, Quie, Martin of Nebraska, and Findley testified on the request.

SCIENCE-GOVERNMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science Research and Development heard testimony from Dr. Jerome B. Wiesner, Director, Office of Science and Technology, NASA, and Science Adviser to the President, on the general relationship of Government and science.

CUBA

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee heard testimony from public witnesses regarding travel of U.S. citizens to Cuba.

TEMPORARY UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION—COFFEE AGREEMENT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8821 (amended), to revise the provisions of law relating to the methods by which amounts made available to the States pursuant to the Temporary Unemployment Compensation Act of 1958 and title XII of the Social Security Act are to be restored to the Treasury.

Considered H.R. 8378, to carry out U.S. obligations under the International Coffee Agreement of 1962. No final action was taken.

Joint Committee Meetings

NEVADA TEST SITE COMMUNITY

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittees on Legislation and Communities held joint hearings on S. 2030 and H.R. 8003, providing for the establishment of a community at or near the Nevada Test Site, having as its witnesses Dr. Robert C. Seamans, Jr., Associate Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Milton P. Semer, General Counsel, HHFA; and A. R. Luedecke, General Manager, Atomic Energy Commission, all of whom were accompanied by their associates.

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Thursday, October 17, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on courts, Presidential transition, rice, and reclamation.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19726–19735

Bills Introduced: Six bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2242–2247; and S. Res. 216.

Page 19727

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 641, authorizing removal of certain assessable land from the Wapato Indian irrigation project, Washington (S. Rept. 563);

H.R. 4588, to withdraw for use by the Navy certain lands at Mojave B Aerial Gunnery Range, San Bernardino County, Calif. (S. Rept. 564);

S. 1687, authorizing modification of the repayment contract of the Big Flat Irrigation District, Montana (S. Rept. 565);

S. 1584, authorizing execution of a contract for repayment of reimbursable costs of the Newton project, Utah (S. Rept. 566);

S. 1299, deferring certain operation and maintenance charges of the Eden Valley Irrigation & Drainage District, Wyoming, with amendments (S. Rept. 567);

S. 2100, continuing authority of Secretary of Commerce to suspend certain provisions of the Merchant Marine Act with respect to the transportation of lumber, with amendments and with minority views (S. Rept. 568);

H.R. 75, to provide for exceptions to the rules of navigation with respect to operating beneath bridges (S. Rept. 569); and

S. 1243, authorizing acquisition of the Andrew Johnson Home at Greenville, Tenn., for addition to the Andrew Johnson National Monument, with amendments (S. Rept. 570). Page 19727

Senator Kefauver Memorial: Senate adopted S. Res. 216, providing that on Thursday, October 24, legislative business will be suspended to hear tributes by Senators on the life, character, and public services, of the late Senator Kefauver. Page 19727

Courts: Senate passed S. 979, providing for the inclusion of a district judge or judges on the judicial council of each circuit, after adopting Johnston amendment respecting composition of the judicial council of each circuit. Pages 19735–19737

Executive Power Transfer: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 4638, proposed Presidential Transition Act of 1963, after adopting two amendments as follows: (1) Mansfield amendment to reduce from $1.3 million to $500,000 authorization of appropriations for carrying out this legislation, and (2) Miller amendment to eliminate language that not more than 20 percent of the total expenditures under this legislation may be made on certification that such expenditures are confidential. Pages 19737–19739

D.C.: S. 1543, repealing the legislation prohibiting Federal employment of employees of the Pinkerton Detective Agency or any similar agency, was passed with McClellan amendment barring employee of any detective agency from providing investigative service for the Federal Government or the D.C. government. Pages 19743–19744

Rice: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) H.J. Res. 192, relating to the validity of certain rice acreage allotments for 1962 and prior crop years. This action cleared the bill for the White House. Pages 19739, 19744–19747

Reclamation: S. 283, increasing the limitation on costs of projects authorized pursuant to the Small Reclamation Projects Act, was passed with committee amendments, and a Kuchel amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) to provide that limitation on loan or grant, under the legislation shall be $7.5 million rather than $5 million. Pages 19739, 19747–19750

Veterans: By unanimous consent Senate reconsidered its passage on August 20, 1963, of S. 1914, to incorporate the Catholic War Veterans of the U.S. of America. Also, by unanimous consent, it was agreed that following disposition on Monday, October 21, of H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act, there be 30 minutes, equally divided, on question of passage of S. 1914 and S. 1942, to incorporate the Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A. (after Senate has reconsidered passage on August 20, 1963, of the latter bill), and it was also agreed that on the question of passage again of these bills, the vote be taken by yea and nay. Pages 19763, 19769–19773

Confirmations: The nomination of Lt. Gen. Wallace M. Greene, Jr., to be Commandant of the Marine Corps, was confirmed. Page 19774

Nominations: Numerous Marine Corps nominations, and one Coast Guard nomination, were received. Pages 19773–19774

Recess: Recessed at 4:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense), and his assistants; and Dr. Gabriel P. Ferrazzano, Office of the Surgeon General, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, and the Judiciary, receiving testimony from the following witnesses on funds for the Commerce Department: Richard M. Scammon, Director, Bureau of the Census, and associates; Roy L. Morgan, Director, Office of Field Services, and associates; Eugene M. Braderman, Director, Bureau of International Commerce, and associates; and James Collins, Director, Office of Trade Adjustment, and associates.

Hearings continue Tuesday, October 22.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing held hearings on S. 1200, authorizing Commissioner of Housing to pay claims for major defects in one- to four-family homes covered by FHA-insured mortgages, and S. 2226, a similar bill, receiving testimony from Robert C. Weaver, Administrator, Housing and Home Finance Agency; P. N. Brownstein, Commissioner, FHA; Alan E. Brockbank, past president, accompanied by Herbert Colton, general counsel, both of the National Association of Home Builders; and Samuel E. Neel, general counsel, Mortgage Bankers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUPERSONIC AIRLINER

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Aviation heard further testimony from Najeeb E. Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency, concerning the development of a commercial supersonic aircraft.

Hearings continue Monday, October 21.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crimes and criminal procedure in the D.C., with testimony from Oliver Gasch, former U.S. district attorney for the D.C.; Judge Alexander Holtzoff, U.S. District Court for the D.C.; William K. Norwood, D.C. Board of Trade; and Col. William A. Roberts, president, D.C. Federation of Citizens' Associations.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, October 22.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, with further testimony from Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID PROGRAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, continued markup of S. 1276, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964.

Markup continues tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: In executive session, committee ordered the following bills favorably reported: H.R. 6225, authorizing funds for the rehabilitation of Guam from typhoon damage; H.R. 6481, to permit the government of Guam to authorize a public authority to undertake housing activities; H.R. 1989, authorizing the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds (amended); H.R. 2073, relating to the jurisdiction over certain submerged lands of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa; H.R. 2635, to include the Fort Mojave Indian Reservation among reservations excepted from the 25-year lease limitation; S. 1718, to amend the law with respect to trade with the Indians (amended); S. 1594, to allow the Navajo and the Ute Mountain Tribes to bring suit in order to quiet title to reservation lands; S. 1885, declaring that the U.S. hold in trust for the Indians of the Battle Mountain Colony, Nev., certain lands used for cemetery purposes (amended); S. 2139, to provide for disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians, Idaho; S. 2111, to fix the beneficial ownership of the Colorado River Indian Reservation, Ariz. and Calif. (amended); H.R. 844, declaring that certain U.S. land be held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation; H.R. 845, declaring that certain U.S. land be held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation; and S. 136, placing certain U.S.-held lands in trust for the Rosebud Sioux Tribe of South Dakota (amended).

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on manpower problems, with testimony from Dr. Samuel D. Proctor, president, Agricultural & Technical College of North Carolina; Dr. Carl Hansen, Superintendent, D.C. Public Schools; and Otis Finley, Jr., National Urban League.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Seven public bills, H.R. 8853–8859; four private bills, H.R. 8860–8863; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 777, H. Con. Res. 224, and H. Res. 550, were introduced. **Page 19821**

Federal-Aid Highways: H.R. 7195, to amend various sections of title 23 of the U.S. Code, relating to the Federal-aid highway system, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto. **Pages 19787–19788**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 23. **Page 19788**

Late Report: The Committee on Education and Labor was granted permission to file, by midnight Friday, a report on H.R. 8720, to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962. **Page 19801**

Bills Referred: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 19820**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 6600, to amend title 10, U.S. Code, with respect to the appointment of members of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Heard testimony from several retired U.S. generals.

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session on research and development programs of the Advanced Research Projects Agency. Heard testimony from Robert H. Sproull, Director, Advanced Research Projects Agency.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. No announcements were made. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PUBLIC WORKS ACCELERATION ACT

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 7351, and similar bills, to amend the Public Works Acceleration Act, to increase the authorization for appropriations under that act. Heard testimony from Representative Edmondson; and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

ATOMIC ENERGY—AIR FORCE

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee received a briefing, in executive session, from Maj. Gen. J. F. Rodenhauser, Chief, Air Force Technical Applications Center.

MENTAL HEALTH

Conferees met in executive session and resolved the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1576, authorizing funds to assist in the construction of mental health facilities, agreeing to file conference report on the bill.

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HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared mental retardation assistance bill for the President.

Senate passed higher education bill and six other bills on calendar call.

House passed eight miscellaneous bills.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19832–19859

Bills Introduced: 2 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2248–2249. Pages 19834–19835

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 6500, authorizing funds for military construction for fiscal year 1964, with amendment (S. Rept. 571);

S.J. Res. 49, authorizing continuing program to reduce nonbeneficial consumptive use of water in the Pecos River Basin, N. Mex. and Tex., with amendments (S. Rept. 572);

S. 1605, providing for a system of labeling insecticides and pesticides, with amendment (S. Rept. 573);

S. 26, to authorize construction and operation of the Dixie project, Utah, with amendments (S. Rept. 574);

S. 16, to provide for the establishment of the Ozark National Rivers in the State of Missouri, with amendments (S. Rept. 575);

H.R. 844, declaring that certain U.S. land be held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation (S. Rept. 576);

H.R. 845, declaring that certain U.S. land be held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation (S. Rept. 577);

S. 136, placing certain U.S.-held lands in trust for the Rosebud Sioux Tribe of South Dakota, with amendments (S. Rept. 578);

H.R. 2635, to include the Fort Mojave Indian Reservation among reservations excepted from the 25-year lease limitation (S. Rept. 579);

S. 1885, declaring that the U.S. holds in trust for the Indians of the Battle Mountain Colony, Nev., certain lands used for cemetery purposes, with amendment (S. Rept. 580);

S. 1594, to allow the Navajo and the Ute Mountain Tribes to bring suit in order to quiet title to reservation lands (S. Rept. 581);

H.R. 1989, authorizing the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds, with amendment (S. Rept. 582);

S. 1718, to amend the law with respect to trade with the Indians, with amendment (S. Rept. 583);

S. 2139, to provide for disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians, Idaho (S. Rept. 584);

S. 2111, to fix the beneficial ownership of the Colorado River Indian Reservation, Ariz. and Calif., with amendment (S. Rept. 585);

H.R. 6225, authorizing funds for the rehabilitation of Guam from typhoon damage (S. Rept. 586); and

H.R. 6481, to permit the government of Guam to authorize a public authority to undertake housing activities (S. Rept. 587). **Page 19834**

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, six bills were passed, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Irrigation: H.R. 641, authorizing removal of certain assessable land from the Wapato Indian irrigation project, Washington; and

Public lands: H.R. 4588, to withdraw for use by the Navy certain lands at Mojave B Aerial Gunnery Range, San Bernardino County, Calif.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Irrigation: S. 1687, authorizing modification of the repayment contract of the Big Flat Irrigation District, Montana; and

Water: S. 1584, authorizing execution of a contract for repayment of reimbursable costs of the Newton project, Utah.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Irrigation: S. 1299, deferring certain operation and maintenance charges of the Eden Valley Irrigation & Drainage District, Wyoming; and

Andrew Johnson Monument: S. 1243, authorizing acquisition of the Andrew Johnson Home at Greenville, Tenn., for addition to the Andrew Johnson National Monument. **Pages 19854–19856**

Mental Health: Senate adopted conference report on S. 1576, Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963. **Pages 19845–19847**

NATO: Vice President appointed Senator Sparkman in lieu of Senator Fulbright as a delegate to the Ninth NATO Parliamentarian's Conference, and Chairman of the Senate delegation, to be held in Paris November 4–9, 1963. **Page 19833**

Higher Education: By 60 yeas to 19 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act, as amended by committee amendment (in nature of a substitute), which had been amended in several respects when the bill was last considered on October 15.

Goldwater amendment (to committee substitute) to eliminate all provisions for grants for construction of academic facilities, was rejected today by 21 yeas to 53 nays (motion to reconsider tabled).

Senate insisted on its amendment, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hill, McNamara, Morse, Yarborough, Clark, Randolph, Goldwater, Prouty, and Javits. **Pages 19832, 19859–19892**

Navigation Rules: H.R. 75, to provide for exceptions to the rules of navigation with respect to operating beneath bridges, was passed without amendment and cleared for White House. **Pages 19899–19900**

Veterans: Following reconsideration of its passage on August 20, 1963, of S. 1914, to incorporate the Catholic War Veterans of the U.S.A., and of S. 1942, to incorporate the Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A., Senate again passed, en bloc, by 65 yeas to 10 nays, these two bills. By unanimous consent, several corrections in names were made in S. 1942. **Pages 19892–19900**

Treaties: The following six treaties were taken up and it was agreed by unanimous consent that they will be voted on en bloc by record vote:

Convention on International Civil Aviation, dated at Rome, September 15, 1962 (Ex. D, 88th Cong., 1st sess.);

Convention on Extradition between U.S. and Sweden, signed at Washington, October 24, 1961 (Ex. E, 87th Cong., 2d sess.);

Additional protocol to the Treaty of Extradition of January 13, 1961, between U.S. and Brazil, signed at Rio de Janeiro, June 18, 1962 (Ex. F, 87th Cong., 2d sess.);

Convention on Extradition between U.S. and Israel, signed at Washington, December 10, 1962 (Ex. E, 88th Cong., 1st sess.);

Consular Convention between U.S. and Korea, signed at Seoul, January 8, 1963 (Ex. B, 88th Cong., 1st sess.); and

Consular Convention between U.S. and Japan, signed at Tokyo, March 22, 1963 (Ex. I, 88th Cong., 1st sess.). **Pages 19900–19912**

Confirmations: Numerous Coast Guard nominations were confirmed. **Page 19941**

Nominations: Five Public Health Service, 70 Coast Guard, and numerous postmaster nominations were received. **Pages 19939–19941**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, October 18, subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, with testimony in behalf of funds for his agency from James E. Webb, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 28.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, October 18, the Housing Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1200 and S. 2226, authorizing payment of claims for defects in housing covered by FHA mortgages, receiving testimony from Arthur Watkins, an author of Piermont, N.Y.; Arthur Tauscher, a consulting engineer of Rockville Center, N.Y.; and Mrs. Sarah Newman, of the Consumers League.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SUPERSONIC AIRLINER

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Aviation continued its hearings on the development of a commercial supersonic airliner, having as its witnesses James E. Webb, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Jerome B. Wiesner, Director, Office of Science and Technology; Edward C. Welsh, Executive Secretary, National Aeronautics and Space Council; Harold Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering; Alexander H. Flax, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Research and Development; and Stuart G. Tipton, president, Air Transport Association of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses William Keel, of the National Democratic Committee; Joel Barlow, U.S. Chamber of Commerce; and Kermit Gordon, Director, Bureau of the Budget. Mr. Gordon did not conclude with his remarks, and will resume testifying on a date as yet undetermined.

On Friday, October 18, committee heard further testimony on this proposed legislation from Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, October 18, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment (in the nature of a substitute bill) H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964. The following table shows a comparison of funds requested by the President, authorized by the House, and approved by the committee:

	Administration request	House bill	Senate committee
Development loans	$1,060,000,000	$900,000,000	$1,060,000,000
Development grants, Technical Cooperation	257,000,000	217,000,000	225,000,000
Schools and hospitals	21,600,000	10,000,000	21,600,000
Schools and hospitals (foreign currency)	4,690,000	2,000,000	4,690,000
Alliance for Progress	650,000,000	450,000,000	650,000,000
International organizations and programs	136,050,000	136,050,000	136,050,000
Supporting assistance	435,000,000	380,000,000	400,000,000
Contingency Fund	300,000,000	150,000,000	175,000,000
Military Assistance	1,405,000,000	1,000,000,000	1,300,000,000
Administration (AID)	57,250,000	54,000,000	52,000,000
Administration (State)	3,025,000	3,025,000	3,025,000
Latin American Development	200,000,000	200,000,000	175,000,000
Total	4,529,615,000	3,502,075,000	4,202,365,000

NOTE.—For simplicity of comparison, figures equal to the administration appropriation request have been inserted as the authorization for those items which are in fact authorized on a multiyear or open-ended basis.

DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee began a series of executive hearings in connection with low-priced drugs in Latin America, having as its witness Herman C. Nolen, chairman of the board, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, October 18, Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, receiving testimony on the subject of manpower development for full employment from Dr. Grant Venn, American Council on Education; Jack N. Arbolino, director of the advance placement program, College Entrance Board of New York; and Charles Hanna, division of apprenticeship standards, State of California.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 8 public bills, H.R. 8864–8871; 9 private bills, H.R. 8872–8880; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 778 and 779, and H. Con. Res. 225, were introduced.

Pages 19983–19984

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8821, to revise the provisions of law relating to the methods by which amounts made available to the States pursuant to the Temporary Unemployment Compensation Act of 1958 and title XII of the Social Security

Act, are to be restored to the Treasury, filed on October 18 (H. Rept. 860);

H.R. 8720, to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, filed on October 18 (H. Rept. 861); and

Conference report on S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963 (H. Rept. 862). **Page 19983**

Private Bills: H.R. 2268 and 6377, private bills, were cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto. **Page 19943**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Luminous measurements: S. 1064, to substitute "candela" for "candle" as the unit of measurements of luminous intensity.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Spinal cord research: H.R. 8677, to amend title 38, U.S. Code, to set aside funds for research into spinal cord injuries and diseases; and

Gettysburg Address Centennial: H.J. Res. 747, to authorize and request the President to proclaim November 19, 1963, as Gettysburg Address Centennial Day.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Rivers and harbors: S. 1523, to make certain changes in the functions of the Beach Erosion Board and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors;

U.S. employees transportation costs: H.R. 1959, to authorize the transportation of privately owned motor vehicles of Government employees assigned to duty in Alaska;

Muscatine, Iowa, parks: H.R. 5244, to modify the project on the Mississippi River at Muscatine, Iowa, to permit the use of certain property for public park purposes; and

Illinois—public lands: H.R. 6001, to authorize the conveyance to the Waukegan Port District, Illinois, of certain real property of the United States.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S. 254, 1828, H.R. 4018, 5838, and 7155. **Pages 19944–19947**

Flood Control and Navigation: By a voice vote the House suspended the rules and passed H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins. **Pages 19947–19954**

Mental Health: By a record vote of 299 yeas to 13 nays the House adopted the conference report on S. 1576, the Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963. This action cleared the legislation for Presidential consideration. **Pages 19942, 19954–19965**

Bills Referred: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 19982**

CIA Retirement: It was announced that consideration of H.R. 8427 regarding an improved retirement and disability system for certain employees of the Central Intelligence Agency, would be scheduled for Wednesday or Thursday. **Page 19974**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING—HANDICAPPED

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing held a hearing on H.R. 7394, to extend the program of loans for housing for the elderly to include housing for handicapped families and persons. Heard testimony from departmental officials; and a public witness.

DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session regarding the National Defense Education Act. No announcements were made. Recessed until Tuesday, October 22.

PUBLIC LAND LAW REVIEW COMMISSION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met in executive session for markup of H.R. 8070, to establish a Public Land Law Review Commission to study existing laws and procedures relating to the administration of the public lands of the United States. No announcements were made. The subcommittee will continue on this subject, in executive session, Tuesday, October 22.

COFFEE—TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on H.R. 8864 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 8378), to carry out U.S. obligations under the International Coffee Agreement of 1962; and H.R. 8000, the Interest Equalization Tax Act. Recessed until Tuesday, October 22.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution (regarding plumbing-heating-cooling industries), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

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HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed numerous bills, including military construction, and 11 on calendar call.

Senate committee reported foreign aid bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20025–20042

Bills Introduced: 3 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2250–2252. Page 20025

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, with amendment (S. Rept. 588);

H.R. 2073, relating to the jurisdiction over certain submerged lands of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa, with amendments (S. Rept. 589); and

S. 569, authorizing cancellation of certain loans under the National Defense Education Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 590). Page 20025

Bills Referred: Five House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 20025

Commonwealth Parliamentary Association: Vice President appointed the following Senators to attend the meeting of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association, to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaya, November 4–11, 1963: Fulbright, chairman, Bartlett, Scott, and Fong. Page 20025

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 11 bills were passed, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Indians: H.R. 844, declaring that certain U.S. land be held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation;

Indians: H.R. 845, declaring that certain U.S. land be held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation;

Indians: H.R. 2635, to include the Fort Mojave Indian Reservation among reservations excepted from the 25-year lease limitation; and

Guam: H.R. 6225, authorizing funds for the rehabilitation of Guam from typhoon damage.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Indians: S. 1594, to allow the Navajo and the Ute Mountain Tribes to bring suit in order to quiet title to reservation lands; and

Indians: S. 2139, to provide for disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians, Idaho.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Ozark Rivers: S. 16, to provide for the establishment of the Ozark National Rivers in the State of Missouri;

Indians: S. 136, placing certain U.S.-held lands in trust for the Rosebud Sioux Tribe of South Dakota;

Indians: S. 1885, declaring that the U.S. holds in trust for the Indians of the Battle Mountain Colony, Nev., certain lands used for cemetery purposes;

Indians: S. 1718, to amend the law with respect to trade with the Indians; and

Indians: S. 2111, to fix the beneficial ownership of the Colorado River Indian Reservation, Ariz. and Calif. Pages 20068–20076

Poison Labeling: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 1605, providing for a system of labeling insecticides and pesticides. Pages 20077–20081

Military Construction: H.R. 6500, authorizing funds for military construction for fiscal year 1964, was passed with committee amendment (in nature of a substitute for the bill). Pages 20043–20050, 20076, 20082–20093

Pecos River Basin: Senate passed with committee amendments S.J. Res. 49, authorizing continuing program to reduce nonbeneficial consumptive use of water in the Pecos River Basin, N. Mex. and Tex. Pages 20096–20097

Virgin Islands: H.R. 1989, authorizing the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 20097–20098

Guam: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 6481, to permit the government of Guam to authorize a public authority to undertake housing activities. Page 20098

Dixie Project, Utah: S. 26, to authorize construction and operation of the Dixie project, Utah, was made Senate's unfinished business. Page 20098–20099

Printing—Public Building: Report from Joint Congressional Committee on Construction of a Building for Museum of History and Technology for the Smithsonian Institution, was ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 40. Page 20027

Treaties Ratified: By unanimous vote of 74 yeas, Senate adopted en bloc the resolutions of ratification on six treaties, as follows:

Convention on International Civil Aviation, dated at Rome, September 15, 1962 (Ex. D, 88th Cong., 1st sess.);

Convention on Extradition between U.S. and Sweden, signed at Washington, October 24, 1961 (Ex. E, 87th Cong., 2d sess.);

Additional protocol to the Treaty of Extradition of January 13, 1961, between U.S. and Brazil, signed at Rio de Janeiro, June 18, 1962 (Ex. F, 87th Cong., 2d sess.);

Convention on Extradition between U.S. and Israel, signed at Washington, December 10, 1962 (Ex. E, 88th Cong., 1st sess.);

Consular Convention between U.S. and Korea, signed at Seoul, January 8, 1963 (Ex. B, 88th Cong., 1st sess.); and

Consular Convention between U.S. and Japan, signed at Tokyo, March 22, 1963 (Ex. I, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

Pages 20025, 20042–20043, 20068–20069, 20081–20082

Nominations: Two postmaster nominations were withdrawn. Page 20109

Recess: Recessed at 4:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective Departments from J. Herbert Hollomon, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology; Rear Adm. H. Arnold Karo, Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey; and Edwin L. Reynolds, Acting Commissioner, U.S. Patent Office.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Small Business Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 298, to encourage the formation and growth of small business investment companies.

SUPERSONIC AIRLINER

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on the development of a commercial supersonic airliner, having as its witnesses C. R. Smith, president, American Airlines, Inc.; Robert F. Six, president, Continental Airlines, Inc.; G. E. Keck, president, and William C. Mentzer, vice president, both of United Airlines, Inc.; and John Stack, vice president, Republic Aviation Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crime and criminal procedure in the D.C., receiving testimony from Oliver Gasch, past chairman of the D.C. Law Enforcement Council, and former U.S. attorney for the D.C.; O. W. Wilson, chief of police of Chicago; Stanley R. Schrotel, chief of police of Cincinnati, and former president of the International Association of Chiefs of Police; and Michael N. Canlis, sheriff of San Joaquin County, Calif., and an official of the National Sheriffs Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, receiving testimony from Leon H. Keyserling, a consulting economist and attorney of Washington, D.C.; Richard H. Headlee, U.S. Junior Chamber of Commerce; Mark M. Jones, National Economic Council; and Robert A. Gilbert, Intercontinental Research & Analysis Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Bernard T. Moynahan, Jr., to be U.S. district judge for the eastern district of Kentucky, with testimony from Senator Morton, and Representatives Perkins and Watts. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on manpower development for full employment, having as its witnesses James E. Russell and Daniel Schreiber, both of the National Education Association; and Arthur Hitchcock, American Personnel & Guidance Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 6 public bills, H.R. 8881–8886; 3 private bills, H.R. 8887–8889; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 780 and H. Res. 551–553, were introduced. **Page 20024**

Indian Tribal Claims: H.R. 3306, to establish a revolving fund from which the Secretary of the Interior may make loans to finance the procurement of expert assistance by Indian tribes in cases before the Indian Claims Commission, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto. **Page 19989**

Subcommittee To Sit: The Subcommittee on Housing of the Committee on Banking and Currency was authorized to sit during general debate of the House sessions on October 22, 23, and 24. **Page 19990**

Federal Funds Restoration: By a record vote of 350 yeas to 1 nay the House passed, with an amendment, H.R. 8821, to revise the provisions of law relating to the methods by which amounts made available to the States pursuant to the Temporary Unemployment Compensation Act of 1958 and title XII of the Social Security Act are to be restored to the Treasury. **Pages 19990–19994**

Late Report: The Committee on Ways and Means was granted permission to file by midnight Friday a report on H.R. 8864, to carry out the U.S. obligations under the International Coffee Agreement of 1962. **Page 19994**

Bills Referred: Six Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 20024**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session on line item review of Army research and development. Recessed until Wednesday, October 23.

MILITARY BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 2512, to clarify the status of members of the National Guard while attending or instructing at National Guard schools established under the authority of the Secretary of the Army or Secretary of the Air Force; H.R. 2988, to increase to $2 million the authorization of funds for members of the Armed Forces to compete in international sport activities; and H.R. 3005, to permit persons who have been lawfully admitted to the U.S. for permanent residence to enlist in a Reserve component of the Armed Forces.

Heard testimony from Gen. Winston Wilson, Chief of National Guard Bureau (H.R. 2512); Gen. George M. Wilson, Deputy Chief, Sports Branch, Adjutant General's Office (H.R. 2988); and Col. Robert H. Camp, Chief, Personnel Division, Organized Reserve Component (H.R. 3005), all of the Department of the Army.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on urban renewal. Testimony was given by public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, October 23.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session on H.R. 23, the Federal Coal Mine Safety Act, and agreed to introduce a clean bill.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 777 (amended), the Arms Control and Disarmament Act; H.J. Res. 778, to provide for U.S. participation in the Hague Conference on Private International Law and the International (Rome) Institute for the Unification of Private Law; and H.J. Res. 779, relating to membership and participation by the U.S. in the South Pacific Commission.

PUBLIC LAND LAW REVIEW COMMISSION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met in executive session for markup of H.R. 8070, to establish a Public Land Law Review Commission to study existing laws and procedures relating to the administration of the public lands of the United States. No final action was taken. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8462, to authorize the conveyance of certain real property of the U.S. heretofore granted to the city of Grand Prairie,Tex., for public airport purposes; and H.R. 8344, to amend the Railway Labor Act to provide that the terms of office of members of the National Mediation Board shall expire on July 1.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session to continue consideration of H.R. 7152 (amended), the Civil Rights Act.

FEDERAL PAY INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session on Federal salary increase legislation. No announcements were made.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H.R. 6041, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act to include the basic hourly rate of pay and rates of payments to funds or insurance coverage for medical care, retirement, disability, unemployment benefits, or life insurance (fringe benefits) within the term "wages." No final action was taken.

Heard testimony from Representatives Goodell, and Martin of Nebraska. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SCIENCE-GOVERNMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Continued discussion on the general relationship of Government and science. Heard testimony from a public witness.

COFFEE—TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: In executive session ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8864, to carry out U.S. obligations under the International Coffee Agreement of 1962.

Considered H.R. 8000, the Interest Equalization Tax Act. No final action was taken.

Joint Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session with AEC Chairman Glenn T. Seaborg, and his associates, to discuss various matters, but made no announcements.

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Wednesday, October 23, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held Thursday, October 24, at noon.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Dr. A. V. Astin, Director, National Bureau of Standards; Donald Schon, Office of Technical Services; Robert M. White, Chief, U.S. Weather Bureau; and Clarence D. Martin, Jr., Under Secretary for Transportation, on funds for transportation research, all of the Department of Commerce. Also submitting testimony on a Weather Bureau item was Senator Ervin.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUPERSONIC AIRLINER

Committee on Commerce: Aviation Subcommittee continued its hearings on the development of a commercial supersonic airliner, having as its witnesses Clarence D. Martin, Jr., Under Secretary for Transportation, and J. Herbert Hollomon, Assistant Secretary for Science and Technology, both of the Department of Commerce; Charles C. Tillinghast, Jr., president, Trans World Airlines, Inc.; Harold E. Gray, Pan American World Airways, Inc.; J. L. Atwood, president, North American Aviation, Inc.; and H. M. Horner, chairman, United Aircraft.

Hearings continue on Friday, October 25.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued its series of hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crime and criminal procedure in the D.C., having as its witnesses Fred E. Inbau, professor of criminal law, Northwestern University, Chicago; Judge Alexander Holtzoff, U.S. District Court for the D.C., and a framer of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure; George Shadoan, a D.C. attorney, and adjunct professor of criminal law, Georgetown University; Senator Ervin, chairman, Constitutional Rights Subcommittee, Committee on the Judiciary; Prof. Yale Kamisar, University of Minnesota School of Law; and Kenneth Pye, assistant dean of the Georgetown University School of Law.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Dan Throop Smith, professor of finance, Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration; Roswell Magill, of the law firm of Cravath, Swaine & Moore; and Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOLD INDUSTRY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Minerals, Materials, and Fuels Subcommittee held hearings on S. 2125, to revitalize the domestic gold-mining industry, receiving testimony from Senators Allott and Bartlett; Representatives Chenoweth and Johnson of California; Merrill E. Shoup, president, and Max W. Bowen, both of the Golden Cycle Corp.; and Elgin Groseclose, a financial and investment consultant.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on manpower development for full employment, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Dr. M. D. Mobley, American Vocational Association; Dr. Melvin L. Barlow, professor of education, UCLA; Dr. George A. Parkinson, director of Milwaukee Vocational and Adult Schools; Dr. John W. Struck, Pennsylvania State director of vocational education; Philip W. Seagren, director of vocational and adult education, Dade County, Fla.; Richard W. Howes, assistant director of vocational education, State of Connecticut; Harry Stephan, principal, Bergen County Vocational-Technical High School, Hackensack, N.J.; Dr. Byrl R. Shoemaker, Ohio State director of vocational education; and Dr. Milo J. Peterson, professor of agricultural education, University of Minnesota.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE STAFF EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee met in executive session and agreed to begin on Tuesday, October 29, its investigation by the full committee called for in S. Res. 212, to investigate financial or business activities of Senate employees or former Senate employees, at which time Senator Williams of Delaware will testify. Committee also agreed that every witness and all matters shall be first heard in executive session before the same is presented in any open hearing.

Committee ordered favorably reported S. Res. 215, authorizing an additional $20,000 for expenditure by the Committee on Government Operations.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 8890–8901; 10 private bills, H.R. 8902–8911; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 781 and H. Con. Res. 226, were introduced.

Pages 20154–20155

Continuing Appropriations: Agreed to make in order on Monday, October 28, the consideration of a resolution continuing for 30 days funds for certain departments pending enactment of their regular appropriation bills.

Pages 20118–20119

Higher Education Facilities: Objection was raised to an effort to send to conference the bill H.R. 6143, to authorize assistance to public and other nonprofit institutions of higher education in financing the construction, rehabilitation, or improvement of needed academic and related facilities in undergraduate and graduate institutions.

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Puerto Rico: By a record vote of 320 yeas to 44 nays the House passed H.R. 5945, to establish a procedure for the prompt settlement, in a democratic manner, of the political status of Puerto Rico, after adopting a committee substitute amendment that provided new text.

The committee amendment was altered by adoption of amendments thereto which insure—

Equal sharing of expenses of the Commission, and provision of assistance and information by departments and agencies of Puerto Rico;

Report of the Commission on its recommendations to be filed by the opening day of the 2d session of the 88th U.S. Congress; and

That the Congress would not be bound by any recommendations of the Commission.

H. Res. 549, the open rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 20019–20131

Bills Referred: Nine Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session for a review of Army research and development.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on urban renewal, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

D.C. TRANSIT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 met in executive session on pending transit legislation. No announcements were made.

PEACE CORPS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for markup of H.R. 8754, to amend further the Peace Corps Act. No final action was taken. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SANFORD RESERVOIR—INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 8135 (amended), to provide for the establishment and administration of public recreational facilities at Sanford Reservoir area, Canadian River project, Texas;

H.R. 7123, to approve an agreement entered into by the Navajo Tribe of Indians relating to oil and gas leases;

H.R. 3735 (amended), to set aside certain land in Montana for the Indians of the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation, Mont.;

S. 1868 (amended), regarding adult Indian vocational training; and

H.R. 8527 (amended), to provide for disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians, Idaho.

Considered, but did not conclude action on, H.R. 1713, to approve an order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Klamath Indian irrigation project, Oregon.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, October 24.

MERCHANT MARINE ACT—GUAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on the Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 7028, to amend the Merchant Marine Act of 1920, to provide that the coastwise shipping laws of the U.S. shall not extend to Guam. Heard testimony from Representative Aspinall; and the speaker of the Guam Legislature. Adjourned hearings subject to call of the Chair.

DUAL COMPENSATION—SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 10 (amended), to extend the apportionment requirements in the Civil Service Act of January 16, 1883, to temporary summer employment; and

H.R. 7381 (amended), the proposed Dual Compensation Act.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on H.R. 8000, the proposed Interest Equalization Tax Act. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, October 24.

Joint Committee Meetings

ELECTRIC POWER

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1007, establishing procedures for giving consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy produced in that area, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

Thursday, October 24, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate took up foreign aid bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20162–20178

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2253–2260; S.J. Res. 128; and S. Con. Res. 65.

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Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 215, authorizing an additional $20,000 for expenditure by the Committee on Government Operations (S. Rept. 591).

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Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees.

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Dixie Project, Utah: Senate resumed its consideration of S. 26, to authorize construction and operation of the Dixie project, Utah, but the bill was displaced and returned to the calendar when other business was taken up on motion. **Pages 20177, 20212**

Senator Kefauver: Addresses in tribute to the life, character, and accomplishments of the late Senator Kefauver were made by numerous Senators. **Pages 20178–20218**

Foreign Aid: Senate took up on motion and made its unfinished business H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964. **Pages 20212–20215, 20219**

Authority To Meet: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized to meet on Wednesday, October 30, while Senate is in session. **Page 20212**

Submerged Lands: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 2073, relating to the jurisdiction over certain submerged lands of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa. Motion to reconsider the bill's passage was tabled. **Pages 20216–20218**

Defense Education Loans: S. 569, authorizing cancellation of certain loans under the National Defense Education Act, was passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled). **Pages 20218–20219**

Nominations: Three Navy nominations were received. **Page 20226**

Recess: Recessed at 5:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Donald W. Alexander, Administrator, Maritime Administration; Rex Whitten, Federal Highway Administrator, Bureau of Public Roads; Christian Herter, Special Representative for Trade Negotiations; William C. Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and Edward D. Re, Chairman, Foreign Claims Settlement Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

STOCKPILING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, unanimously voted to print as a committee print a draft of a report of its Subcommittee on the National Stockpile and views of members who did not agree to this draft report.

Committee approved for reporting 755 nominations in the Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Surface Transportation Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 1061, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of passengers and certain commodities, and S. 1062, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system, after receiving testimony from William H. Orrick, Assistant Attorney General (Antitrust Division), Department of Justice, and Clarence D. Martin, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Transportation.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crime and criminal procedure in the D.C., with testimony from Robert E. McLaughlin, president, Citizens Crime Commission of Metropolitan Washington; DeLong Harris and James Heller, both of the National Capital Area Civil Liberties Union; Philip Schwartz, ADA; Joseph Rauh, Democratic Central Committee for the D.C.; and William K. Norwood, Washington Metropolitan Board of Trade.

Hearings are tentatively scheduled to continue in the week of November 4.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Andrew J. Biemiller, AFL–CIO; Charles B. Shuman, American Farm Bureau Federation; Johnson McRee, Jr., of Manassas, Va.; Lester V. Chandler, professor of economics, Princeton University; and William S. Wasserman, of New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on manpower development for full employment, having as its witnesses John F. Connors, education and management development, Martin Marietta Co., Baltimore; William M. Read, director of training, Atlantic Refining Co., Philadelphia; and Prof. F. F. Foltman, Cornell University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 8912–8929; 7 private bills, H.R. 8930–8936; and 3 resolutions, H. Res. 554–556, were introduced. **Page 20276**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 777, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act, amended (H. Rept. 863);

H.R. 7457, to provide legal assistance for indigent defendants in criminal cases in U.S. courts, amended (H. Rept. 864);

H. Res. 554, rule providing for sending to conference H.R. 4955, Vocational Education Act of 1963 (H. Rept. 865);

H. Res. 555, rule providing for sending H.R. 6143, Higher Education Facilities Act of 1963, to conference (H. Rept. 866);

H. Res. 556, open rule providing for consideration of, 2 hours of debate on, and waiving of points of order against H.R. 5838, to give the National Bureau of Standards authority to make certain improvements of fiscal and administrative practices for more effective conduct of its research and development activities (H. Rept. 867);

H. Res. 551, declaring the House delegation to the NATO parliamentary conferences to be an appropriate committee of the House of Representatives for the purpose of implementing Public Law 84–689 (H. Rept. 868); and

H. Res. 552, providing for an official picture of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 869). **Pages 20275–20276**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 30. **Page 20236**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CROPS—DISEASES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Research and Extension held a hearing on biological controls for insects and diseases on agricultural crops. Heard testimony from Representative Morton, departmental, and public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session for a review of Army research and development.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing held a hearing on urban renewal. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

D.C. BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

WELFARE PENSION PLANS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on H.R. 4669, 4670, and 4671, bills to amend the Landrum-Griffin and Welfare Pension Plans Acts. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

STUDY MISSION—SOUTHEAST ASIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and received a verbal report from members of the Committee's Special Study Mission to Southeast Asia.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1803 (amended), to provide for establishment of the Ozark National Rivers, Missouri; H.R. 931 (amended), to establish Allegheny Portage Railroad National Historic Site; and H.R. 988 (amended), to acquire Graff House site for inclusion in Independence National Historical Park.

Held a hearing on H.R. 3071, to establish Fort Larned as a national historic site; H.R. 4010, regarding administration of Lake Mead National Recreation Area; H.R. 5345, to change the name of the Andrew Johnson National Monument; and H.R. 439, to provide for the establishment of the John Muir National Monument. Heard testimony from Representatives Dole (H.R. 3071); Quillen (H.R. 5345); and Baldwin (H.R. 439); departmental officials (H.R. 4010); and public witnesses (H.R. 439).

FISHING BOAT OWNERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety held a hearing on medical care for fishing boat owners. Heard testimony from a departmental official. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule to send to conference H.R. 4955, the vocational education bill.

Representatives Powell, Green of Oregon, Landrum, Pucinski, and Goodell were heard on the request for a rule.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule to send to conference H.R. 6143, the higher education bill.

Representatives Powell, Green of Oregon, and Goodell were heard on the request for a rule.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT-TRAINING

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H.R. 8720, the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962. Heard testimony from Representatives Powell and O'Hara of Michigan. No final action was taken.

NATO DELEGATION

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 551, to grant authority to the House delegation to NATO to use counterpart funds.

NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 5838, regarding improvements of fiscal and administrative practices in the Organic Act of the National Bureau of Standards.

Representative Miller of California was heard on the request for a rule.

HOUSE PICTURE

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 552, to allow a picture to be taken of the House in session.

GOVERNMENT-SCIENCE

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science Research and Development continued discussion of Government-science relationship, and heard testimony from Jerome B. Wiesner, Director, Office of Science and Technology, and Science Adviser to the President.

TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on H.R. 8000, the proposed Interest Equalization Tax Act. No announcements were made.

Monday, October 28, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated foreign aid bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20284–20336

Bills Introduced: 3 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2261–2263; and S. Res. 217–218.

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Printing: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. Con. Res. 58, to print additional copies of the hearings on the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty. This completed legislative action on the resolution. **Page 20337**

Continuing Appropriations: H.J. Res. 782, continuing appropriations through November 30, 1963, for fiscal year 1964, was passed without amendment and cleared for President's signature. **Pages 20353–20354**

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 29 and 30.

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Foreign Aid: Senate debated H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964.

Pending at recess was question of adoption of committee amendment (in nature of a substitute).

Pages 20336–20360

Confirmations: One Air Force and numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations were confirmed.

Pages 20360–20361

Recess: Recessed at 4:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, receiving testimony from Senators Lausche and Young of Ohio, and Representative Vanik, on funds for a Federal office building in Cleveland; Senators Beall and Brewster, on an HHFA item; and several public witnesses on sundry items in the bill.

Hearings continued on Wednesday, October 30.

SUPERSONIC AIRLINER

Committee on Commerce: On Friday, October 25, the Aviation Subcommittee continued its hearings on the development of a commercial supersonic airliner, having as its witnesses William M. Allen, president, the Boeing Co., Seattle; T. Roland Berner, president, Curtiss-Wright Corp., Wood-Ridge, N.J.; Donald W. Douglas, Jr., president, Douglas Aircraft Co., Inc., Santa Monica; Courtlandt S. Gross, chairman of the board, Lockheed Aircraft Corp., Burbank; and Jack S. Parker, vice president, General Electric Co., New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, receiving testimony from Donald C. Slichter, American Life Convention, and Life Insurance Association of America; Floyd Newton, American Textile Manufacturers Institute; Charles W. Stewart, Machinery & Allied Products Institute; and Chester M. Edelmann, American Retail Federation.

On Friday, October 25, committee heard testimony on this bill from Charles Walker, American Bankers Association; Keith Funston, New York Stock Exchange; John L. Connolly, Council of State Chambers of Commerce; and Walter E. Hoadley, Armstrong Cork Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GEOTHERMAL STEAM LEASING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, October 25, Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels held hearings on S. 883, to amend the Mineral Leasing Act so as to authorize geothermal steam leases, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Harold R. Hochmuth, Associate Director, and John D. Moon, both of the Bureau of Land Management, and Carl V. Fermanich, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, all of the Department of the Interior; Seymour S. Bernfeld, representing the American Metal Climax, Inc., and the Southwest Potash Corp.; and Benjamin W. Boley, who represented Western Geothermal, Inc.

It was announced that the record would remain open for 2 weeks for the inclusion of additional written material.

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure began a series of hearings on S. 1666, to define the areas of information which can be withheld from the press and the public by Government agencies. Witnesses heard were Dr. Earl English, dean of the School of Journalism, University of Missouri; James Mathis, of the Advance News Service; and John Pigg, a farmer of Clinton County, Ill.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on overall manpower problems, receiving testimony from Walter Heller, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers, who was accompanied by his associates, who discussed economic projections and employment prospects; and Donald B. Straus, president, American Arbitration Association, New York City, who discussed manpower implications of population control.

On Friday, October 25, subcommittee received further testimony on manpower development for full employment from Dr. Virgil Rogers, director, Automation Project, National Education Association; Dr. Stanley Warburton, assistant superintendent of schools of Los Angeles; and Dr. Daniel Fusfeld, professor of economics, University of Michigan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARTS FOUNDATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on the Arts began hearings on S. 165 and S. 1316, providing for the establishment of a National Arts Foundation, having as its witnesses Senator Humphrey; Francis Keppel, Commissioner of Education, Department of HEW; and John Walker, Director, National Gallery of Art.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 8 public bills, H.R. 8937–8944; 7 private bills, H.R. 8945–8951; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 782–784, H. Con. Res. 227, and H. Res. 557, were introduced. **Page 20398**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8864, to carry out the U.S. obligations under the International Coffee Agreement of 1962, filed on October 25 (H. Rept. 870);

Supplemental report on H.R. 8864, to carry out the U.S. obligations under the International Coffee Agreement of 1962 (part 2 of H. Rept. 870); and

Report of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce entitled "World Newsprint Supply-Demand—Outlook Through 1965" (H. Rept. 871). **Page 20398**

Military Construction Authorization: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 6500, to authorize certain construction at military installations; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Vinson, Rivers of South Carolina, Philbin, Hébert, Arends, Norblad, and Bates. Page 20361

Continuing Appropriations: By a record vote of 280 yeas to 11 nays the House passed H.J. Res. 782, making continuing appropriations through November 30, for fiscal year 1964. Pages 20361–20368

Committee Travel: By a record vote of 119 yeas to 164 nays H. Res. 314, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Education and Labor, failed of passage.

Prior to its rejection the resolution was amended to authorize travel by seven persons to Belgium, Holland, Germany, Russia, Poland, France, and Italy. Pages 20368–20372

Bill Referred: S. 569, authorizing the cancellation of certain loans under the National Defense Education Act, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. Page 20397

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INTERNATIONAL SPORTS ACTIVITIES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 concluded hearings on H.R. 2988, to provide for the participation of members of the Armed Forces in international sports activities; and heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

URBAN RENEWAL—COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: On Friday, October 25, Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on urban renewal in the District of Columbia (Columbia Plaza project). Testimony was given by Walter N. Tobriner, President, D.C. Board of Commissioners; and public witnesses.

STUDY MISSION—SOUTHEAST ASIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: In executive session the members of the committee's Special Study Mission to Southeast Asia briefed the full committee on their mission.

RIVERTON RECLAMATION PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 8171, to reauthorize the Riverton extension unit, Missouri River Basin project, to include all the Riverton reclamation project except the Muddy Ridge area; and H.R. 5836, for the relief of certain veteran homestead entrymen, their heirs, and other owners of farm units on the Third Division Irrigation District, Riverton reclamation project, Wyoming. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses. Recessed until Tuesday, October 29.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Friday, October 25, Subcommittee on National Parks, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3071 (amended), to provide for the establishment of Fort Larned as a national historic site; and H.R. 5345 (amended), to change the name of the Andrew Johnson National Monument.

Prior to executive action held a hearing on H.R. 3071 (title above); H.R. 439, to provide for establishment of the John Muir National Monument; H.R. 5345 (title above); H.R. 7458, to revise the boundaries of the Carlsbad Caverns National Park; and H.R. 5865, to authorize placement of a memorial tablet in Woodlawn Memorial Cemetery, Carbondale, Ill. Heard testimony from Representative Gray (H.R. 5865); and departmental witnesses (all the other measures).

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Tuesday, October 29, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate continued to debate foreign aid bill.
House sent educational bills to conference.
Civil rights bill approved by House committee.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20440–20474

Bills Introduced: 4 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2264–2267; and S. Con. Res. 66, and S. Res. 219. Page 20441

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2265, to increase the amount of assistance under the Library Services Act (S. Rept. 592);

S. 741, to prohibit schemes in interstate or foreign commerce from influencing by bribery the outcome of sporting contests (S. Rept. 593);

S. 1396, granting Hawaii the right to institute Supreme Court action for adjudication of claims to land held by the U.S. (S. Rept. 594);

S. 1451, conferring jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to render judgments upon certain claims arising under the Trading With the Enemy Act (S. Rept. 595);

H.R. 2835, to clarify the status of Federal circuit and district judges retired from regular active service (S. Rept. 596);

H.R. 4145, S. Con. Res. 66, S. 716, 1385, 1446, 1479, 1516, and 1812, private measures (S. Repts. 597–604);

H.R. 1049, to amend the Bankruptcy Act with respect to the filing of claims in chapter II proceedings (S. Rept. 605);

H.R. 1311, 1345, 2260, 2445, 2754, 2757, 2968, 3384, 6097, and 6260, private bills (S. Repts. 606–615);

H.J. Res. 626, granting congressional consent to the establishment of the Hanover, N.H., and Norwich, Vt., Interstate School District (S. Rept. 616);

S. 1524, 1737, and 1129, private bills (S. Repts. 617–619);

H.R. 2985, permitting civil actions on tort claims to be brought in the district court of the district where the act or omission occurred (S. Rept. 620); and

S. 1664, to create an Administrative Conference to study the mutual problems of Federal administrative agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 621). **Page 20441**

Foreign Aid: Senate continued to debate H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964.

Pending at recess was question of adoption of committee amendment (in nature of a substitute).

Pages 20474–20503, 20506

Nominations: Senate received numerous Army nominations, and the nomination of Rear Adm. L. D. Coates, Jr., for reappointment as Chief of Naval Research.

Pages 20512–20513

Recess: Recessed at 5:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CIA BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: The CIA Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing from John A. McCone, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

SUPERSONIC AIRLINER

Committee on Commerce: The Aviation Subcommittee concluded its hearings on the development of a commercial supersonic airliner, after receiving further testimony from Najeeb E. Halaby, Administrator, who was accompanied by Gordon M. Bain, Deputy Administrator for Supersonic Transport Development, both of the Federal Aviation Agency.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses W. P. Gullander, National Association of Manufacturers; Arthur T. Roth, Bankers Committee for Tax Equality; Carroll F. Lewis, the Manufacturers Association of the City of Bridgeport, Conn., Inc.; and Edwin J. Rosenbaum, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1603, authorizing the U.S. Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development to vote for an increase in the Bank's authorized capital stock.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee held hearings as follows:

On S. 2213, to provide certain basic authority for the USIA, with testimony from Ben Posner, Deputy Assistant Director, Office of Administration, USIA;

On S. 1603, with testimony from John Bullitt, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs;

On S. 745, to provide for adjustments in annuities under the Foreign Service retirement and disability system, with testimony from William J. Crockett, Deputy Under Secretary of State for Administration; and Joseph E. Jacobs, Diplomatic and Consular Officers, Retired; and

On S. 949, to revise the procedure for appointing U.S. representatives to the U.N., with testimony from Harlan Cleveland, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs; and Charles W. Yost, Deputy U.S. Representative to the U.N.

CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed, in executive session, its hearings on illegal traffic in narcotics and on organized crime, receiving further testimony from Joseph Valachi, presently under life sentence for murder, and a former member of the organized crime network known as Cosa Nostra.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

RIVERTON RECLAMATION PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held hearings on S. 2035, to reauthorize the Riverton extension unit, Missouri River Basin project, to include all the Riverton reclamation project except the Muddy Ridge area, with testimony from Senators McGee and Simpson; and former Senator J. J. Hickey, attorney, A. C. Traweek, and Allen Talbott, all of the Third Division, Riverton project, Wyoming.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VIRGIN ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs held hearings in connection with the disposal of naval properties now occupied by Government permit in the Virgin Islands, receiving testimony from John J. Kirwan, Assistant Director, and Mrs. Ruth Van Cleve, Assistant Solicitor, both of the Office of Territories, Department of the Interior; and Capt. Charles Bittenbring, Bureau of Yards and Docks, Navy, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 2985, permitting civil actions on tort claims to be brought in the district court of the district where the act or omission occurred; H.R. 1049, to amend the Bankruptcy Act with respect to the filing of claims in chapter II proceedings; H.R. 2835, to clarify the status of Federal circuit and district judges retired from regular active service; H.J. Res. 626, granting congressional consent to the establishment of the Hanover, N.H., and Norwich, Vt., Interstate School District; S. 741, to prohibit schemes in interstate or foreign commerce from influencing by bribery the outcome of sporting contests; S. 1396, granting Hawaii the right to institute Supreme Court action for adjudication of claims to land held by the U.S.; S. 1451, conferring jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to render judgments upon certain claims arising under the Trading With the Enemy Act; S. 1664, to create an Administrative Conference to study the mutual problems of Federal administrative agencies (amended); 18 private immigration bills (S. 716, 1385, 1446, 1479, 1516, 1524, 1737, 1812, H.R. 1311, 1345, 2260, 2445, 2754, 2757, 2968, 3384, 6097, 6260), and an original concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 66); 5 private claims bills (S. 610, 689, 1129, 1686, and H.R. 4145); and the nominations of Frank Kowalski, of Connecticut, to be a member of the Subversive Activities Control Board; Bernard T. Moynahan, Jr., to be U.S. district judge for the eastern district of Kentucky; LaVern R. Dilweg, of Wisconsin, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; and Theodore Jaffe, of Rhode Island, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 23 private immigration bills (S. 194, 230, 337, 358, 426, 477, 512, 565, 597, 831, 1188, 1223, 1314, 1375, 1410, 1583, 1654, 1840, 1841, 1889, 1955, 2044, and 2065); and 20 private claims bills (S. 123, 349, 709, 841, 1256, 1306, 1337, 1419, 1530, H.R. 1230, 1853, 2257, 2326, 2327, 2700, 3623, 5743, 6091, 6180, and 6628).

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure continued its hearings on S. 1666, to define the areas of information which can be withheld from the press and the public by Government agencies, with testimony from Senator Ervin; Creed Black, Committee on Freedom of Information, American Society of Newspaper Editors; Eugene Pulliam, Newspaper Publishers Association; Henry T. Simmons, of Newsweek; and Clark Mollenhoff, of the Des Moines Register, representing Sigma Delta Chi, national journalistic fraternity.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on manpower problems, having as its witnesses Johannes Hoeber, Deputy Administrator for Public Works, Area Redevelopment Administration; Peter Wagner, National Planning Association; and James Rettie, senior economist, resources program, Department of the Interior. The subject under discussion today was "Expenditure Policy: Meeting Unmet Public Needs."

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARTS FOUNDATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on the Arts continued its hearings on S. 165 and S. 1316, providing for the establishment of a National Arts Foundation, receiving testimony from Senator Javits; Dr. Albert Bush-Brown, president, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence; J. Roy Carroll, president, American Institute of Architects, Washington, D.C.; Stewart Klonis, executive director, Art Students League of New York, New York City; and John H. McFadyen, executive director, New York State Council on the Arts, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution met in executive session for the consideration of S. 432, H.R. 6158, and other bills dealing with the Federal air pollution control program, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee began executive hearings to investigate financial or business activities of Senate employees, or former Senate employees, pursuant to S. Res. 212, having as its witness Senator Williams of Delaware.

Hearings continue on Friday, November 1.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 9 public bills, H.R. 8952–8960; 8 private bills, H.R. 8961–8968; and 4 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 228, and H. Res. 558–560, were introduced.

Pages 20439–20440

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3735, setting aside certain lands in Montana for the Indians of the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation, Mont., amended (H. Rept. 872);

H.J. Res. 778, providing for U.S. participation in the Hague Conference on private international law and the International (Rome) Institute for the unification of private law (H. Rept. 873);

H.J. Res. 779, relating to U.S. membership and participation in the South Pacific Commission (H. Rept. 874);

H. Res. 558, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on S. 777, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act in order to increase the authorization for appropriations and to modify the personnel security procedures for contractor employees (H. Rept. 875); and

H. Res. 559, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 8864, to carry out U.S. obligations under the International Coffee Agreement, 1962 (H. Rept. 876). **Page 20439**

Education: By voice votes the House adopted H. Res. 555 and 554, providing for disagreeing to Senate amendments and agreeing to conferences requested by the Senate on the following two bills, respectively:

Higher education: H.R. 6143, the Higher Education Facilities Act of 1963 (conferees are Representatives Powell, Green of Oregon, Brademas, Sickles, Gibbons, Frelinghuysen, Goodell, Griffin, and Quie).

Vocational education: H.R. 4955, the Vocational Education Act of 1963 (conferees are Representatives Powell, Perkins, Landrum, Green of Oregon, Dent, Brademas, Frelinghuysen, Goodell, Martin of Nebraska, Quie, and Bell). **Pages 20413–20419**

NATO Delegation Expenses: The House adopted H. Res. 551, to permit the use of counterpart funds to cover the expenses of the House delegation to the North Atlantic Treaty Parliamentary Conferences and to provide for itemized reports thereon. **Pages 20420–20421**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

VERTICAL INTEGRATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Feed Grains, in executive session, considered H.R. 1706, to prohibit the retail sale of meats and meat products, dairy products, poultry and eggs by any packer whose gross sales were more than $30 million during the preceding year. No final action was taken.

Prior to executive consideration the subcommittee held an open hearing on the measure and heard testimony from Representative Roosevelt; and George Mehren, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bils:

H.R. 2512, to clarify the status of members of the National Guard while attending or instructing at National Guard schools;

H.R. 2988, to increase to $2 million the authorization of funds of members of the Armed Forces to compete in international sport activities;

H.R. 3005, to permit persons who have been lawfully admitted to the U.S. for permanent residence to enlist in a Reserve component of the Armed Forces;

H.R. 6600, regarding appointment of members of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; and

H.R. 6678, to authorize conveyance of certain U.S. lands at Fort Miles Reservation to Delaware for public purposes.

MUTUAL SAVINGS BANKS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Insurance held a hearing on H.R. 258, and identical bills, to authorize the establishment of mutual savings banks. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, October 30.

ABC ACT—NURSES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 8920 (amended), to revise the D.C. Alcoholic Beverage Control Act; and

S. 933 (amended), to amend D.C. Practical Nurses' Licensing Act, to permit the licensing of such nurses who have practiced in the Washington metropolitan area.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC—HONDURAS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing with Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, regarding the situation in the Dominican Republic and Honduras, and related matters.

RECLAMATION AND IRRIGATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session on H.R. 8171, to reauthorize the Riverton extension unit, Missouri River Basin project, to include all the Riverton reclamation project except the Muddy Ridge area; and H.R. 5836, for the relief of certain veteran homestead entrymen, their heirs, and other owners of farm units on the third division, irrigation district, Riverton reclamation project, Wyoming. No final action was taken.

AIRPORTS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 1153 (amended), to extend the Federal Airport Act for 3 years.

Prior to executive action the subcommittee held an open meeting and concluded hearings on H.R. 3126, regarding Government buildings at airports; H.R. 3127, regarding agreements for the operation of concessions at Washington National Airport; and H.R. 3514, to permit arming of employees of the Federal Aviation Agency to protect public property under the jurisdiction of the Agency. Testimony was given by FAA officials.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7152 (amended), the proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963.

MOHOLE PROJECT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography held a hearing on the Mohole project. Heard testimony from a public witness.

FEDERAL PAY INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session on Federal pay increase legislation. No announcements were made. Recessed until Wednesday, October 30.

COFFEE AGREEMENT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 8864, to carry out U.S. obligations under the International Coffee Agreement of 1962.

Representative Mills was heard on the request for a rule.

ARMS CONTROL—DISARMAMENT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on S. 777, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act.

Heard Representative Morgan on the request for a rule.

GOVERNMENT-SCIENCE

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued discussion of Government-science relationships, and heard testimony from Dr. Leland Hayworth, Director, National Science Foundation.

PUBLIC DEBT CEILING

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on proposed legislation extending the temporary increase in the public debt ceiling. Heard testimony from C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury; and Kermit Gordon, Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

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Wednesday, October 30, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated foreign aid bill and passed 28 measures on calendar call.
House passed CIA retirement bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20527–20544

Bills Introduced: 4 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2268–2271; and S.J. Res. 129.

Page 20528

Dixie Project: Senate resumed consideration of and passed with committee amendments S. 26, to authorize construction and operation of the Dixie project, Utah.

Pages 20548–20551

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 28 measures were passed, of which 21 were private:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Courts: H.R. 2835, to clarify the status of Federal circuit and district judges retired from regular active service;

Bankruptcy: H.R. 1049, to amend the Bankruptcy Act with respect to the filing of claims in chapter II proceedings;

Schools—New Hampshire and Vermont: H.J. Res. 626, granting congressional consent to the establishment of the Hanover, N.H., and Norwich, Vt., Interstate School District;

Courts: H.R. 2985, permitting civil actions on tort claims to be brought in the district court of the district where the act or omission occurred; and

Private bills: 11 private bills, H.R. 4145, 1311, 1345, 2260, 2445, 2754, 2757, 2968, 3384, 6097, and 6260.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Sport bribes: S. 741, to prohibit schemes in interstate or foreign commerce from influencing by bribery the outcome of sporting contests;

Trading With the Enemy: S. 1451, conferring jurisdiction of the Court of Claims to render judgments upon certain claims arising under the Trading With the Enemy Act; and

Private bills: Seven private bills, S. 716, 1385, 1446, 1479, 1516, 1812, and 1129.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Administrative Conference: S. 1664, to create an Administrative Conference to study the mutual problems of Federal administrative agencies; and

Private bills: Two private bills, S. 1524 and 1737.

Resolution adopted without amendment:

Private resolution: S. Con. Res. 66.

Pages 20597–20603, 20607–20608

Rivers and Harbors: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1523, to make certain changes in the functions of the Beach Erosion Board and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors. This action cleared the bill for the White House. **Page 20609**

Foreign Aid: Senate continued debate of H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964.

Question of adoption of committee amendment (in nature of a substitute) was pending at recess.

Pages 20544, 20551–20561, 20603–20609

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Frank Kowalski, of Connecticut, to be member of the Subversive Activities Control Board; and LaVern R. Dilweg, of Wisconsin, and Theodore Jaffe, of Rhode Island, to be members of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission. **Page 20612**

Nominations: Numerous Air Force nominations were received. **Pages 20610–20612**

Recess: Recessed at 5:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Najeeb E. Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency; and Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation, and Dr. Detlev Bronk, Chairman, National Science Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration the following bills: S. 2228, to change the requirements for the annual meeting date for national banks; S. 1241, requiring annual instead of quarterly reports under the RFC Liquidation Act; S. 2032, authorizing study by HHFA of methods to provide financial assistance to victims of flood disasters; S. 1837, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans; S. 2079, to strike three different medals to commemorate the Federal Hall National Memorial, Castle Clinton National Monument, and the Statue of Liberty National Monument American Museum of Immigration in New York City; H.R. 3488, to strike a medal in commemoration of Indiana Statehood Sesquicentennial; and H.R. 7193, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the first union health center in the U.S. by the ILGWU.

The full committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider these and other bills.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Andrew B. Young, American Bar Association; Bernard H. Little, Ohio Manufacturers Association, and the Ohio Brass Co.; and W. T. Hyde, Jr., F. S. Smithers & Company.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration H.R. 5949, granting congressional consent to the amendment of the Costilla Creek compact between Colorado and New Mexico; and H.R. 4062, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande (amended).

Prior to this action, subcommittee held hearings on S. 2035, to reauthorize the Riverton extension unit, Missouri River Basin project, to include all the Riverton reclamation project except the Muddy Ridge area, with testimony from Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior, and Bruce Lockhart, president, Midvale Irrigation District; and on H.R. 5949, with testimony from Leon Maca, Division of Project Development, Bureau of Reclamation.

VIRGIN ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs continued its hearings in connection with the disposal of naval properties now occupied by Government permit in the Virgin Islands, with testimony from John J. Kirwan, Assistant Director, Office of Territories, Department of the Interior; Robert Cramer, President, Virgin Islands Corporation; and Donald Stanford, William C. Dowling, Michael J. Resch, and Eleanor Heckert, all of St. Thomas, V.I.

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure continued its hearings on S. 1666, to define the areas of information which can be withheld from the press and the public by Government agencies, with testimony from Howard Bell, National Association of Broadcasters; Theodore Serrill and Walter Potter, both of the National Editorial Association; Larry Spicer, American Civil Liberties Union; and Mark Schlefer, Maritime Administrative Law Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARTS FOUNDATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on the Arts continued its hearings on S. 165 and S. 1316, providing for the establishment of a National Arts Foundation, receiving testimony from Arlan R. Coolidge, president, Rhode Island Fine Arts Council, Brown University, Providence; George Biddle, Groton-on-Hudson, New York; Katherine Dunham, New York City; Otto Wittmann, director, Toledo Museum of Art, American Association of Museums, Toledo; Mrs. Iris Siff, Casa Manana Merry-Go-Round Theatre & School of Fort Worth, Tex.; Adelyn D. Breeskin, director, Washington Gallery of Modern Art, Washington, D.C.; Dorothea C. Ward, who presented the testimony of John Wyatt Gregg, Hawaii Art Commission; and Peter Pollack, director, American Federation of Arts, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 1937, proposed Equal Employment Opportunity Act, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Dr. Robert S. Morison, of New York, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation; Dr. William Neill Hubbard, Jr., of Michigan, to be a member of the Board of Regents, National Library of Medicine, Public Health Service; and sundry nominations in the Public Health Service.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 8969–8986; 7 private bills, H.R. 8987–8993; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 785–789, H. Con. Res. 229 and 230, and H. Res. 561, were introduced. Pages 20616, 20665

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7123, approving an agreement entered into by the Navajo Tribe of Indians relating to oil and gas leases (H. Rept. 877);

H. Con. Res. 223, to provide for the printing of 3,000 additional copies of civil rights hearings (H. Rept. 878);

S.J. Res. 17, providing designation for the lake to be formed by the waters impounded by Flaming Gorge Dam, amended (H. Rept. 879);

S. 933, to amend the D.C. Practical Nurses' Licensing Act regarding licensing without written examination, amended (H. Rept. 880);

H.R. 8920, to revise the D.C. Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, amended (H. Rept. 881); and

Conference report on H.R. 6500, military construction authorization bill (H. Rept. 882). Page 20665

New Member Sworn: Representative-elect Mark Andrews, of the First Congressional District of North Dakota, presented himself in the well of the House and the oath of office was administered by the Speaker. Pages 20612, 20664

Printing: House adopted H. Con. Res. 223, providing for printing 3,000 additional copies of the civil rights hearings for the use of the Committee on the Judiciary. Pages 20613–20614

Debt Limit Extension: The Committee on Ways and Means was granted permission to file by midnight Monday, November 4, a report on H.R. 8969, to provide for the period ending June 30, 1964, temporary increases in the public debt limit set forth in section 21 of the Second Liberty Bond Act. Page 20614

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 561, electing Representative Andrews of North Dakota to membership on the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 20616

CIA Retirement: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 8427, to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Central Intelligence Agency retirement and disability system for a limited number of employees.

Adopted an amendment that limits the designation of participants by the Director to those who are engaged in work that is hazardous to life or health; and to those whose employment is so specialized because of security requirements as to be clearly distinguishable from normal Government employment.

Also adopted an amendment requiring approval by the chairman and ranking minority member of the House and Senate Committees on Armed Services of the retirement rules and regulations prior to their becoming effective.

Rejected an amendment designed to limit the retirement and disability benefits to those in work hazardous to life and health.

H. Res. 543, to open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 20614–20629

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED—FOOD STAMPS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and approved the following seven watershed projects:

Big Creek, Tex.;
Crooked Creek, Minn.;
Indian Wash, Colo.;
Joe River, Minn.;
Mud Creek, Ark.;
Thompson Creek (supplemental), Tenn.; and
Weatherford-Bear Creek, Tenn.

Considered H.R. 8107, the proposed Food Stamp Act, but took no final action. Department of Agriculture officials gave testimony on the measure.

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session for a review of Army research and development programs. Recessed until Thursday, October 31.

MUTUAL SAVINGS BANKS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 258, and identical bills, to authorize the establishment of mutual savings banks. Heard testimony from Representative Cleveland and public witnesses. Hearings continue on Thursday, October 31.

PEACE CORPS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue markup of H.R. 8754, to amend further the Peace Corps Act. No announcements were made. Recessed until Thursday, October 31.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8507, for the relief of certain medical and dental officers of the Air Force.

Also took action on several private claim bills.

MOHOLE PROJECT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the Mohole project, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Thursday, October 31.

FEDERAL PAY INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session on Federal pay increase legislation and agreed to provisions of a clean bill (to be introduced in lieu of all present measures). The committee will meet Thursday, October 31, in executive session, to act on H.R. 8986, the new Federal pay increase bill.

PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT—BOURBON

Committee on Ways and Means: The committee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following two bills:

H.R. 8969, to temporarily increase the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964; and

S. Con. Res. 19, to designate "bourbon whisky" as a distinctive product of the United States.

Joint Committee Meetings

ATOMIC VERSUS CONVENTIONAL POWERED CARRIER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive testimony on the use of nuclear power technology for naval surface vessel propulsion. Witnesses heard were Secretary of the Navy Fred Korth; Adm. David L. McDonald, Chief of Naval Operations; Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission; and Dr. Harold Brown, Director, Defense Research and Engineering, DOD, all of whom were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6500, authorizing funds for military construction for fiscal year 1964. As approved by the conferees the bill would provide a total of $1,642,253,380.

Thursday, October 31, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate continued consideration of foreign aid bill.

One-year extension of Mexican farm labor program voted by House.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20762–20812

Bills Introduced: 6 bills and 1 resolution were introduced as follows: S. 2272–2277; and S. Res. 220. **Page 20763**

Bills Referred: One House-passed bill and one House-passed concurrent resolution were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 20762**

Private Bill: Senate agreed to reconsider its passage on October 30 of S. 1129, a private bill, and, on its reconsideration, an amendment by Senator Allott of a technical corrective nature was adopted. **Pages 20814–20815**

Military Construction: Senate adopted conference report on and cleared for President H.R. 6500, authorizing funds for military construction for fiscal year 1964. **Page 20829**

Courts: Senate adopted motion to reconsider its passage on October 30 of H.R. 2985, permitting civil actions on tort claims to be brought in the district court of the district where the act or omission occurred, and the House was requested to return the bill to the Senate. **Page 20829**

Printing: Senate adopted S. Res. 220, providing for the printing of additional copies of committee print entitled "Medical Assistance for the Aged—the Kerr-Mills Program, 1960–63." **Pages 20788–20789**

Foreign Aid: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, and adopted, by 66 yeas to 5 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Javits amendment (to committee substitute) stating it to be sense of Senate that the "institution of full investment guaranty programs with all recipient countries would be regarded as a significant measure of self-help by such countries, improving the climate for private investment."

Pending at recess was Mansfield amendment providing for an overall reduction in authorized funds of $385 million. **Pages 20812, 20815–20848**

Confirmations: Three civilian nominations were confirmed. **Page 20851**

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: J. Dewey Daane, of Virginia, to be a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; and numerous Public Health Service. **Page 20851**

Recess: Recessed at 6:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from John S. Gleason, Jr., Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, VA; and Najeeb E. Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 2228, to change the requirements for the annual meeting date for national banks; S. 1241, requiring annual instead of quarterly reports under the RFC Liquidation Act; S. 2032, authorizing study by HHFA of methods to provide financial assistance to victims of flood disasters; S. 2079, to strike three different medals to commemorate the Federal Hall National Memorial, Castle Clinton National Monument, and the Statue of Liberty National Monument American Museum of Immigration in New York City (amended); S. 298, to encourage the growth of small business investment companies; S. 1309, to change the name of the SBA to the Federal Small Business Administration, and increase authorizations for loans therefor; H.R. 3488, to strike a medal in commemoration of Indiana Statehood Sesquicentennial; and H.R. 7193, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the first union health center in the U.S. by the ILGWU (amended).

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Carl Bare, National Fraternal Order of Police; Ward Ashman, National Conference on Public Employee Retirement Systems; Walter Bouldin, Edison Electric Institute; and Steve Stahl, Oklahoma Public Expenditures Council.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure concluded its series of hearings on S. 1666, to define the areas of information which can be withheld from the press and public by Government agencies, after receiving testimony from Senator Keating; Norbert A. Schlei, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; G. d'Andelot Belin, General Counsel, Department of the Treasury; Robert Benjamin, American Bar Association; Leslie Whitten, a reporter for the Hearst newspapers; and Edward Enos, a citizen of the Washington, D.C., area.

ARTS FOUNDATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on the Arts continued its hearings on S. 165 and S. 1316, providing for the establishment of a National Arts Foundation, receiving testimony from Roger Stevens, Chairman, Board of Trustees, National Cultural Center; John D. Rockefeller III, New York City; Pat Nero, State senator of Rhode Island; Robert S. Schnitzer, Professional Theatre Program, University of Michigan; Miss Eleanor Lambert, Council of Fashion Designers of America, New York City; Stanley Young, executive director, ANTA, New York City; Wheeler Williams, American Artists Professional League, Inc., New York City; and S. Melville Hussey, National Folk Festival Association, who was accompanied by Miss Sarah Gertrude Knott, of Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on manpower problems, receiving testimony from Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., Under Secretary of Commerce; Hulett C. Smith, commissioner, department of commerce, State of West Virginia; and Dr. John R. Borchert, urban research director, Upper Midwest Economic Study, University of Minnesota. The subject under discussion today was "Structural Problems: Regional Economies."

Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 6.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 432, to accelerate and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 8994–9011; 7 private bills, H.R. 9012–9018; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 790 and 791, H. Con. Res. 231 and 232; and H. Res. 562 and 563, were introduced. Pages 20761–20762

Military Construction Authorization: By a record vote of 356 yeas to 1 nay the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 6500, to authorize certain construction at military installations, and sent the legislation to the Senate. **Pages 20680–20691**

Mexican Farm Labor Program: By a record vote of 173 yeas to 160 nays the House passed without amendment H.R. 8195, providing a 1-year extension of the Mexican farm labor program, after rejecting a recommittal motion by a voice vote. This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 1703, a similar bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill.

During the consideration of the legislation the House rejected amendments that sought to—

Limit the use of Mexican workers to growers who had previously used them at any time;

Bar use of Mexican workers on crops that have acreage controls and are in surplus supply; and

Extend to domestic migrant farmworkers identical benefits enjoyed by Mexican farm laborers.

H. Res. 554, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 20691–20732**

Presidential Transition: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 4638, to promote the orderly transfer of the executive power in connection with the expiration of the term of office of a President and the inauguration of a new President; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Dawson, Holifield, Fascell, Anderson, and Horton. **Page 20732**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of November 6. **Page 20735**

Bills Referred: 13 Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 20761**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to continue review of Army research and development programs.

MUTUAL SAVINGS BANKS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Bank Supervision and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 258, and identical bills, to authorize the establishment of mutual savings banks. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

PEACE CORPS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session on H.R. 8754, to further amend the Peace Corps Act.

KINZUA DAM PROJECT—SENECA NATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 1794, 3343, and 7354, bills to authorize the acquisition of and the payment for a flowage easement and rights-of-way over lands within the Allegany Indian Reservation in New York, required by the U.S. for the Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, and to provide for the relocation, rehabilitation, social and economic development of the members of the Seneca Nation. Testimony was given by Arthur Lazarus, attorney for the Seneca Nation; Department of the Army officials; and Interior Department representatives. Hearings continue on Friday, November 1.

MOHOLE PROJECT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the Mohole project, and heard testimony from a public witness.

FEDERAL PAY INCREASE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8986, to adjust the rates of basic compensation of certain officers and employees in the Federal Government.

Joint Committee Meetings

ATOMIC VERSUS CONVENTIONAL-POWERED CARRIER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued, in executive session, to receive testimony on the use of nuclear power technology for naval surface vessel propulsion. Witnesses heard were Capt. Vincent P. DePoix, former commanding officer of the U.S.S. *Enterprise,* Capt. Raymond E. Peet, commanding officer, U.S.S. *Bainbridge,* and Rear Adm. Thomas F. Connolly, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, who were accompanied by other Navy witnesses; James T. Ramey, Commissioner, and Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Division of Reactor Development, both of the Atomic Energy Commission; and Dr. Harold Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, DOD.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session when Secretary of Defense McNamara will be heard.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Conferees **met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.**

Friday, November 1, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on foreign aid, rejecting motion to recommit bill.
See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20865–20880

Bills Introduced: 1 bill and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2278; S.J. Res. 130; and S. Res. 221.

Pages 20866–20867

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2228, to change the requirements for the annual meeting date for national banks (S. Rept. 622);

S. 1686, relating to the annuities of widows of Supreme Court Justices, with amendment (S. Rept. 623);

S. 689, private bill (S. Rept. 624);

H.R. 7405, authorizing the U.S. Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development to vote for an increase in the Bank's authorized capital stock (S. Rept. 625);

S. Res. 221, requesting $50,000 for Committee on Rules and Administration for expenses to be incurred in its investigation of financial or business activities of present or former Senate employees, pursuant to S. Res. 212 (S. Rept. 626);

H. Con. Res. 223, to print additional copies of the civil rights hearings for the House Committee on the Judiciary (S. Rept. 627); and

S. 1241, requiring annual instead of quarterly reports under the RFC Liquidation Act (S. Rept. 628).

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Private Bill: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 310, private bill. This action cleared the bill for President's signature. **Pages 20912–20913**

Committee Authorizations: Senate adopted S. Res. 221, requesting $50,000 for Committee on Rules and Administration for expenses to be incurred in its investigation of financial or business activities of present or former Senate employees, pursuant to S. Res. 212.

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Foreign Aid: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, rejecting by 29 yeas to 46 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Morse motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Foreign Relations for further study, with instructions to report the bill back to the Senate by Friday, November 8.

Pending at recess was Holland amendment (to Mansfield amendment) to limit to $975 million for each of the fiscal years 1964, 1965, and 1966 authorized funds for the Development Loan Fund. The Mansfield amendment (to committee substitute) provides for an overall reduction of $385 million in authorized funds in bill and for a limitation of $975 million for fiscal year 1964 and $1.5 billion for fiscal years 1965 and 1966 for the Development Loan Fund.

Pages 20880–20884, 20890–20918, 20925–20926

Confirmations: The nomination of Dr. Robert S. Morison, of New York, to be member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation, and 16 Public Health Service nominations were confirmed.

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Nominations: Senate received one Army, one Navy, and two Marine Corps nominations. **Page 20928**

Recess: Recessed at 6:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded its hearings on H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, after receiving further testimony in behalf of funds for the National Science Foundation from its Director, Leland J. Haworth, who was accompanied by his associates.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Howard B. Dean, Association of Stock Exchange Firms; J. Sinclair Armstrong, U.S. Trust Co. of New York; E. S. Hall, Farmington, Conn.; and Moses H. Wilbourne, Cole Supply Co., Inc.

Hearings continue on Monday, November 4.

ARTS FOUNDATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on the Arts concluded its hearings on S. 165 and S. 1316, providing for the establishment of a National Arts Foundation, after receiving testimony from Sol Hurok, Hurok Attractions, Inc., New York City; Dr. Howard Conant, art education department, New York University; Hy Faine, American Guild of Musical Artists, New York City; Martin L. Friedman, Walker Art Gallery, Minneapolis; Reginald Allen, general manager of the Metropolitan Opera Association, New York City; Miss Frances Duehren, New York Fashion Designers, Inc., who was accompanied by Bernard A. Surgil, Crown Textile Manufacturing Co., New York; John D. Mitchell, Institute for Advanced Studies in the Theatre Arts, New York City; Henry H. Hecht, Jr., lecturer and arts adviser, Washington, D.C.; Howard Adams, Governor's Council on the Arts, Blue Springs, Mo.; Mrs. Haynes Reynolds Frasier, director, Art Gallery, Ltd., Georgetown, Washington, D.C.; and Mrs. Samuel Bogatz, an artist, Washington, D.C.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 221) requesting $50,000 for expenses to be incurred in its investigation of financial or business activities of present or former Senate employees, pursuant to S. Res. 212.

Committee also approved H. Con. Res. 223, to print additional copies of the civil rights hearings for the House Committee on the Judiciary.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, November 4, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate and Construction met in executive session and approved several pending real estate projects.

KINZUA DAM PROJECT—SENECA NATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs continued hearings on H.R. 1794, 3343, and 7354, bills to authorize the acquisition of and the payment for a flowage easement and rights-of-way over lands within the Allegany Indian Reservation in New York, required by the U.S. for the Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, and to provide for the relocation, rehabilitation, and social and economic development of the members of the Seneca Nation. Heard testimony from representatives of the Corps of Engineers, the Bureau of Indian Affairs, and the Seneca Nation. No final action was taken.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution in small business (regarding beauty and barber supplies), and heard testimony from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

HIGHER EDUCATION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through October 31, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	152	149	..
Time in session	834 hrs., 17′	509 hrs., 45′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	12,390	7,416	19,806
Appendix	..	..	6,830
Public bills enacted into law	51	113	164
Private bills enacted into law	28	67	95
Bills in conference	1	7	..
Bills through conference	3	13	..
Measures passed, total	648	775	..
Senate bills	263	77	..
House bills	197	448	..
Senate joint resolutions	13	7	..
House joint resolutions	17	22	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	24	21	..
House concurrent resolutions	15	16	..
Simple resolutions	119	184	303
Measures reported, total	*673	*820	..
Senate bills	276	60	..
House bills	171	548	..
Senate joint resolutions	14	5	..
House joint resolutions	16	25	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	28	20	..
House concurrent resolutions	14	15	..
Simple resolutions	154	147	301
Special reports	23	44	..
Conference reports	..	18	..
Reported measures not acted on	13	70	..
Measures introduced, total	2,692	10,604	13,296
Bills	2,277	9,018	11,295
Joint resolutions	129	791	920
Concurrent resolutions	66	232	298
Simple resolutions	220	563	783
Quorum calls	39	105	..
Yea-and-nay votes	161	84	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 594 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 882 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through October 31, 1963

Postmaster nominations, totaling 1,711, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	1,159
Withdrawn	13
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	539

Army nominations, totaling 10,145, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	9,954
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	191

Air Force nominations, totaling 20,288, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	19,792
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	496

Navy nominations, totaling 24,387, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	24,374
Withdrawn	1
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	12

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 4,927, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	4,923
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	4

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 2,791, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	2,649
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	139

Summary

Total nominations received	64,249
Total withdrawn	17
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	1,381
Total confirmed	62,851

Monday, November 4, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate continued consideration of foreign aid.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20946–20964

Bills Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2279–2280; and S. Res. 222. **Page 20947**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 8821, amending the law relating to methods of restoration to the Treasury of certain Federal funds made available to the States for unemployment compensation (S. Rept. 629). **Page 20947**

President's Communication—D.C. Appropriations: Communication from President transmitting an amendment to the budget for fiscal year 1964 in the amount of $308,000 for the District of Columbia was received, referred to Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 41. **Page 20947**

Secretary for Senate Majority: Senate adopted S. Res. 222, electing Francis R. Valeo, of the D.C., to be secretary for the majority of the Senate. **Page 20947**

Foreign Aid: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964.

Pending at recess was Holland amendment (to Mansfield amendment) to limit to $975 million for each of the fiscal years 1964, 1965, and 1966 authorized funds for the Development Loan Fund. The Mansfield amendment (to committee substitute), on which the yeas and nays were ordered, would effect an overall reduction of $385 million in authorized funds in bill and would limit to $975 million for fiscal year 1964 and to $1.5 billion authorizations for fiscal years 1965 and 1966 for the Development Loan Fund. **Pages 20964–20968, 20992–21013**

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Wednesday, November 6. **Page 21014**

Confirmation: One judicial nomination was confirmed. **Page 21030**

Nomination: One civilian nomination was received. **Page 21030**

Recess: Recessed at 6:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TAXATION, FEDERAL FUNDS RESTORATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Henry Ford II and Stuart T. Saunders, both of the Business Committee for Tax Reduction in 1963.

Also, committee ordered favorably reported H.R. 8821, amending the law relating to methods of restoration to the Treasury of certain Federal funds made available to the States for unemployment compensation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Seven public bills, H.R. 9019–9025; four private bills, H.R. 9026–9029; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 792–794, were introduced. **Page 20946**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6600, to amend the U.S. Code with respect to the appointment of the members of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, amended (H. Rept. 883);

Conference report on H.R. 6143, the Higher Education Facilities Act (H. Rept. 884); and

H.R. 8969, to temporarily increase the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 885). **Pages 20945–20946**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Maryland—public lands: S. 876, authorizing the GSA Administrator to convey certain land in Prince Georges County, Md., to the American National Red Cross.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

International law participation: H.J. Res. 778, to provide for participation by the Government of the U.S. in the Hague Conference on Private International Law and the International (Rome) Institute for the Unification of Private Law; and

GSA authority: H.R. 4801, to empower the General Services Administrator to certify to facts and to make administrative determinations on the basis of records transferred to him.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Indian lands—Montana: H.R. 3735, to set aside certain lands in Montana for the Indians of the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation, Mont.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S. 254, 1828, H.J. Res. 779, H.R. 4018, 5838, and 7155. Pages 20931–20934

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 1201.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 6624 and 7268.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 1414, 1887, 3368, 4862, and 6975.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1277, 2300, 2706, 2728, 5145, and 6182. Pages 20934–20936

Bill Referred: S. 1129, a private bill, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Page 20945

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution in small business (regarding the air conditioning and cash register industries). Testimony was given by public witnesses.

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Tuesday, November 5, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on foreign aid bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21044–21082

Bills Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2281–2286; S. Res. 223; and S.J. Res. 131. Page 21046

Bills Referred: Nine House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 21044

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, six measures were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

International Bank: H.R. 7405, authorizing the U.S. Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development to vote for an increase in the Bank's authorized capital stock; and

Social security—unemployment compensation: H.R. 8821, amending the law relating to methods of restoration to the Treasury of certain Federal funds made available to the States for unemployment compensation.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Banking: S. 2228, to change the requirements for the annual meeting date for national banks;

RFC: S. 1241, requiring annual instead of quarterly reports under the RFC Liquidation Act.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Supreme Court: S. 1686, relating to the annuities of widows of Supreme Court Justices.

Resolution adopted without amendment:

Printing: H. Con. Res. 223, to print additional copies of the civil rights hearings for the House Committee on the Judiciary. Pages 21044–21046

Foreign Aid: Senate worked on H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, taking the following actions on amendments to the Mansfield amendments (to committee substitute), to effect an overall reduction of $385 million in authorized funds in bill and to limit to $975 million for fiscal year 1964 and to $1.5 billion authorizations for fiscal years 1965 and 1966 for the Development Loan Fund:

Adopted: By unanimous vote of 80 yeas (motion to reconsider tabled), Holland amendment to limit to $975 million for each of the fiscal years 1964, 1965, and 1966 authorized funds for the Development Loan Fund; and by 42 yeas to 40 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Morse amendment to reduce authorizations for Development Loan Fund for fiscal year 1964 from $975 million to $950 million and to repeal such proposed authorizations for fiscal years 1965 and 1966; and

Rejected: By 40 yeas to 43 nays, Ellender amendment to reduce authorized funds for Development Loan Fund from $975 million to $900 million. This action was confirmed when Senate voted, by 42 yeas to 39 nays, for motion to table reconsideration of the vote.

Pending at recess were the following two amendments to the Mansfield amendment described above, vote to be taken first on the Ellender amendment: Ellender amendment to reduce authorizations for contingency fund to $100 million; and Humphrey amendment to retain net amount of reductions made but to authorize an additional $125 million to the Alliance for Progress and to reduce authorization for contingency fund by $125 million.

Pages 21082–21093, 21095–21111, 21113–21121

Nominations: Numerous Army nominations in the rank of general were received. **Page 21122**

Recess: Recessed at 5:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BONNEVILLE POWER ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held hearings on proposed budget estimates for the Bonneville Power Administration for fiscal year 1964, receiving testimony from Secretary Stewart L. Udall, Under Secretary James K. Carr, Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary for Water and Power, and Charles F. Luce, Administrator, Bonneville Power Administration, all of the Department of the Interior. The witnesses discussed proposed funds for the Pacific Northwest-Pacific Southwest Intertie.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nominations of John R. Reilly, of Iowa, and Phillip Elman, both to be members of the Federal Trade Commission. Testimony in behalf of Mr. Reilly was received from Senator Miller and Daniel O'Brien, administrative assistant to Senator Hickenlooper, and in behalf of Mr. Elman from Senator Brewster. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crime and criminal procedure in the D.C., receiving testimony from Nicholas deB. Katzenbach, Deputy Attorney General; David Acheson, U.S. Attorney for the D.C.; Walter N. Tobriner, President, D.C. Board of Commissioners; and Maj. Robert V. Murray, Chief, D.C. Metropolitan Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Robert J. Casey, Association of American Railroads; Charles Marshall, Nebraska Farm Bureau; Richard Berry, Salem, Va., Chamber of Commerce; James B. Wold, Associated Industries of Alabama; O. R. Strackbein, Nation-Wide Committee on Import-Export Policy; and Edward W. Newton, Meriden, Conn.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VIETNAM, BERLIN, NOMINATION, AND USIA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of State Dean Rusk testify in connection with the situation in Vietnam, as well as the current blockade by the Soviets of the U.S. military convoy on the Berlin autobahn. Secretary Rusk was accompanied and assisted by Roger Hilsman, Jr., Director of Intelligence and Research, State Department.

Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Douglas Henderson, to be Ambassador to Bolivia; and S. 2213, to provide certain basic authority for the USIA.

CONTESTED POSTMASTER NOMINATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Contested Nominations held hearings on the following contested postmaster nominations: Burton L. Kirtley, Jr., Graham, Tex.; Orval Harton, Chugwater, Wyo.; and Ralph J. Caneva, Park Ridge, N.J.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 6, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

ROTC PROGRAMS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session on H.R. 8130, regarding the establishment of a Junior and Senior Reserve Officers' Training Corps program. No final action was taken.

LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing by Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, regarding the situation in Latin America.

WOOD LABELING—MAHOGANY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 1998, and related bills, regarding wood labeling and the use of the word "mahogany." Testimony was given by public witnesses.

FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization held a hearing on fair employment policies and practices in the Federal Government. Testimony was given by Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower. Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 6.

GOVERNMENT-SCIENCE

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued discussion of Government-science relationships with Dr. Wernher von Braun, Director, George C. Marshall Space Flight Center, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Fred L. Whipple, Director, Astrophysical Observatory, Smithsonian Institution; Dr. Leland Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation; and numerous other non-Government scientists.

BEER CONCENTRATE

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the question of whether the process of manufacturing beer concentrate will necessitate amendments to the Internal Revenue Code. Heard testimony from Dwight E. Avis, Director, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax Division, Internal Revenue Service; and public witnesses.

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Wednesday, November 6, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate continued its work on foreign aid.

House adopted conference report on higher education facilities bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21198–21216

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2287–2293. **Page 21199**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 3488, to strike a medal in commemoration of Indiana Statehood Sesquicentennial (S. Rept. 630);

H.R. 7193, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the first union health center in the U.S. by the ILGWU (S. Rept. 631); and

H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, with amendments (S. Rept. 632). **Pages 21198–21199**

Bill Referred: One House-passed private bill was referred to Committee on the Judiciary. **Page 21200**

Foreign Aid: Senate worked on H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, adopting by unanimous vote of 89 yeas (motion to reconsider tabled), Mansfield-Dirksen amendments, as amended (to committee substitute), to effect an overall reduction of $385 million in authorized funds in bill and to limit to $975 million for fiscal year 1964 and to $1.5 billion authorizations for fiscal years 1965 and 1966 for the Development Loan Fund (as amended its overall reduction in authorized funds in bill totals $460 million and the authorization for Development Loan Fund is $950 million for fiscal year 1964 only), which had first been amended by adoption by 86 yeas to 3 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), of modified Humphrey amendment to provide authorization for fiscal year 1964 of $600 million instead of $525 for Alliance for Progress, and $175 million instead of $300 million for contingency fund.

The Ellender amendment to reduce authorization for contingency fund for fiscal year 1964 to $100 million, which was pending at recess Tuesday, November 5, was withdrawn.

Pending at recess tonight was Kuchel amendment barring aid to any country asserting its jurisdiction for fishing purposes over any area of the high seas beyond 3 miles from such country. **Pages 21216–21255**

Confirmation: The nomination of Douglas Henderson, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Bolivia, was confirmed. **Page 21260**

Recess: Recessed at 7:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide a total of $319,582,825, an increase of $35,296,025 over the House-passed figure of $284,286,800. The bill would also provide a $45 million Federal payment to help defray operating expenses of the D.C. government.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Ben D. Dorfman, Chairman, U.S. Tariff Commission; Rear Adm. John Harllee, Federal Maritime Commission; and Eugene P. Foley, Administrator, Small Business Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the USIA.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crime and criminal procedure in the D.C., receiving testimony from Sidney Zagri, International Brotherhood of Teamsters; James V. Bennett, Director, Bureau of Prisons; and Irving R. M. Panzer, American Veterans Committee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Dr. Roger Freeman, Hoover Institute, Stanford University; Joseph R. Barnes, Illinois Manufacturers' Association; Carl Beck, National Small Business Association; Maurice E. Peloubet, Price Waterhouse & Co.; and Stephen T. Dean, Florida Bar Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PLANNING, AND LEGISLATIVE JURISDICTION OVER LANDS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session to consider S. 855, to encourage better coordinated local review of State and local applications for certain Federal grants; and S. 815, to adjust legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over land in the several States used for Federal purposes. Subcommittee took no final action on these measures and recessed subject to call.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 2125, to revitalize the domestic gold-mining industry; S. 167, providing for the sale of phosphate rights in lands where patents have been issued reserving such rights to the U.S.; and S. 1166, authorizing grants by the Bureau of Mines to colleges for mining and minerals research; and without amendment H.R. 1233, a private bill; and H.R. 4479, providing for the conveyance to the State of California of reserved minerals rights in certain real property.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on the overall manpower problem, having as its witness Roswell L. Gilpatric, Deputy Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL MATTERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Affairs held hearings on H.R. 5778, to increase from 10 to 20 miles the area within which the Postmaster General may establish post office branches, with testimony from John D. Swygert, Director, Installations Management Division, and Tyler Abell, Associate General Counsel, both of the Post Office Department; and H.R. 5179, authorizing the Postmaster General to enter into agreements for the transportation of mail by passenger common carriers by motor vehicle, with testimony from Frederick E. Batrus, Deputy Assistant Postmaster General, Bureau of Transportation, and Tyler Abell, both of the Post Office Department; and R. J. O'Connor, who testified on behalf of the National Association of Motor Bus Owners.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, unanimously agreed to engage outside counsel to pursue its investigation of financial or business activities of Senate employees or former Senate employees pursuant to S. Res. 212. Committee also discussed other procedural aspects of this investigation.

Committee recessed subject to call of the Chair.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 9030–9052; 16 private bills, H.R. 9053–9068; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 795–798, H. Con. Res. 233, and H. Res. 564, were introduced. **Pages 21197–21198**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2512, to clarify the status of National Guard members while attending or instructing at certain National Guard schools (H. Rept. 886);

H.R. 2988, regarding participation by Armed Forces in international sports activities, amended (H. Rept. 887);

H.R. 3005, to remove the requirement that an alien must make a declaration of intention to become a U.S. citizen before he may be enlisted or appointed in a Reserve component, amended (H. Rept. 888); and

H. Res. 564, closed rule providing for the consideration of and 4 hours of debate on H.R. 8969, to temporarily increase the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 889). **Pages 21196–21197**

District Courts' Venue: The House complied with a request of the Senate for the return of H.R. 2985, to amend the U.S. Code relating to venue of U.S. district courts in civil actions on tort claims. **Page 21122**

Veterans Day: Agreed that when the House adjourns on Friday, November 8, it will stand adjourned until Tuesday, November 12. **Page 21123**

Higher Education Facilities: By a record vote of 258 yeas to 92 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 6143, the Higher Education Facilities Act of 1963, and sent the legislation to the Senate. **Pages 21123–21136**

D.C. Nurses: By a voice vote the House passed with amendments S. 933, to amend the D.C. Practical Nurses' Licensing Act regarding elimination of written examinations. **Pages 21136–21137**

D.C. Alcoholic Beverage Control: By a record vote of 258 yeas to 98 nays the House adopted a motion to recommit H.R. 8920, to revise the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act. **Pages 21137–21162**

Virgin Islands: H.R. 1989, to authorize the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto. **Page 21163**

Bills Referred: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 21196**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session for a continuation of the review of Army research and development programs. Testimony was given by Department of the Army officials. Recessed until Thursday, November 7.

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on bills to increase flexibility and ease restrictions on lending powers of certain financial institutions. Heard testimony from a public witness. Hearings continue on Thursday, November 7.

PEACE CORPS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 9009 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 8754), to further amend the Peace Corps Act.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 5345 (amended), to change the name of the Andrew Johnson National Monument, and to add certain historic property thereto;

H.R. 1096 (amended), to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to cooperate with the State of Wisconsin in the designation and administration of the Ice Age National Scientific Reserve;

H.R. 7458 (amended), to revise the boundary of Carlsbad Caverns National Park, N. Mex.;

H.R. 988 (amended), to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire the Graff House site for inclusion in Independence National Historical Park; and

H.R. 3071 (amended), to provide for the establishment of Fort Larned as a national historic site.

Considered H.R. 1803, to provide for the establishment of the Ozark National Rivers in the State of Missouri. No final action was taken.

LABEL IDENTIFICATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on H.R. 4994, regarding identification of woven labels; H.R. 8208 and 8241, to require that Irish potatoes sold or shipped in interstate commerce be labeled as to State of origin; and H.R. 5662, 5673, and 5675, to provide for marking of steel shipping containers to indicate country of origin of the steel. Heard testimony from Representatives Roberts of Alabama, Curtin, Macdonald; and public witnesses.

FCC REGULATIONS—COMMERCIALS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing on H.R. 8316, and related bills, to prohibit the Federal Communications Commission from regulating the length of commercials. Testimony was given by Representatives Purcell, Marsh, and Harrison; E. William Henry, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; and other FCC Commissioners. Hearings continue on Thursday, November 7.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8937, for the relief of certain retired officers of the Army, Navy, and Air Force; and H.R. 8999, to provide for the settlement of claims of certain inhabitants of the United States living in the area inundated by the sudden floods of the Rio Grande as the result of the construction of Falcon Dam. Also took action on several private claims bills.

Prior to executive action the subcommittee held an open hearing to take testimony on several private claims bills.

FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization continued hearings on fair employment practices in the Federal Government. Heard testimony from Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower; Ralph Horton, Director, Department of Equal Employment Opportunity, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense; and Roy Davenport, Special Assistant for Personnel, Office of the Under Secretary of the Army. Hearings continue on Thursday, November 7.

PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule, waiving points of order, with 4 hours of debate on H.R. 8969, to temporarily increase the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964.

Representatives Mills, Curtis of Missouri, and Patman were heard on the request for a rule.

GOVERNMENT-SCIENCE

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development met in executive session to continue discussion of Government-science relationships.

Joint Committee Meetings

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Thursday, November 7, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate continued its work on the foreign aid bill.
Temporary debt limit extension bill passed by House.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21267–21329

Bills Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2294–2296. Page 21268

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2079, to strike three different medals to commemorate the Federal Hall National Memorial, Castle Clinton National Monument, and the Statue of Liberty National Monument American Museum of Immigration in New York City, with amendments (S. Rept. 633);

S. 2032, authorizing study by HHFA of methods to provide financial assistance to victims of flood disasters (S. Rept. 634);

S. Res. 217, to authorize a study of the National System of Scenic Highways, with amendments (S. Rept. 635);

H.R. 5244, modifying the project on the Mississippi River at Muscatine, Iowa, so as to permit the use of certain property for public park purposes (S. Rept. 636);

H.R. 6001, authorizing conveyance to the Waukegan Port District, Illinois, of certain real property of the U.S. (S. Rept. 637);

S. 432, to accelerate and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program, with amendments (S. Rept. 638); and

H.R. 6518, to accelerate and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program, with amendments (no written report). Page 21268

Striking of Medals: Senate took from the calendar and passed H.R. 3488, to strike a medal in commemoration of Indiana Statehood Sesquicentennial, and H.R. 7193, to strike a medal in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the first union health center in the U.S. by the ILGWU. Page 21268

Foreign Aid: Senate continued to work on H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, taking the following additional actions thereon:

Adopted: By 57 yeas to 29 nays (motion to reconsider tabled by vote of 50 yeas to 33 nays), modified Kuchel amendment barring aid to any country asserting its jurisdiction for fishing purposes over any area of the high seas beyond that recognized by the U.S.; by voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Proxmire amendment barring any further aid to Indonesia unless the President determines that the furnishing of such assistance is essential to the national interest of the U.S.; by voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Proxmire amendment barring U.S. aid of any kind to Yugoslavia (with the exception of aid under P.L. 480); by 65 yeas to 13 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Gruening amendment providing that no assistance shall be provided under this or any other act and no sales shall be made under the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954 (P.L. 480) to any country which the President determines is engaging in or preparing for aggressive military efforts directed against (1) the U.S., (2) any country receiving assistance under this or any other act, or (3) any country to which sales are made under P.L. 480.

Rejected: By 32 yeas to 46 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Fulbright substitute to the above-described Gruening amendment which would have prohibited assistance to any country which the President determines is either engaging in aggressive military efforts or is engaged in military buildup preparatory to aggressive efforts against the U.S. or any other free country.

At recess, the bill, as amended, was open to further amendment. Pages 21329–21371

Recess: Recessed at 8:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—USIA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for the East-West Cultural Exchange Program from Senator Fong; and in behalf of funds for their Agency from Donald M. Wilson, Acting Deputy Director, and G. Lewis Schmidt, Director of Operations, both of the U.S. Information Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Paul H. Nitze, to be Secretary of the Navy, where the nominee testified and answered questions on his own behalf.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of J. Dewey Daane, of Virginia, to be a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee testified and answered questions on his own behalf.

QUALITY STABILIZATION ACT

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 774, to promote quality and price stabilization, having as its witnesses Richard H. Holton, Assistant Secretary of Commerce; and Angus McDonald, legislative director, National Farmers Union.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 13.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crime and criminal procedure in the D.C., receiving testimony from Alexander L. Benton, Washington Bar Association; Mrs. Margaret A. Fischer, president, Mount Pleasant Citizens Association; and John A. Patterson, Jr., Chevy Chase Citizens Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Raymond A. Hoffman, Illinois State Chamber of Commerce; C. Lowell Harriss, professor of economics, Columbia University; Rolf H. Berg, National Tool Die & Precision Machining Association; and Trye Taylor, Southern States Industrial Council.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.S.-PUERTO RICO COMPACT COMMISSION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs held hearings on H.R. 5945, to provide for the establishment of a U.S.-Puerto Rico Compact Commission, receiving testimony from A. Fernós-Isern, Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico; Phillip S. Hughes, Assistant Director for Legislative Reference, Bureau of the Budget; and J. A. Gonzalez-Gonzalez, who represented the Puerto Rican Independence Movement.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, having as its witnesses Irvine H. Sprague, deputy director, Department of Finance, State of California; Robert Crown, assemblyman, California State Assembly, who was accompanied by Louis J. Angelo, committee coordinator, and Lee Nichols, consultant, both of the Assembly Ways and Means Committee, State of California; and Donald F. Bradford, Director, Office of Economics Adjustment, Department of Defense, who was accompanied by Dan Whiting. Testimony today was directed primarily to the subject of "employment impact of shifts in Defense contracts."

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 432, to accelerate and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program (amended); H.R. 5244, modifying the project on the Mississippi River at Muscatine, Iowa, so as to permit the use of certain property for public park purposes; H.R. 6001, authorizing conveyance to the Waukegan Port District, Illinois, of certain real property of the U.S.; and S. Res. 217, to authorize a study of the National System of Scenic Highways (amended); and H.R. 6518, to accelerate and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program.

INCOME OF THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Employment and Retirement Incomes of the Elderly held an executive organizational meeting to discuss its agenda of activities.

It was announced that the full committee will hold its regularly monthly meeting at 10 a.m. on Thursday, November 14.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 9069–9083; 10 private bills, H.R. 9084–9093; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 799–801, and H. Con. Res. 234, were introduced.

Pages 21439–21440

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 7381, proposed Dual Compensation Act, amended (H. Rept. 890);

H.R. 8135, to provide for the establishment and administration of public recreational facilities at the Sanford Reservoir area, Canadian River project, Texas (H. Rept. 891);

H.R. 9009, to amend further the Peace Corps Act, as amended (H. Rept. 892); and

Report of the Special Study Mission to Southeast Asia (October 3–19, 1963) (H. Rept. 893). **Page 21439**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 2 of the Select Committee on Small Business was authorized to sit during general debate of the House sessions on November 12, 13, and 14. **Page 21377**

Submerged Lands Jurisdiction: H.R. 2073, placing certain submerged lands under the jurisdiction of the governments of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto.

Pages 21378–21379

French Vessel Visit: Heard the reading of a communication from the French Ambassador inviting Members of Congress to visit a vessel of the French Navy, *Dupetit Thouars,* which will be moored at the Washington Navy Yard from November 8 to 12. **Page 21379**

Debt Limit: By a record vote of 187 yeas to 179 nays the House passed without amendment H.R. 8969, to temporarily increase the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964. A motion to recommit the bill had been rejected previously by a record vote of 172 yeas to 197 nays.

H. Res. 564, the closed rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a record vote of 212 yeas to 149 nays. Pages 21379–21407

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of November 13. Page 21407

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to continue review of Army research and development programs. Heard testimony from Department of the Army officials.

MILITARY REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 189, to authorize the conveyance of certain land under the jurisdiction of the Naval Ordnance Test Station, China Lake, Calif., to the County of Kern, Calif.; H.R. 393, relating to jurisdiction over certain land in the vicinity of Fort Devens, Mass.; H.R. 7248, to allow certain real property conveyed by the Air Force to the city of Fort Walton Beach, Fla., to be used for educational as well as recreational purposes; and H.R. 7499, to authorize the conveyance of certain land without consideration to the city of Oroville, Calif. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Hagen of California, Sikes, and Johnson of California.

CIA

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on the Central Intelligence Agency met in executive session on matters regarding the Central Intelligence Agency.

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on legislative proposals to increase flexibility and ease restrictions on lending powers of certain financial institutions. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session for a briefing by Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

HAWAII

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 8970, to revise the procedures established by the Hawaii Statehood Act, Public Law 86–3, for the conveyance of certain lands to the State of Hawaii. Heard testimony from Senator Inouye, Representatives Gill and Matsunaga; and William Richardson, Lieutenant Governor of Hawaii.

FCC REGULATIONS—COMMERCIALS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 8316, and related bills, to prohibit the Federal Communications Commission from regulating the length of commercials, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, November 8.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 2834, to amend chapter 35 of title 18, U.S. Code, with respect to the escape or attempted escape of juvenile delinquents; H.R. 7912, to amend the provisions of law authorizing the commitment of a defendant to the custody of the Attorney General for a study after conviction; H.R. 7508, to provide that when a district court or the Court of Claims refers a question to the Interstate Commerce Commission for determination, such court shall have exclusive jurisdiction of all actions pursuant to the Commission's order; and H.R. 8067 (amended), to codify recent military law embodied in titles 10 and 37 of the U.S. Code.

MOHOLE PROJECT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on the Mohole project, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization continued hearings on fair employment practices in the Federal Government. Testimony was given by Richard J. Murphy, Assistant Postmaster General; and other Post Office Department officials.

Joint Committee Meetings

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Friday, November 8, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate continued to work on foreign aid bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21452–21480

Bills Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2297–2298; and S. Res. 224. **Page 21452**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 298, to encourage the growth of small business investment companies, with amendments, and with minority views (S. Rept. 639);

S. 1309, to change the name of the SBA to the Federal Small Business Administration, and increase authorizations for loans therefor, with amendment, and with minority views (S. Rept. 640); and

S. Res. 218, congratulating the National Academy of Sciences and National Research Council for its contributions to science and technology (no written report). **Page 21452**

Bill Referred: H.R. 8969, to temporarily increase the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964, was referred to Committee on Finance. **Page 21457**

Sundry Bills Passed: Four sundry bills were taken from calendar and passed in the manner indicated:

Striking of medals: S. 2079, to strike three different medals to commemorate the Federal Hall National Memorial, Castle Clinton National Monument, and the Statue of Liberty National Monument American Museum of Immigration in New York City (with committee amendments);

Flood disasters: S. 2032, authorizing study by HHFA of methods to provide financial assistance to victims of flood disasters;

Scenic highways: S. Res. 217, to authorize a study of the National System of Scenic Highways (with committee amendments); and

Muscatine, Iowa: H.R. 5244, modifying the project on the Mississippi River at Muscatine, Iowa, so as to permit the use of certain property for public park purposes. **Pages 21467–21470**

Foreign Aid: Senate continued to work on H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, taking the following additional actions on amendments to the committee substitute, as amended:

Adopted: By 74 yeas to 0 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Javits amendment to establish an advisory committee on private enterprise in foreign relations; and by 74 yeas to 0 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Lausche amendment to eliminate Presidential authority to waive restrictions on aid to all Communist countries.

Rejected: By 30 yeas to 44 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Gruening amendment establishing minimum interest rate on loans for economic aid; and by 14 yeas to 55 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Lausche amendment to strike out the section of the committee bill making it possible for the President to maintain most-favored-nation treatment of Poland and Yugoslavia.

Pending at recess was Morse amendment prohibiting assistance to any specified economically developed nation except to fulfill firm commitments made prior to July 1, 1963. **Pages 21451, 21480–21483, 21493–21528**

Confirmation: Senate confirmed the nomination of J. Dewey Daane, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. **Page 21538**

Nominations: Senate received the nominations of Robert H. Charles, of Missouri, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; Dr. Herbert Scoville, Jr., of Connecticut, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and numerous Navy nominations. **Pages 21535–21538**

Recess: Recessed at 7:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices.

It was announced that the full committee will meet on Wednesday, November 13, to consider this bill.

APPROPRIATIONS—USIA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, with further testimony in behalf of funds for their Agency from Donald M. Wilson, Acting Deputy Director, and G. Lewis Schmidt, Director of Operations, both of the U.S. Information Agency.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 12, when public witnesses will be heard on various items in the bill.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses William M. Horne, Jr., Manufacturing Chemists' Association; William Kuhfuss, Illinois Agricultural Association; Garner M. Lester, National Tax Equality Association, Inc.; Roland M. Bixler, Manufacturers Association of New Haven County, and the J-B-T Instruments, Inc.; and H. L. Thompson, Jr., National Wholesale Hardware Association.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 12.

WATER RESOURCES PLANNING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1111, to establish a Water Resources Council to assist in the development of comprehensive water resources planning.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Charles H. Tenney, to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of New York, where favoring testimony was received from Senator Javits. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee ordered favorably reported S. Res. 218, congratulating the National Academy of Sciences and National Research Council for its contributions to science and technology.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, having as its witnesses Senator Muskie; Wendell Phillips, president, and James K. Keefe, industrial director, both of the Presque Isle Industrial Council; Donald F. Bradford, Director, Office of Economics Adjustment, Department of Defense; Dr. Charles Tiebaut, department of economics, University of Washington; and Dr. John S. Gilmore, Denver Research Institute, University of Denver. Testimony today was again directed primarily to the subject of "employment impact on shifts in Defense contracts."

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 12.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Three public bills, H.R. 9094–9096; and two private bills, H.R. 9097 and 9098, were introduced. **Page 21451**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: S. 1868, amending the Adult Indian Vocational Training Act, amended (H. Rept. 894). **Page 21451**

Legislative Appropriations: The bill H.R. 6868, providing fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch, was taken from the Speaker's table and the following actions taken on Senate amendments thereto: Concurred in amendments Nos. 1–13, inclusive, 15–29, and 34; disagreed to the balance of amendments; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Steed, Kirwan, Cannon, Horan, and Langen. **Pages 21442–21444**

Resolution Referred: S. Con. Res. 19, to designate "Bourbon whiskey" as a distinctive product of the U.S., was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. **Pages 21450–21451**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HAWAII-ALASKA

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8970, to revise the procedures established by the Hawaii Statehood Act, Public Law 86–3, for the conveyance of certain lands to the State of Hawaii; and H.R. 7170, to amend the Alaska Public Works Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to collect, compromise, or release certain claims held by him under that act.

Prior to taking action on the measures heard testimony from Harold Seidman, Assistant Director for Management and Organization, Bureau of the Budget (H.R. 8970); and Richard F. Taitano, Director, Office of Territories, Department of the Interior (H.R. 7170).

FCC REGULATIONS—COMMERCIALS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing on H.R. 8316, and related bills, to prohibit the Federal Communications Commission from regulating the length of commercials. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution in small business (regarding the aluminum industry and franchise associations). Heard testimony from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

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Tuesday, November 12, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on foreign aid.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21544–21559

Bills Introduced: 4 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2299–2302; and S. Res. 225.

Page 21544

Resolutions Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 225, authorizing additional expenditures of $10,000 by Committee on Appropriations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

Page 21544

Foreign Aid: Senate continued its work on H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, taking the following additional actions on amendments to the committee substitute, as amended:

Adopted: Church amendment defining the term "economically developed nation" in the subsection which would bar, with certain exceptions, assistance on a grant basis to any economically developed nation capable of sustaining its own defense burden and economic growth; Dominick amendments providing that repayment on loans under either the Development Loan Program or the Alliance for Progress Program cannot be reloaned except through reappropriation by Congress; by 75 yeas and 16 nays, Humphrey amendment providing that no provisions of the legislation shall be construed to prohibit assistance to any country pursuant to the Peace Corps Act or the National Educational and Cultural Exchange Act; and

Rejected: By 39 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Keating amendment stating it to be the sense of Congress that any agreement between Governments of U.S. and Czechoslovakia relating to settlement of claims of U.S. nationals against Czechoslovakia shall be submitted to Senate for its advice and consent; by 20 yeas to 60 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Miller amendment barring certain assistance to any nation which is more than 1 year in arrears in payment of any U.N. assessment; and by 31 yeas to 44 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Morse amendment barring Alliance for Progress assistance for balance-of-payment or budget-support loans.

Pending at recess was Gruening amendment respecting interest rates on development loans.

Pages 21559–21589, 21591–21609

Scenic Highways: Senate reconsidered its action of November 8 in adopting S. Res. 217, to authorize a study of the National System of Scenic Highways. The resolution was then referred to Committee on Rules and Administration for action on the language respecting funds.

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Nomination: Nomination of Benson E. L. Timmons III, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Haiti, and numerous Marine Corps nominations were received.

Pages 21610–21612

Recess: Recessed at 9:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE–JUSTICE–COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, after receiving testimony from Representative Mahon, on funds for a weather station in Lubbock, Tex.; and numerous public witnesses, on various items in the bill.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: The Housing Subcommittee held hearings on the following bills:

S.J. Res. 129, to increase the amount available to the HHFA for advances for planned public works, with testimony from Sidney H. Woolner, Commissioner, Community Facilities Administration, HHFA;

S. 484, to provide assistance in acquiring especially adapted housing for blind veterans who have lost the use of a leg, with testimony from Donald C. Knapp, Assistant General Counsel, and Dr. H. Kessler, Department of Medicine and Surgery, both of the Veterans' Administration; and

S. 1675, authorizing the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to sell direct loans made to veterans and to guarantee such loans, with testimony from John M. Dervan, Director, and Robert C. Coon, both of the Loan Guaranty Service, Veterans' Administration.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1698, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to extend the time for commitment of construction reserve funds; H.R. 134, requiring auto seat belts shipped in interstate commerce to meet certain safety standards (amended); H.R. 2906, to exempt the emergency towing of wrecked or disabled vehicles from the provisions of part II of the Interstate Commerce Act; the nomination of Philip Elman, of Maryland, to be a member of the Federal Trade Commission; and 71 routine nominations in the Coast Guard.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: The committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witness Walter W. Heller, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INVESTIGATION—USDA–ESTES

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations held executive hearings to question Billie Sol Estes in connection with his financial activities, inquiry of which was begun by the subcommittee during the last session of Congress. Mr. Estes refused on grounds of possible self-incrimination (fifth amendment) to answer questions of the subcommittee.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

HAWAIIAN LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Public Lands Subcommittee held hearings on S. 2275, revising procedures established by the Hawaii Statehood Act for the conveyance of certain lands to Hawaii, with testimony from Senators Inouye and Fong; and Representatives Gill and Matsunaga.

Hearings continued tomorrow.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, receiving testimony from Thomas J. Watson, Jr., president, who was accompanied by George B. Beitzel, both of the International Business Machines Corp.; and Norman S. Paul, Assistant Secretary for Manpower, who was accompanied by William Gorham, Deputy Assistant Secretary, and Harold Wool, Director of Manpower Reserve, all of the Department of Defense. The subject under discussion today was "Defense Manpower Needs and Prospects."

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 3 public bills, H.R. 9099–9101; 2 private bills, H.R. 9102 and 9103, and 1 resolution, H. Res. 565, were introduced. **Page 21619**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 565, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 9009, to amend further the Peace Corps Act, as amended (H. Rept. 895); and

Conference report on H.R. 6868, providing fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch (H. Rept. 896). **Page 21619**

The House met briefly but transacted no legislative business.

Bills Referred: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 21619**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session for a review of Army research and development programs. Recessed until Wednesday, November 13.

AIR FORCE CONTRACT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee for Special Investigations held a hearing on Air Force procurement practices regarding a contract with TYCO Laboratories, Inc., Waltham, Mass. Heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses.

D.C. TRANSIT PROGRAM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 met in executive session on the D.C. transit program. Recessed until Wednesday, November 13.

ST. ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the Investigation of the Administration and Operation of St. Elizabeths Hospital heard testimony from Boisfeuillet Jones, Special Assistant to the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare for health and medical affairs; and Dr. Dale C. Cameron, Supervisor, St. Elizabeths Hospital.

RIVERTON RECLAMATION PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8171 (amended), to reauthorize the Riverton extension unit, Missouri River Basin project, to include all the Riverton reclamation project except the Muddy Ridge area.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on H.R. 4700, to exempt certain carriers from minimum rate regulation in the transportation of bulk commodities, agricultural and fishery products, and passengers; and H.R. 4701, to provide for strengthening and improving the national transportation system. No final action was taken.

MOHOLE PROJECT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography heard testimony from Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation, regarding the Mohole project.

PEACE CORPS ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted on open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 9009, to further amend the Peace Corps Act.

Representatives Morgan and Frelinghuysen were heard on the request for a rule.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Small Business and Government Procurement met to review Government small business procurement practices and programs. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses. Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 13.

Joint Committee Meetings

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed its hearings on the U.S. balance of payments, having as its witnesses Arthur Bloomfield, professor of economics, University of Pennsylvania; and Friederich Lutz, professor of economics, University of Zurich.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6868, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch.

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Wednesday, November 13, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate worked on foreign aid bill.

House passed bill amending Peace Corps Act.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21683–21719

Bills Introduced: 4 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2303–2306; and S.J. Res. 132.
Pages 21692–21693

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, with amendments (S. Rept. 641);

S. 1561, to make clarifying amendments to the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 642); and

S.J. Res. 129, to increase the amount available to the HHFA for advances for planned public works (S. Rept. 643). **Page 21684**

Science and Technology: Senate adopted S. Res. 218, congratulating the National Academy of Sciences and National Research Council for its contributions to science and technology. **Pages 21683–21684**

Foreign Aid: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, taking the following additional actions on amendments to the committee substitute, as amended:

Adopted: Simpson amendment to utilize to the fullest practicable extent the facilities of private enterprise in providing technical assistance; by 51 yeas to 41 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Morse amendment to reduce support assistance authorization from $400 million to $380 million; modified Ellender amendment restricting to $25 million per fiscal year beginning with 1964 military aid to African countries (motion to reconsider tabled); Ellender amendment to eliminate authority to increase the use of P.L. 480 funds for loans to private enterprise abroad; modified Carlson amendment excepting fish flour, until approved by FDA, from the language of the bill stating that "the term 'surplus agricultural commodity' shall include any domestically produced fishery product" (motion entered by Senator Douglas to reconsider adoption of this amendment); Ellender amendment providing for covering into Treasury of certain reserves in the Investment Guaranty Fund; and Ellender amendment (motion to reconsider tabled), providing that receipts in foreign currencies from development research loans or for nonmilitary purposes shall not be loaned except pursuant to legislative processes; and

Rejected: By 41 yeas to 47 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Gruening amendment to increase to 2 percent interest rates on development loans; and by 43 yeas to 52 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Morse amendment to reduce authorized funds for support assistance from $400 million to $350 million.

Pending at recess was Gruening amendment barring future military aid to Latin America except in certain circumstances.

Pages 21719–21720, 21727–21737, 21739–21749, 21757–21783

Confirmation: The nomination of Philip Elman, of Maryland, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner, was confirmed. **Page 21784**

Nominations: Four Army nominations in the rank of general were received; and four Army nomination withdrawals in the rank of general were received. **Page 21783**

Recess: Recessed at 8:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices.

QUALITY STABILIZATION ACT

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 774, to promote quality and price stabilization, having as its witnesses Fred L. Hartley, Sr., Union Oil Co. of California, Los Angeles; Mrs. Sarah H. Newman, National Consumers League, Washington, D.C.; and Henry R. Peters, Secretary of the D.C. Board of Pharmacy.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: The committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Dr. Harris L. Brown, Georgia Farm Bureau; Benjamin A. Javits, United Shareowners of America, Inc.; A. L. Reed, Public Information Committee of Cotton Industries; and William H. Peterson, professor of economics, New York University Graduate School of Business Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HAWAIIAN LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Public Lands Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 2275, revising procedures established by the Hawaii Statehood Act for the conveyance of certain lands to Hawaii, with testimony from Harold Seidman, Acting Assistant Director for Management and Organization, Bureau of the Budget, who was accompanied by Howard Schnoor; William Richardson, Lieutenant Governor of Hawaii; and Peter Lewis, Deputy Attorney General of Hawaii.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, receiving testimony from Dr. Herbert Hollomon, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology; Dr. Eli Ginzberg, professor of economics, Columbia University; and Carl Frey, Engineering Manpower Commission, Engineers Joint Council, New York City. The subject under discussion today was "Scientific and Technical Manpower Problems."

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 166 postmaster nominations; and S. 1561, to make clarifying amendments to the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act (amended).

Prior to this action, in executive session, Subcommittee on Contested Nominations recommended that the full committee approve contested postmaster nominations at Graham, Tex.; Chugwater, Wyo.; Park Ridge, N.J.; and Gettysburg, Pa., which nominations were subsequently approved by the full committee.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 9104–9114; 5 private bills, H.R. 9115–9119; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 235 and 236, were introduced. **Pages 21682–21683**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 10, regarding extension of civil service apportionment requirement to temporary summer employment, amended (H. Rept. 897);

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 898); and

H.R. 8986, to adjust the rates of basic compensation of certain officers and employees in the Federal Government (H. Rept. 899). **Page 21682**

Legislative Appropriations: House adopted the conference report on H.R. 6868, making appropriations for the legislative branch for fiscal year 1964, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Four amendments were reported in disagreement and on which the House voted to recede and concur in amendments Nos. 14, 33, and 39; and to recede and concur in amendment No. 32 with an amendment. **Pages 21624–21627**

Peace Corps: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 9009, to amend further the Peace Corps Act, as amended.

Rejected amendments that sought to reduce the 1964 authorization from $102 million to $81 million; $92 million; and to the current authorization of $63,750,000.

H. Res. 565, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 21628–21657**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TOBACCO

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Tobacco discussed the functions and operations of the tobacco auction markets and the tobacco price support program, and heard comments by Representatives Watts, Taylor, Fountain, Lennon, Kornegay, Tuck, and Hemphill; and testimony from various public witnesses.

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session for a review of Army research and development programs. Recessed until Thursday, November 14 (room 214-B Longworth House Office Building).

D.C. TRANSIT PROGRAM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8929 (amended), to authorize the prosecution of a transit development program for the National Capital region.

ST. ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the Investigation of the Administration and Operation of St. Elizabeths Hospital heard testimony from Dr. Dale C. Cameron, Supervisor, St. Elizabeths Hospital.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for a briefing with G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs.

INTERIOR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 130 (amended), to provide for the payment of compensation, including severance damages, for rights-of-way acquired by the U.S. in connection with reclamation projects the construction of which commenced after January 1, 1961; and

H.R. 931 (amended), to provide for the establishment of the Allegheny Portage Railroad National Historic Site and the Johnstown Flood National Memorial, Pa.

Considered H.R. 1803, to provide for the establishment of the Ozark National Rivers in the State of Missouri. No final action was taken.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

FISHING VESSEL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation heard testimony from various departmental witnesses on S. 1006, regarding inequities in the construction of fishing vessels.

FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization continued hearings on equal opportunity policies and practices in the Federal departments and agencies. Heard testimony from Richard J. Murphy, Assistant Postmaster General.

DELAWARE RIVER PORT AUTHORITY

Committee on Public Works: Held a hearing on H.R. 7332, 7339, and 7595, identical bills, granting the consent of Congress to a further supplemental compact or agreement between the State of New Jersey and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania concerning the Delaware River Port Authority, formerly the Delaware River Joint Commission. Heard testimony from Representative Cahill; and Frank L. Barton, Deputy Under Secretary for Transportation, Department of Commerce.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Green of Pennsylvania and Milliken.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Small Business and Government Procurement continued review of Government small business procurement practices and programs. Heard testimony from Lee Loevinger, Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission; other departmental officials; and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

ATOMIC VERSUS CONVENTIONAL-POWERED CARRIER

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara testify and answer questions in connection with nuclear power technology for naval surface vessels.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the U.S. balance of payments, receiving testimony from Charles P. Kindleberger, professor of economics, MIT; and J. Harvie Wilkinson, Jr., chairman of the board, State-Planters Bank of Commerce and Trusts, Richmond, Va.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Thursday, November 14, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate continued its work on foreign aid bill.
Bill implementing coffee agreement passed by House.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21826–21838, 21899

Bill Introduced: One bill was introduced, as follows: S. 2307. **Page 21899**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 219, to print as a Senate document a document entitled "United States Astronauts" (S. Rept. 644); and

S. Res. 225, authorizing additional expenditures of $10,000 by the Committee on Appropriations (no written report). **Page 21827**

Bill Referred: H.R. 9009, to amend further the Peace Corps Act, was referred to Committee on Foreign Relations when it was received from the House. **Page 21826**

Foreign Aid: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, taking the following additional actions on amendments to the committee substitute, as amended:

Adopted: Modified Gruening amendment barring future military aid to Latin American countries except in certain circumstances (motion to reconsider tabled); Carlson motion to table Douglas motion to reconsider adoption on November 13 of modified Carlson amendment excepting fish flour, until approved by FDA, from the language of the bill stating that "the term 'surplus agricultural commodity' shall include any domestically produced fishery product" (this action confirmed previous adoption of this Carlson amendment); Morse amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) to reduce by $20 million authorized funds for Social Progress Trust Fund of the Inter-American Development Bank (P.L. 86–735); Dirksen amendment barring assistance to Communist Yugoslavia unless President determines that Government has made an acceptable arrangement for payment of certain claims against it by U.S. citizens; Miller amendment to set dollar limitation of $5 million on payments to FAO; Miller amendment of a technical nature to the language barring assistance for projects establishing or assisting foreign government-owned enterprises; and by 79 yeas to 1 nay, Cooper amendment providing for appointment by President of a committee to review, evaluate, and make recommendations respecting foreign aid programs; and

Rejected: By 11 yeas to 78 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Morse amendment barring aid to government of any Latin American country that has come to power through overthrow of a freely elected government unless the President reports to Congress that to bar such aid would be contrary to the national interest and unless Congress does not adopt concurrent resolution within 30 days thereafter disapproving continuance of such aid; by 29 yeas to 56 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Morse amendment barring any aid subsequent to June 30, 1965, unless certain stated conditions for future aid are made; by 15 yeas to 68 nays, modified Morse amendment (in nature of a substitute) to substitute the language of the House-passed bill, with certain deletions and additions (motion to reconsider tabled); and by 40 yeas to 46 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Mansfield motion to table Mundt amendment described in the paragraph below.

Pending at recess was Mundt amendment (yeas and nays ordered) to his amendment barring Export-Import Bank or any other Government agency from guaranteeing payment of any obligation of any Communist country, agency, or national or extending credit to any such country, agency, or national in connection with its purchase of grain or any product thereof. The Mundt amendment to his above-described amendment would strike out the words "of grain" and "thereof" so that the bar would apply to any product.

Pages 21838–21844, 21849–21898

FAO: On behalf of the Vice President, Chair appointed Senator Miller to serve as an observer at the Food and Agriculture Organization annual conference for the U.N., to be held in Rome, November 16–December 5.

Pages 21898–21899

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nominations of 166 postmasters; and 71 in the Coast Guard.

Pages 21918–21919

Nominations: Two judicial nominations were received.

Page 21918

Recess: Recessed at 10:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 719 nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee heard testimony from William P. Bundy in behalf of his own nomination to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: The committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Robert B. Delano, Virginia Farm Bureau; William Jackman, Investors League, Inc.; Robert H. Tucker, Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing Co.; Howard J. Tracy, Salt Lake City, Utah; Walter A. Slowinski, of the firm of Baker, McKenzie & Hightower; and Charles H. Taylor, Virginia Manufacturers' Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COLOMBIAN DRUG COMPANIES

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee met in executive session to discuss the matter of the disposition of subpenas on seven Colombian drug companies.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on the overall manpower problem, receiving testimony from Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation, and John D. Young, Director of Administration, NASA, who were accompanied by their associates; and John C. Estey, Jr., head master, the Taft School, Watertown, Conn.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee met in executive session and approved Lennox P. McLendon, of North Carolina, as general counsel of the committee for purposes of its investigation of financial and business activities of Senate employees or former Senate employees, pursuant to S. Res. 212; approved Burkett Van Kirk, who was nominated by the minority, as associate counsel, for such purposes; and adopted its rules of procedure to govern such investigation. Committee also heard further testimony from Senator Williams of Delaware in connection with this matter.

Committee approved S. Res. 225, authorizing additional expenditures of $10,000 by the Committee on Appropriations; and S. Res. 219, to print as a Senate document a document entitled "United States Astronauts."

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Special Committee on Aging: Committee met in executive session to receive reports from its subcommittee chairmen and to discuss plans for future activities.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 9120–9134, and 9139; 4 private bills, H.R. 9135–9138; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 802 and 803, H. Con. Res. 237, and H. Res. 566, were introduced. **Pages 21825–21826**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3846, regarding establishment of land and water conservation fund, amended (H. Rept. 900); and

H.R. 9139, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 901). **Page 21825**

Public Works Appropriations: The Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to file a report by midnight Friday on the public works appropriation bill for fiscal year 1964. **Page 21788**

Agriculture Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 6754, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies for fiscal year 1964; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Whitten, Natcher, Cannon, Horan and Michel. **Page 21788**

Coffee Agreement: By a record vote of 181 yeas to 145 nays the House passed H.R. 8864, to carry out the obligations of the United States under the International Coffee Agreement of 1962, signed at New York on September 28, 1962. A motion to recommit the bill had been rejected previously by a voice vote.

Adopted an amendment to require data on coffee prices be included in Presidential reports to Congress as well as data on importation, distribution, and consumption of coffee.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Limit any rise in coffee prices to 5 cents per pound above the 1962 prices; and

Bar appropriations for this act until the President certifies that the coffee agreement will not result in increased coffee prices to U.S. consumers.

H. Res. 559, the open rule providing for the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 21790–21811**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of November 20. **Page 21811**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC POISONS—GUAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight and Consumer Relations in executive session ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6828 (amended), to provide for the use of registration numbers in labeling economic poisons (insecticides, fungicides, and rodenticides).

Prior to executive action held an open hearing on H.R. 3869, to provide Federal agricultural services to Guam, and heard testimony from Representative Matsunaga; Speaker of the Guam Legislature; and departmental witnesses.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 9139, the military construction appropriation bill.

AIR FORCE CONTRACT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee for Special Investigations resumed hearings on Air Force procurement practices regarding a contract with TYCO Laboratories, Inc., Waltham, Mass. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

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Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8130 (a clean bill to be introduced), to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Junior and Senior Reserve Officers' Training Corps program.

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to continue review of Army research and development programs.

ST. ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the Investigation of the Administration and Operation of St. Elizabeths Hospital heard testimony from Dr. Sanford Billet, Chief, Bureau of Mental Health, D.C. Department of Public Health; and a public witness.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee reports on military construction projects.

WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation in executive session considered S. 2, to establish water resources research centers at land-grant colleges and State universities and to stimulate water research at other colleges, universities, and centers of competence, and to promote a more adequate program of water research. No announcements were made.

AIRPORT CONSTRUCTION ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1153, to extend the Federal Airport Act for 3 years.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4732, to change the name of the U.S. Olympic Association to the U.S. Olympic Committee.

Prior to the executive session held an open hearing on H.J. Res. 658 and 760, to request the President of the U.S. to issue a proclamation designating 1964 as See America Year; H.R. 8590, to provide for the incorporation of the National Aviation Hall of Fame; and H.R. 4732 (title above). Heard testimony from Representatives Lindsay, Ullman (H.J. Res. 658 and 760), and Schenck (H.R. 8590); Merlyn N. Trued, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Treasury (H.J. Res. 658 and 760); and public witnesses (all measures).

A statement was presented for the record on behalf of Representative Macdonald (H.R. 4732).

FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization continued hearings on equal opportunity policies and practices in the Federal departments and agencies, and heard testimony from Richard J. Murphy, Assistant Postmaster General.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Small Business and Government Procurement continued review of Government small business procurement practices and programs. Heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the U.S. balance of payments, receiving testimony from Milton Friedman, professor of economics, University of Chicago; Ervin Hexner, professor of economics, Pennsylvania State University; and Henry C. Wallich, professor of economics, Yale University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Friday, November 15, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed foreign aid bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21927–21929

Bills Introduced: 5 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2308–2312. **Page 21928**

Bill Referred: H.R. 8664, to carry out the obligations of the United States under the International Coffee Agreement of 1962, was referred to Committee on Finance when it was received from the House. **Page 21927**

Committee Expenditures: Senate adopted S. Res. 225, authorizing additional expenditures of $10,000 by the Committee on Appropriations. **Page 21932**

Printing: S. Res. 219, to print as a Senate document a document entitled "United States Astronauts," was adopted by the Senate. **Page 21932**

Foreign Aid: By 63 yeas to 17 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendment H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, after adopting committee amendment, as amended (in nature of a substitute therefor). Prior to these actions, the order for the yeas and nays were vacated on the Mundt amendment to his amendment barring Export-Import Bank or any other Government agency from guaranteeing payment of any obligation of any Communist country, agency, or national or extending credit to any such country, agency, or national in connection with its purchase of grain or any product thereof, and Senator Mundt withdrew the amendments. The Mundt amendment to the above-described amendment would have stricken out the words "of grain" and "thereof" so that the bar would apply to any product. Senator Mundt then introduced a bill incorporating the provisions of his amendment to this amendment (S. 2310), and the bill was referred to Committee on Banking and Currency, which, by unanimous consent, was instructed to report the bill to the Senate by November 25.

Senate rejected Young (Ohio) amendment to bar all military aid to Spain.

Senate insisted on its amendment, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Fulbright, Sparkman, Humphrey, Hickenlooper, and Aiken.
Pages 21929–21930, 21934–21938, 21943–21981

Government Employees' Health: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 1561, to make clarifying amendments to the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act.
Pages 21984–21986

D.C. Appropriations: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia.
Page 21986

Authority To Meet: Committee on Banking and Currency was authorized to hold hearings during sessions of Senate next week on S. 2310, to bar Export-Import Bank or any other Government agency from guaranteeing payment of any obligation of any Communist country, agency, or national in connection with its purchase of any product.
Page 21981

Confirmations: Numerous Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force nominations were confirmed.
Pages 22013–22014

Recess: Recessed at 5:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Senator Sparkman; Joseph C. Swidler, Chairman, Federal Power Commission; George G. Grover, Public Utilities Commission, State of California; Asel Colbert, Public Service Commission of Wisconsin; James C. Bonbright, professor emeritus of finance, Columbia University; and William H. Harrar, 42nd Street Association, New York City. Hearings continue on Thursday, November 21.

Also, committee held an executive session, following which Chairman Byrd announced that, by a vote of 1 yea to 11 nays, the committee rejected a motion by Senator Hart to terminate the current tax hearings today.

INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on H.R. 7406, increasing U.S. participation in the Inter-American Development Bank; and S. 2214, authorizing the U.S. to participate in an increase in resources of the International Development Association, receiving testimony from C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury; N. R. Danielian, president, International Economic Policy Association; and Dr. Elgin Groseclose, Citizens Foreign Aid Committee.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: The Employment and Manpower Subcommittee held hearings on S.J. Res. 105, authorizing the appointment of a Presidential Commission on Automation, with testimony from Lawrence Williams, professor, State University School of Industrial and Labor Relations, Cornell University; James M. McNulty, Wharton School of Finance and Commerce, University of Pennsylvania; Neil Chamberlain, professor, Yale University; J. J. Jehring, school of commerce, University of Wisconsin; and John Diebold, the Diebold Group, Inc., New York City, the latter three of whom sat as a panel of witnesses.

Hearings continue on Monday, November 18.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 221, educational assistance to children of veterans disabled from wartime service-connected disabilities; and without amendment S. 385, extending maximum maturity of certain VA guaranteed or insured home loans to 35 years; S. 1046, liberalizing eligibility requirements for medical care of war veterans awarded the Medal of Honor; S. 2064, relieving the VA from paying interest on funds transferred from the direct loan revolving fund to the loan guaranty revolving fund; and H.R. 5691, to empower the VA Administrator to delegate to the Chief Medical Director authority to act upon the recommendations of disciplinary boards.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, November 18, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

PUBLIC WORKS APPROPRIATION

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 9140, the public works appropriation bill for 1964.

SHORTER WORKWEEK

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings regarding a shorter workweek, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3396 (amended), to authorize the addition of lands to Morristown National Historical Park in the State of New Jersey; and H.R. 4010 (amended), to provide an adequate basis for administration of the Lake Mead National Recreational Area, Ariz. and Nev.

Joint Committee Meetings

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded its current series of hearings on the U.S. balance of payments, after receiving testimony from Roy Blough, professor of economics, Columbia University; Robert A. Mundell, professor of economics, McGill University; and James Tobin, Sterling professor of economics, Yale University.

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Monday, November 18, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate took up independent offices appropriations after passing D.C. appropriations.

House passed the military construction appropriation bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22058–22063

Bills Introduced: One bill and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2313 and S.J. Res. 133. **Page 22061**

Federal Register: Senator Mansfield withdrew motion he had entered on April 26 for reconsideration of passage of H.R. 2837, to maintain in a more up-to-date fashion the Code of Federal Regulations. **Page 22063**

D.C. Appropriations: Senate passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc, which were thereafter considered as original text for purpose of amendment; and Humphrey amendment to increase by $4,960 funds to cover salary of a Director for Library Services, D.C. schools (motion to reconsider tabled); and

Rejected: By 35 yeas to 42 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Ribicoff amendment to increase by $306,667 funds for health and welfare.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Byrd (West Virginia), Hayden, Bartlett, Bible, Case, Cotton, and Saltonstall.

Pages 22063, 22066–22209, 22220–22221, 22227–22229

Independent Offices Appropriations: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices. **Page 22229**

Recess: Recessed at 6:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee began, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the foreign aid program, with testimony on funds for the Export-Import Bank of Washington from Harold L. Linder, its President and Chairman of the Board; and on funds for investment in the Inter-American Development Bank and subscription to the International Development Association from John C. Bullitt, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. Messrs. Linder and Bullitt were accompanied and assisted by officials of the aforementioned banks and association.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony on funds for the Ryukyu Islands.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for military construction, with testimony in behalf of funds for Army construction from Maj. Gen. William R. Shuler, Director of Installations, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on H.R. 8969, providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964, having as its witness C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from Budget Director Kermit Gordon.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Dr. Herbert Scoville, Jr., of Connecticut, to be Assistant Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and Benson E. L. Timmons III, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Haiti.

Prior to this action, in open session, Dr. Scoville and Mr. Timmons appeared to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., Fort Worth, with testimony in open and executive sessions from Roswell L. Gilpatric, Deputy Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Secretary Gilpatric.

AUBURN-FOLSOM SOUTH UNIT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee held hearings on S. 351, authorizing construction of the Auburn-Folsom south unit as an integral part of California's Central Valley project, with testimony from Representative Johnson, who testified on behalf of himself and other members of the California delegation; Ralph M. Brody, chairman, California Water Commission; Irvine Sprague, who presented the statement of Gov. Edmund G. Brown; and numerous public witnesses from California.

Written statements were submitted for Senators Engle and Kuchel.

Hearings continue tomorrow when testimony will be heard from officials of the Department of the Interior.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings on S.J. Res. 105, authorizing the appointment of a Presidential Commission on Automation, receiving testimony thereon from I. C. Glendenning, Federation of Telephone Workers of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; and Vaux Owen, president, National Federation of Federal Employees.

Testimony on the subject of civilian applications of defense technology was received from H. M. Horner, chairman of the board, United Aircraft Corp.; L. A. Hyland, vice president and general manager, Hughes Aircraft Co.; and Ward Dennis, vice president for development and planning, Northrop Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Seven public bills, H.R. 9140–9146; six private bills, H.R. 9147–9152; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 804, and H. Res. 567 and 568, were introduced. Pages 22015, 22057

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 9140, public works appropriation bill for fiscal year 1964, filed on November 15 (H. Rept. 902);

H.R. 8527, providing for the distribution of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians, Idaho, amended (H. Rept. 903);

H.R. 988, authorizing acquisition of Graff House site for inclusion in Independence National Historical Park, amended (H. Rept. 904);

H.R. 5345, changing the name of the Andrew Johnson National Monument and adding certain historic property thereto, amended (H. Rept. 905); and

H.R. 7458, revising the boundaries of the Carlsbad Caverns National Park in the State of New Mexico (H. Rept. 906). Pages 22056–22057

Speaker Pro Tempore: Adopted H. Res. 567, electing Representative Albert Speaker pro tempore during the absence of the Speaker. The oath of office was administered by Representative Vinson. Page 22015

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Indians: S. 912 (in lieu of H.R. 7123), to approve an agreement entered into by the Navajo Tribe of Indians relating to oil and gas leases.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

South Pacific Commission: H.J. Res. 779, relating to membership and participation by the U.S. in the South

Pacific Commission, so as to authorize certain appropriations thereunder for the fiscal years 1964 and 1965; and

National Guard: H.R. 2512, to clarify the status of members of the National Guard while attending or instructing at National Guard schools established under the authority of the Secretary of the Army or Air Force.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Alien Reserve service: H.R. 3005, to remove the requirement that an alien must make a declaration of intention to become a citizen of the U.S. before he may be enlisted or appointed in a Reserve component; and

Agriculture Department: H.R. 7155, to facilitate the work of the Department of Agriculture.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S.J. Res. 17, S. 254, 1828, H.R. 4018, and 5838. **Pages 22021–22023**

Suspension Passages: Considered and passed, under suspension of the rules, the following bills:

Armed Forces sports activities: H.R. 2988, to provide for participation by members of the Armed Forces in international sports activities (amended and passed by a record vote of 285 yeas to 30 nays). **Pages 22023–22028**

Texas recreational facilities: H.R. 8135, to provide for the establishment and administration of public recreational facilities at the Sanford Reservoir area, Canadian River project, Texas (amended and passed by a record vote of 283 yeas to 30 nays). **Pages 22028–22030**

Indian vocational training: S. 1868, amending the Adult Indian Vocational Training Act (passed with an amendment by a voice vote and returned to the Senate). **Pages 22030–22033**

Military Construction Appropriations: By a record vote of 332 yeas to 5 nays the House passed without amendment H.R. 9139, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964.

The bill provides appropriations totaling $1,562,964,000, which amount is $403,436,000 below the budget estimates and $243,849,500 above the 1963 appropriation. **Pages 22033–22044**

Foreign Aid: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 7885, the foreign aid authorization bill for fiscal year 1964; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Morgan, Zablocki, Hays, Adair, and Frelinghuysen. **Page 22044**

Bill Referred: S. 1561, to make clarifying amendments to the Federal Employees Health Benefits Act, was referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. **Pages 22056**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. HOME RULE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 held a hearing on H.R. 5794, and related bills, regarding home rule for the District of Columbia. Testimony was given by Representatives Schwengel, Cohelan, Kyl, Auchincloss, Udall, Reuss, and Ryan of New York. Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 19.

U.S.-OWNED CURRENCY—INDIA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information held a hearing on Government policies involving the use of U.S.-owned local currencies in India. Heard testimony from John C. Bullitt, Assistant Secretary; Merlyn Trued, Deputy Assistant Secretary; and G. D'Andelot Belin, General Counsel, all of the Treasury Department; and Kenneth R. Hansen, Assistant Director; Carl W. Tiller, Chief, Office of Budget Review; and Irving J. Lewis, Deputy Division Chief, International Division, all of the Bureau of the Budget.

LAND LAW REVIEW COMMISSION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8070 (amended), for the establishment of a Public Land Law Review Commission to study the existing laws and procedures relating to the administration of the public lands of the United States.

BROADCAST COMMERCIALS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8316 (amended), to provide that the Federal Communications Commission may not prescribe standards with respect to length or frequency of broadcast advertisements.

CUBAN TRAVEL

Committee on Un-American Activities: Resumed hearings regarding U.S. citizens who travel to Cuba without validated passports; and the dissemination of pro-Castro propaganda in the United States. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

MEDICAL CARE—AGED

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing regarding medical care for the aged. Heard testimony from Anthony J. Celebrezze, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 19.

GOVERNMENT RESEARCH

Select Committee on Government Research: Began hearings on current Government research programs, and heard testimony from Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission; James E. Webb, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Dr. Frederick Seitz, President, National Academy of Sciences; Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 19.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4, in executive session, heard testimony from William H. Orrick, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice, regarding dual distribution in small business (the television repair industry).

Prior to the executive meeting the subcommittee held an open hearing with testimony from a public witness on this subject.

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Tuesday, November 19, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate reached agreement to limit debate on independent offices appropriations and passed air pollution bill.

House passed public works appropriations bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22291–22315

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2314–2320. **Page 22292**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S.J. Res. 103, increasing the amount authorized for the work of the President's Committee on Employment of the Physically Handicapped (S. Rept. 645). **Page 22291**

Bills Referred: Six House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 22291**

Air Pollution: Senate passed H.R. 6518, to accelerate and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program, as amended by substitution of amended language of S. 432, companion bill, which had first been amended by adoption of committee amendments and by adoption of three floor amendments as follows: Neuberger amendment to make available to Government all scientific data resulting from Government expenditures; and two Javits amendments (1) respecting consultation with governments of States affected; and (2) to require assistance in judicial proceedings when Governor of a State affected so requests. Motion to reconsider passage was tabled, and S. 432 was indefinitely postponed.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Muskie, Randolph, Moss, Metcalf, Boggs, and Pearson. **Pages 22315–22334**

Public Works: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) S.J. Res. 129, to increase the amount available to the HHFA for advances for planned public works, with a modified Dominick amendment requiring communities to pay interest on planning advances with a percentage penalty for delinquent repayments. **Pages 22334–22338**

Bill Vetoed: S. 1201, private bill, was returned by President without his approval—referred to Committee on the Judiciary. **Page 22400**

Authority To Meet: Committee on Finance was authorized to meet on Wednesday, November 20, while Senate is in session. **Page 22384**

Independent Offices Appropriations: Senate considered H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, adopting all committee amendments en bloc (which were then considered as original text for purpose of amendment) and Magnuson amendment to include among authorized expenses for NASA the purchase of experimental aircraft.

Unanimous-consent agreement was entered into providing that effective at noon Wednesday, November 20, further debate will be limited as follows: 3 hours on the pending Fulbright amendment described below, which will be taken up at 2 p.m., with 2 hours allocated to the proponents, and 1 hour to the opponents thereof; 1 hour on each other amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), equally divided; and 3 hours on question of passage of bill, equally divided; and no nongermane amendment may be accepted.

Pending at recess was Fulbright amendment to make the following reductions in reported funds for NASA: $400.6 million, research and development; $69 million, construction of facilities; and $50 million, administrative operations. Pages 22338, 22356–22384

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nominations of Dr. Herbert Scoville, Jr., of Connecticut, to be an Assistant Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and Benson E. L. Timmons III, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Haiti. Page 22404

Recess: Recessed at 7:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the foreign aid program, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the administration of the Ryukyu Islands from Stephen Ailes, Under Secretary, and Lt. Gen. H. G. Johnson, Deputy Chief of Staff for Military Operations, both of the Army.

Hearings continue on Thursday, November 21.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for military construction, with further testimony in behalf of funds for Army construction from Maj. Gen. William R. Shuler, Director of Installations, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—AEC AND TVA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held executive hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Atomic Energy Commission, with testimony from Chairman Glenn T. Seaborg and other AEC officials.

Subcommittee held open hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the Tennessee Valley Authority, with testimony from Chairman Aubrey J. Wagner and other TVA officials.

INTERNATIONAL AIR RATES

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, agreed to a substitute amendment to be offered as a committee amendment to S. 1540, relating to the establishment and enforcement of reasonable international air rates, which bill is now pending on the Senate calendar.

Also, committee considered, but took no action on, the nomination of John R. Reilly, of Iowa, to be a member of the Federal Trade Commission.

PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Finance: Committee concluded its hearings on H.R. 8969, providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964, after receiving testimony from Kermit Gordon, Director, Bureau of the Budget.

Committee will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to consider this bill.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 2136, to strengthen the Foreign Agents Registration Act, having as its witnesses Nicholas deB. Katzenbach, Deputy Attorney General; and Donald M. Wilson, Deputy Director, U.S. Information Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Roswell L. Gilpatric, Deputy Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUBURN-FOLSOM SOUTH UNIT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Irrigation and Reclamation Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 351, authorizing construction of the Auburn-Folsom south unit as an integral part of the Central Valley project, California, after receiving testimony from Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary for Water and Power, and Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner of Reclamation, who was accompanied by Robert J. Pafford, Jr., Regional Director, and J. Karl Lee, Division of Project Development, all of the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on the overall manpower problem, receiving testimony from John Stack, vice president, Republic Aviation; and E. V. Huggins, vice chairman, Defense Industry Advisory Council. The subject under discussion today was "Civilian Applications of Defense Technology."

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PAGE RESIDENCE

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held hearings on S. 1847, to provide a residence for congressional and Supreme Court pages, receiving testimony from Senators Yarborough and Johnston, the latter of whom submitted a statement; Representative Bennett of Florida; Robert T. Daly, Public Buildings Service, GSA; John F. Davis, Clerk, U.S. Supreme Court; Dorothy J. Davis, of Arlington, Va.; John H. Pratt, an attorney, and a former page; James Bunting, secretary, YMCA; and William S. Cheatham, Assistant Sergeant at Arms of the U.S. Senate.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 9153–9167; 5 private bills, H.R. 9168–9172; and 1 resolution, H.J. Res. 805, were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3071, establishing Fort Larned as a national historic site, amended (H. Rept. 907);

H.R. 8462, regarding transfer of land for public airport at Grand Prairie, Tex. (H. Rept. 908);

H.R. 6199, regarding Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission (H. Rept. 909); and

S. Con. Res. 19, designating "Bourbon whisky" as a distinctive product of the United States (H. Rept. 910).

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Subcommittee To Sit: The Subcommittee on Housing of the Committee on Banking and Currency was authorized to sit during general debate of the sessions of the House on November 19, 20, and 21.

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Private Calendar: On the call of the Private Calendar the following bills were passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2300, 2706, 2728, 5145, and 6182.

H.R. 1277, pursuant to unanimous-consent request, was recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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Public Works Appropriations: By a record vote of 358 yeas to 27 nays the House passed without amendment H.R. 9140, the public works appropriation bill for fiscal year 1964.

The bill provides funds totaling $4,276,116,400, which amount is $285,630,600 below the budget estimates, and $1,258,586,210 less than the 1963 appropriation.

Pages 22257–22278

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 189 (amended), to authorize the conveyance of certain land to Kern County, Calif.;

H.R. 393 (amended), to retrocede to Massachusetts jurisdiction over certain land in the vicinity of Fort Devens, Mass.;

H.R. 7248 (amended), to allow certain real property conveyed by the Air Force to the city of Fort Walton Beach, Fla., to be used for educational as well as recreational purposes;

H.R. 7499, to authorize the conveyance of certain land without consideration to the city of Oroville, Calif.; and

H.R. 9124, to amend title 10, U.S. Code, to vitalize the Reserve Officers' Training Corps programs of the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

Considered H.R. 7079, to authorize the extension of certain naval vessel loans in existence and to authorize the loan of a naval vessel to a friendly foreign country. No final action was taken.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing held a hearing regarding urban renewal, and heard testimony from various public witnesses. Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 20.

D.C. HOME RULE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 continued hearings on H.R. 5794, and related bills, regarding home rule for the District of Columbia. Testimony was given by Walter N. Tobriner, D.C. Commissioner; and public witnesses. Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 20.

COAL MINE SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 9000 (a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 8913), to amend the Federal Coal Mine Safety Act so as to provide further for the prevention of accidents in coal mines.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for a briefing by J. Wayne Fredericks, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs.

U.S.-OWNED CURRENCY—INDIA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information continued hearings on Government policies involving the use of U.S.-owned currencies in India. Heard testimony from David E. Bell, Director, Agency for International Development; William S. Gaud, Regional Director for Near East and South Asia, AID; and Edward F. Tennant, Controller of AID.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5302 (amended), to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain lands in the Newton area, California, to Clarence J. Wilder.

Prior to taking action on the measure held a hearing on H.R. 5302 (title above); H.R. 6587, to convey certain lands in Boulder County, Colo., to W. F. Stover; and H.R. 5514, to sell certain public lands in the State of Arizona. Testimony was given by Representatives Johnson of California (H.R. 5302); Rogers of Colorado (H.R. 6587); and Senner (H.R. 5514); and departmental officials (all measures).

S[illegible]RITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 6789 and S. 1642, the Securities and Exchange Commission omnibus bill. Heard testimony from William L. Cary, Chairman, SEC.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 20.

COAST GUARD

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation met to receive information on Coast Guard activities, at which time a motion picture was shown. Heard testimony from James A. Reed, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; and representatives of the Coast Guard.

OBNOXIOUS MAIL MATTER

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee met in executive session on H.R. 142 and 319, to protect postal patrons from obscene mail matter and Communist propaganda through the mails. No final action was taken.

FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower Utilization continued hearings on equal employment policies and practices in the Federal departments and agencies and heard testimony from Richard J. Murphy, Assistant Postmaster General.

SCIENCE RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development met to continue discussion of Government-science relationships, and heard testimony from a public witness.

MEDICAL CARE—AGED

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings regarding medical care for the aged, and heard testimony from W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; Senator Mundt; Representatives Burton and Farbstein; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 20.

GOVERNMENT RESEARCH

Select Committee on Government Research: Continued hearings on current Government research programs. Testimony was given by W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; Najeeb E. Halaby, Administrator, Federal Aviation Agency; John C. Calhoun, Assistant and Science Adviser to the Secretary of the Interior; Harold Brown, Director, Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense; and departmental officials. Hearings continue Wednesday, November 20.

Joint Committee Meetings

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed its hearings on the effects of ocean freight rates on the U.S. balance of payments, having as its witnesses Wilfred J. McNeil, president, Grace Lines, Inc.; F. A. Nemec and Solon B. Turman, both of Lykes Bros. Steamship Co.; and J. R. Dant, president, States Steamship Co.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Wednesday, November 20, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed independent offices appropriations bill.
House passed bill on arms control and disarmament.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22476–22503

Bills Introduced: 5 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2321–2325; and S.J. Res. 134.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 8969, providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964 (S. Rept. 646); and

S. 2267, authorizing supplemental appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission (S. Rept. 647).

Pages 22476–22477

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 22416

Independent Offices Appropriations: By 72 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, after taking the following additional actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 40 yeas to 39 nays, Proxmire amendment to make the following reductions in reported funds for NASA: $80 million, research and development; and $10 million, construction of facilities (motion to table a motion to reconsider this action was adopted by 41 yeas to 38 nays); Anderson amendment limiting use of any research and development funds, NASA, for construction of any major facility to a ceiling of $250,000; and

Rejected: Proxmire amendment to retain at $3 million rather than to increase to $5 million the subsidy to FAA for helicopter services in New York City, Chicago, and Los Angeles; by 6 yeas to 72 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment to strike out item of $60 million for civil supersonic aircraft development; by 36 yeas to 46 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Fulbright amendment to make the following reductions in reported funds for NASA: $400.6 million, research and development; $69 million, construction of facilities; and $50 million, administrative operations; on division vote, Sparkman amendment providing $12 million instead of $2 million for public works planning fund, HHFA (after point of order against was overruled); by 20 yeas to 57 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Clark amendment to increase by $50 million funds for salaries and expenses, National Science Foundation; by 28 yeas to 48 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Young (Ohio) amendment to reduce by $46.9 million funds for research, shelter survey, and marking, Civil Defense, Department of Defense; and Proxmire amendment to make reductions of $20 million funds for operation of FAA, of $10 million for liquidation of contract authorizations, grants-in-aid aid for airports, of $163,000 for operation and maintenance of Washington National Airport, and of $235,000 for Dulles International Airport.

Chair sustained point of order against Sparkman amendment to provide $12 million instead of $2 million for public works planning fund, HHFA, with proviso that $10 million thereof shall be effective only upon enactment of H.J. Res. 785 or S.J. Res. 129 (bills respecting advances for planned public works).

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Magnuson, Hill, Ellender, Robertson, Russell, Anderson, Allott, Saltonstall, and Young of North Dakota. Pages 22417, 22418, 22422–22476

Public Debt Limit: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 8969, providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964. Pages 22498–22499

Handicapped: S.J. Res. 103, increasing the amount authorized for the work of the President's Committee on Employment of the Physically Handicapped, was passed without amendment. Page 22499

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Production and Stabilization of the Banking and Currency Committee was authorized to meet in Boston on Friday and Saturday, November 22 and 23. Page 22499

Nominations: Senate received two Air Force nominations in the rank of general, and three Army nominations in the rank of general. Page 22504

Recess: Recessed at 8:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for military construction, receiving further testimony in behalf of funds for Army construction from Maj. Gen. William R. Shuler, Director of Installations, Army, and from Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Deputy Chief, National Guard Bureau, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony from Secretary of Defense McNamara, and others.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 9140, fiscal 1964 appropriations for public works, with testimony on funds for unbudgeted items and increases in the budget from Maj. Gen. Jackson Graham, Director of Civil Works, Corps of Army Engineers; and on funds for the accelerated public works program from William L. Batt, Jr., Administrator, Area Redevelopment Administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TRADE WITH COMMUNIST COUNTRIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee began hearings on S. 2310, prohibiting any guarantee by the Export-Import Bank or any other Government agency of payment of obligations of Communist countries, receiving testimony from Senator Mundt; Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon; Dr. G. Warren Nutter, professor and chairman of economics, University of Virginia; and Gerald Steibel, Research Institute of America, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1024, authorizing D.C. Commissioners to pay relocation costs made necessary by actions of the D.C. government (amended); S. 1533, transferring functions relating to mass transportation from the D.C. Public Utilities Commission to the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission; S. 1964, increasing from $2 to $5 the fee for learners' permits in the D.C.; S. 2054, eliminating maintenance by the D.C. of perpetual accounts for unclaimed moneys held in trust by the D.C. government; H.R. 5338, to enact the Uniform Commercial Code for the D.C. (amended); H.R. 7497, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act relating to annual statements; H.R. 3191, exempting life insurance companies of the D.C. from the regulation of loans on securities; H.R. 4276, to provide for the creation of horizontal property regimes in the D.C. (amended); H.R. 3190, allowing property in the D.C. to be bequeathed or devised to trustee under or in accordance with terms of an existing trust; and S. 1406, authorizing establishment of a Junior College Division within the D.C. Teachers College.

Prior to this action, Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs approved for full committee consideration S. 1024, 1533, 1964, and 2054.

PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT, AND TARIFF COMMISSION STUDY

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 8969, providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964.

Also, committee approved a committee resolution calling for the Tariff Commission to investigate conditions of competition in the U.S. between beef and beef products produced in the U.S. and in foreign countries, and to report its findings to the committee not later than June 30, 1964.

Committee will meet again tomorrow, when it will resume its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on S. 2136, to strengthen the Foreign Agents Registration Act, receiving testimony from Abram Chayes, Legal Adviser, Department of State; Arthur H. Dean, an attorney of New York City, and former U.S. representative to the 17-nation disarmament conference; and Julius Klein, of Julius Klein Public Relations, Inc., Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TFX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Government Operations: The Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings on procurement practices of the Air Force and Navy, and the awarding of the TFX-type aircraft contract to the General Dynamics Corp., Fort Worth, receiving further testimony from Roswell L. Gilpatric, Deputy Secretary of Defense.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee consideration S. 1169, authorizing per capita distribution of $350 from funds arising from judgments in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation; S. 1757, ratifying certain conveyances of land on the Crow Indian Reservation; S. 1931, providing that the U.S. shall hold certain land in trust for members of the Alamo Band of Puertocito Navajo Indians; S. 536, donating certain public land to the Devils Lake Sioux Tribe of the Fort Totten Indian Reservation, N. Dak. (amended); S. 2279, authorizing transfer of the Piegan unit of the Blackfeet Indian irrigation project, Montana, to the landowners within the unit; and S. 711, authorizing sale and exchange of certain land on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak. (amended).

Prior to approval of these measures, testimony thereon was received from Graham E. Holmes, Assistant Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior. Testimony on S. 1757 was received from Senator Metcalf.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings, receiving testimony from Senator Hart; Charles J. Hitch, Assistant Secretary of Defense; and Leonard Woodcock, vice president, UAW, AFL-CIO. The subject of civilian applications of defense technology was discussed again today.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS—NURSING HOME CARE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs held hearings on H.R. 8009, to authorize the VA to furnish additional beds for nursing home care for eligible veterans, having as its witnesses Clarence H. Olson, John J. Corcoran, Robert N. McCurdy, C. C. Horton, and Dr. Irving Brick, all of the American Legion.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 9173–9198; 11 private bills, H.R. 9199–9209; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 806 and 807, and H. Res. 569 and 570, were introduced. **Page 22551**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8971, supplemental authorization of appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 911);

H. Res. 569, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on S. 254, to provide for acquisition of certain property in square 758 in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 912);

H. Res. 570, open rule providing for consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 3742, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 relating to transfer of producer rice acreage allotments (H. Rept. 913); and

H.R. 7152, proposed "Civil Rights Act of 1963" (H. Rept. 914). **Pages 22550–22551**

Committee To Sit: The Select Committee on Government Research was authorized to sit today and the balance of the week during general debate of the House sessions. **Page 22504**

Continuing Appropriations: Agreed to make in order on Monday next the consideration of a resolution continuing certain appropriations through December. **Page 22505**

Arms Control and Disarmament: By a record vote of 251 yeas to 134 nays the House passed and returned to the Senate S. 777, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act in order to increase the authorization for appropriations and to modify the personnel security procedures for contractor employees. A recommittal motion had been rejected earlier by a voice vote.

Adopted several committee amendments in addition to one relating to ban on lobbying activities of Agency in behalf of or against any pending legislation.

Rejected a committee amendment to increase the Agency's authorization for 2 years from $20 million to $30 million.

Also rejected amendments that sought to—

Fix an annual authorization at $7,500,000;

Remove all disarmament features;

Require all research be done by contract;

Limit activities of Director to advisory; and

Separate the Agency from the State Department.

H. Res. 558, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 22506–22538**

Resolution Referred: S.J. Res. 129, to increase the amount available to the Housing and Home Finance Agency for advances for planned public works, was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency. **Page 22550**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NAVAL VESSEL LOANS

Committee on Armed Services: Considered H.R. 7079, to authorize the extension of certain naval vessel loans now in existence and authorize the loan of a naval vessel to a friendly foreign nation in Latin America; and H.R. 7080, to authorize the loan of naval vessels to NATO and European area, southern Asia, and Far Eastern area. Heard testimony from Navy Department officials. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on urban renewal, and heard testimony from General Accounting Office officials; and public witnesses.

D.C. HOME RULE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 continued hearings on H.R. 5794, and related bills, regarding home rule for the District of Columbia. Testimony was given by Robert F. Kennedy, U.S. Attorney General; and Elmer B. Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget.

SHORTER WORKWEEK

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings regarding a shorter workweek, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Thursday, November 21.

FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 5958 and 6075, to extend the coverage of the Fair Labor Standards Act to hotels, motels, and restaurants, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Thursday, November 21.

ST. ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the Investigation of the Administration and Operation of St. Elizabeths Hospital heard testimony from Representative Powell; Dr. Murray Grant, D.C. Director of Public Health; and John B. Layton, Deputy Chief of Detectives, Metropolitan Police Department. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

NEAR EAST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Near East met in executive session for a briefing with Phillips Talbot, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs.

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and approved the following reports, entitled:

"Military Construction Projects (Marine Corps Air Station, Beaufort, S.C., Airstrip at Fort Carson, Colo., Airfield at Sharpe General Depot, Lathrop, Calif.)";

"Avoiding Conflicts of Interest in Defense Contracting and Employment";

"Consumer Protection Activities of State Governments—Part II—The Regulation of Foods and Related Products";

"Availability of Information From Federal Departments and Agencies (Progress of Study, September 1961–December 1962)";

"Window Dressing in Bank Reports"; and

"Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation—Assumption of Employee Benefit Costs and Change in Audit Date."

U.S.-OWNED CURRENCY—INDIA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information concluded hearings on Government policies involving the use of U.S.-owned local currencies in India. Heard testimony from Phillips Talbot, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; Philip Trezise, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; and Verne Lewis, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Budget and Finance.

ADMINISTRATION MISCELLANY

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H. Res. 547 (amended), to provide additional funds for the Committee on Banking and Currency to conduct the investigations and studies authorized by H. Res. 179;

H. Res. 566 (amended), to provide for the further expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 56;

H.R. 8465, to amend the act providing for microfilming of papers of Presidents in the collections of the Library of Congress by authorizing such amounts as may be necessary to carry out the provisions thereunder;

H.R. 9036, relating to the policing of the buildings and grounds of the Smithsonian Institution and its constituent bureaus;

H.R. 8751 (amended), to provide that certain proceedings of the AMVETS shall be printed as a House document;

H. Con. Res. 230, authorizing the printing of 5,000 copies of the study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable Trusts; Their Impact on Our Economy—Second Installment";

H. Con. Res. 231, authorizing the printing of 5,000 copies of the study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable Trusts; Their Impact on Our Economy";

H. Res. 518, to print as a House document the handbook entitled "The United States Courts"; and

H. Con. Res. 237, to print additional copies of certain opinions of the U.S. Supreme Court in cases involving the offering of prayers and reading from the Bible in public schools.

INTERIOR-INSULAR AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 1713 (amended), to approve an order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Klamath Indian irrigation project, Oregon;

H.R. 3500 (amended), to provide for the acquisition and preservation of the real property known as the Ansley Wilcox House in Buffalo, N.Y., as a national historic site;

H.R. 8970, to revise the procedures established by the Hawaii Statehood Act for the conveyance of certain lands to the State of Hawaii;

H.R. 7170, to amend the Alaska Public Works Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to collect, compromise, or release certain claims held by him under that act; and

H.R. 8171 (amended), to reauthorize the Riverton extension unit, Missouri River Basin project, to include all the Riverton reclamation project except the Muddy Ridge area.

Considered H.R. 8070, to establish a Public Land Law Review Commission, but no final action was taken.

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 6789 and S. 1642, the Securities and Exchange Commission omnibus bill. Testimony was given by William L. Cary, Chairman, SEC; and a public witness. Hearings continue on Thursday, November 21.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony on several private claims bills.

JUDICIAL PROCEDURE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 8650 and 8832, identical bills, to amend the act establishing a Commission and Advisory Committee on the International Rules of Judicial Procedure; and H.R. 7031, to improve judicial procedures for serving documents, obtaining evidence, and proving documents in litigation with international aspects. Heard testimony from members of the Commission and its Advisory Committee on the International Rules of Judicial Procedure.

HOUSE FOLDING ROOM EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5128, to extend the benefits of civil service retirement and group life and health insurance programs to employees in the House folding room.

Prior to taking action the subcommittee heard testimony on the measure from Representative Olsen of Montana; Andrew J. Ruddock, Director, Bureau of Retirement and Insurance, Civil Service Commission; and William M. Miller, Doorkeeper, House of Representatives.

SUPREME COURT BUILDING

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on S. 254, regarding additional property for the Supreme Court Building.

Representatives McFall and Harvey of Michigan were heard on the request for a rule.

CRIMINAL REPRESENTATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 7457, relating to representation of indigent defendants in criminal cases.

Representatives Willis, Moore, Rogers of Colorado, and McCulloch were heard on the request for a rule.

RICE ACREAGE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 3742, relating to rice acreage allotments.

Representatives Gathings, Thompson of Texas, and Rivers of South Carolina, were heard on the request for a rule.

SCIENCE RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued discussion of Government-science relationships, and heard testimony from a public witness.

VETERAN LOANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing held a hearing on H.R. 6652, to authorize Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to sell, at prices which he determines reasonable, direct loans made to veterans for home, farm, or business and to guarantee such loans; and H.R. 7932, to relieve the Veterans' Administration from paying interest on funds transferred from the direct loan revolving fund to the loan guarantee revolving fund. Heard testimony from C. F. Brickfield, Chief Benefits Director, Veterans' Administration; and another VA official.

MEDICAL CARE—AGED

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings regarding medical care for the aged. Heard testimony from Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; various Members of Congress; and public witnesses. Hearings continue on Thursday, November 21.

GOVERNMENT RESEARCH

Select Committee on Government Research: Continued hearings on current Government research programs. Testimony was given by Dr. Jerome B. Wiesner, Director, Office of Science and Technology, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; J. Herbert Hollomon, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology; and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 8971 and S. 2267, authorizing supplemental appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission.

Prior to this action, Subcommittee on Legislation approved these bills for full committee consideration.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the effects of ocean freight rates on the U.S. balance of payments, having as its witnesses E. S. Colker, an economist of Washington, D.C.; D. F. Wierda, United States Lines Co.; A. C. Cocke, Lykes Bros. Steamship Co.; H. B. Luckett, American President Lines, Ltd.; and M. S. Crinkley, Isbrandtsen Co.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Thursday, November 21, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on public debt limit increase and small business and cleared for President bill on arms control.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22562–22591

Bills Introduced: Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2326–2329; and S. Res. 226–227. Pages 22562–22563

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins, with amendments (S. 648); and

An amendment from Committee on Commerce as a substitute for S. 1540, relating to the establishment and enforcement of reasonable international air rates (pt. 2 of S. Rept. 473). Page 22562

AEC Authorizations: Senate passed without amendment S. 2267, authorizing supplemental appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission. Pages 22565–22566

Public Debt Limit: By 50 yeas and 26 nays, Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 8969, providing a temporary increase in public debt limit to $309 billion for the balance of fiscal year 1964 and through June 29, 1964, to $315 billion.

During consideration of the bill Senate rejected, by 35 yeas to 44 nays, Williams (Delaware) amendment to hold the public debt limit to $313.4 billion through June 29, 1964, rather than increasing it for that period to $315 billion. Pages 22591, 22595–22598, 22600–22605

Small Business: S. 298, to encourage the growth of small business investment companies, was passed with a committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute for the bill), after rejecting, by 31 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Proxmire amendment to strike out language in the bill that would eliminate present provision of law requiring small business investment companies to keep one-half of their investments in loans of $500,000 or less and the other one-half in loans of any size. Pages 22606–22613

Independent Offices Appropriations: Senator Robertson was excused as conferee on H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, and Senator Monroney was appointed in his place. Page 22564

Arms Control and Disarmament: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 777, to increase authorizations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency. This action cleared the bill for the White House. Page 22613

Small Business: S. 1309, to change the name of the SBA to the Federal Small Business Administration, and increase authorizations for loans therefor, was passed, as amended by committee amendment (in nature of a substitute), which had first been amended by adoption of Hart amendment to make eligible for disaster loans small business concerns that have suffered substantial economic injury through inability to process or market food products because of disease or poison therein occurring through natural or undetermined causes.

Motion to reconsider passage of bill was tabled. Pages 22612–22615

Library Services: Senate made its unfinished business S. 2265, to increase the amount of assistance under the Library Services Act. Page 22615

Recess: Recessed at 4:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee began a series of hearings to receive testimony on the nature and scope of the educational programs of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, having as its witness Jerome B. Wiesner, Director, Office of Science and Technology.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when committee will hear NASA Administrator Webb, and others.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the foreign aid program, with testimony from Abba P. Schwartz, Administrator, Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs, Department of State, who testified on funds for the migration and refugee assistance program as administered by his Department; and Dr. Ellen Winston, Commissioner of Welfare, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, who spoke on funds for assistance to Cuban refugees in the U.S., which program is administered by her Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow in open session to hear public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 9139, fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction, with testimony from Robert S. McNamara, Secretary of Defense, and Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Chief of Staff, Air Force, who testified principally on funds for family housing; and Adm. Peter Corradi, Chief, Bureau of Yards and Docks, and Adm. George W. Pressey, Director of Shore Activities, both on funds for Navy construction.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony on Navy items.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Robert H. Charles, of Missouri, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; Paul H. Nitze, to be Secretary of the Navy (approved by a vote of 13 to 3); William P. Bundy, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; and 2,258 nominations in the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps.

Prior to this action, in open session, Mr. Charles was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

TRADE WITH COMMUNIST COUNTRIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: The committee continued its hearings on S. 2310, prohibiting any guarantee by the Export-Import Bank or any other Government agency of payment of obligations of Communist countries, receiving testimony from Senator Fulbright; George W. Ball, Under Secretary of State; and Harold F. Linder, President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of Washington.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Charles A. Siegfried, American Life Convention, and Life Insurance Association of America; Archibald E. Mackay, Financial Executives Institute; Richard N. Foulk, Insurance Brokers Association of New York; William F. Leach, Associated Industries of New York State, Inc.; John K. Dyer, Jr., Towers, Perrin, Forster & Crosby, Inc.; John O. Todd, Association for Advanced Life Underwriting; and Francis G. Bray, National Association of Life Underwriters.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 2136, to strengthen the Foreign Agents Registration Act, after receiving testimony from Norman E. Isaacs, executive editor, the Courier Journal and the Louisville Times, Kentucky; Ward B. Stevenson, president, Public Relations Society of America, Inc., New York City; Rodolphe J. A. de Seife, an attorney, Washington, D.C.; and Robert Fisher, Harvard Law School.

STATE DEPARTMENT MANAGEMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations held executive hearings to hear William J. Crockett, Deputy Under Secretary of State for Administration, testify and answer questions in regard to the general management of the Department of State.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands approved for full committee consideration H.R. 976, authorizing acquisition of the Narborne House for the Salem Maritime National Historic Park, Mass. (amended); S. 1878, extending for an additional 5 years the period in which Alaska may select lands under Federal mineral leases; S. 2275, authorizing the return of ceded lands to Hawaii when no longer used by the Federal Government; and S. 1137, authorizing establishment of the Oregon Dunes National Shorelands (amended).

Prior to this action, committee heard testimony on H.R. 976 from Senator Saltonstall and Representative Bates; and testimony was received on S. 1878 from Senators Bartlett and Gruening, and Jerry O'Callaghan, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of George C. Edwards, of Michigan, to be U.S. circuit judge, sixth circuit, with testimony in support of the nominee from Senators McNamara and Hart.

Testifying in opposition to this nomination were Shepherd Tate, Tennessee Bar Association; Thomas Crutchfield, Chattanooga Bar Association; Richard Lansden, Nashville Bar Association; and Cooper Turner, Jr., Memphis Bar Association. These witnesses were introduced to the subcommittee by Senators Gore and Walters.

The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings, with further testimony on the subject of civilian applications of defense technology from the following panel of witnesses: Richard R. Nelson, Rand Corp.;

Murray L. Weidenbaum, senior economist, Stanford Research Institute; and Roger Fisher, a professor at Harvard University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RIVER BASIN PROJECTS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins. As amended, the bill would include funds for 11 river basins for fiscal years 1964 and 1965, totaling $784 million, and would add 6 miscellaneous projects at an estimated cost of $166,847,000, authorizing a grand total of $950,847,000.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings to investigate financial or business activities of Senate employees, or former Senate employees, pursuant to S. Res. 212, having as its witness Mrs. Gertrude Novak, who, with her late husband, Alfred Novak, were former business partners of Robert G. Baker, recently resigned secretary for the majority of the Senate.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Nine public bills, H.R. 9210–9218; and three private bills, H.R. 9219–9221, were introduced. Page 22660

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5128, regarding extension of retirement and insurance programs to certain legislative employees (H. Rept. 915); and

Twelfth report by the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Military Construction Projects (Marine Corps Air Station, Beaufort, S.C., Airstrip at Fort Carson, Colo., Airfield at Sharpe General Depot, Lathrop, Calif.)" (H. Rept. 916). Pages 22659–22660

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of November 27. Page 22623

Late Reports: The Committee on Government Operations was granted permission to file sundry reports by midnight Friday. Page 22626

Resolution Referred: S.J. Res. 103, increasing the amount authorized for the work of the President's Committee on Employment of the Physically Handicapped, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. Page 22659

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH—DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to conclude review of Army research and development programs. Heard testimony from Brig. Gen. Raymond B. Marlin, Office of the Chief of Research and Development, and other Department of the Army officials.

URBAN RENEWAL

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on urban renewal, and heard testimony from William L. Slayton, Commissioner, Urban Renewal Administration.

DEBT ADJUSTMENT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 8359, to prohibit the business of debt adjusting in the District of Columbia except as incident to the lawful practice of law. Heard testimony from a D.C. official; and public witnesses.

FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 5958 and 6075, to extend the coverage of the Fair Labor Standards Act to hotels, motels, and restaurants, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

SHORTER WORKWEEK

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings regarding a shorter workweek, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Friday, November 22.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session on pending business.

ANTHRACITE COAL

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining considered H.R. 4531, to amend the act of July 15, 1955, relating to the conservation of anthracite coal, to remove certain restrictions. No final action was taken. Heard testimony from Representative Flood, departmental, and public witnesses.

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 6789 and S. 1642, the Securities and Exchange Commission omnibus bill. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony on several private claim bills.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8590 (amended), to provide for the incorporation of the National Aviation Hall of Fame; H.J. Res. 680, to request the President to designate 1964 as U.S. Customs Year; H.J. Res. 658 (amended), to request the President to issue a proclamation designating 1964 as See America Year; and H.R. 3696 (amended), to prohibit schemes in interstate or foreign commerce from influencing by bribery the outcome of sporting contests.

Prior to the executive action the subcommittee held an open hearing on H.R. 3696, 4855, and S. 741, similar bills (title above), and heard testimony from Representatives McCulloch and Schwengel; and public witnesses.

A statement was presented for the record on behalf of Representative Donohue on H.J. Res. 680 (title above).

ALASKA RAILROAD—HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House:

S. 622, regarding employment policies on the Alaska Railroad; and

H.R. 5128, to extend the benefits of the civil service retirement and group life and health insurance programs to employees in the House folding room.

DELAWARE RIVER—HIGHWAY STUDY

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 7332 (amended), granting the consent of Congress to a further supplemental compact or agreement between the State of New Jersey and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania concerning the Delaware River Port Authority, formerly the Delaware River Joint Commission; and

H.R. 8853, to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to make a comprehensive study of certain future highway needs.

Prior to taking action on H.R. 8853 (title above), the committee held a public hearing on the measure with testimony from Rex M. Whitton, Federal Highway Administrator; and J. Burch McMorran, president, American Association of State Highway Officials.

VETERAN LOANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing held a hearing on H.R. 6652, to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to sell, at prices which he determines reasonable, direct loans made to veterans for home, farm, or business, and to guarantee such loans; and H.R. 7932, to relieve the Veterans' Administration from paying interest on funds transferred from the direct loan revolving fund to the loan guarantee revolving fund. Heard testimony from GAO officials; and Veterans' Administration witnesses.

MEDICAL CARE—AGED

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on medical care for the aged. Testimony was given by Representatives Halpern, Pepper, and Fraser; and public witnesses. Hearings continue on Friday, November 22.

GOVERNMENT RESEARCH

Select Committee on Government Research: Continued hearings on current Government research programs, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Friday, November 22.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Friday, November 22, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate agreed to limit debate on bills on Communist trade and Library services.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22664–22679

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 5338, to enact the Uniform Commercial Code for the D.C., with amendments (S. Rept. 649);

H.R. 3191, exempting life insurance companies of the D.C. from the regulation of loans on securities (S. Rept. 650);

H.R. 7497, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act relating to annual statements (S. Rept. 651);

S. 1024, authorizing D.C. Commissioners to pay relocation costs made necessary by actions of the D.C. government, with amendments (S. Rept. 652);

S. 2054, eliminating maintenance by the D.C. of perpetual accounts for unclaimed moneys held in trust by the D.C. government (S. Rept. 653);

S. 1964, increasing from $2 to $5 the fee for learners' permits in the D.C. (S. Rept. 654);

S. 1533, transferring functions relating to mass transportation from the D.C. Public Utilities Commission to the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission (S. Rept. 655);

S. 1406, authorizing establishment of a Junior College Division within the D.C. Teachers College, with amendments (S. Rept. 656);

H.R. 3190, allowing property in the D.C. to be bequeathed or devised to trustees under or in accordance with terms of an existing trust (S. Rept. 657); and

H.R. 4276, to provide for the creation of horizontal property regimes in the D.C., with amendment (S. Rept. 658).

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Senate Leadership: Majority leader announced that at conclusion of morning hour on Monday, November 25, and after a live quorum call, he will make rather extended remarks on the state of the Congress, the Senate, and its leadership.

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Library Services: Senate considered S. 2265, to increase the amount of assistance under the Library Services Act, adopting a series of Morse amendments en bloc, which will be considered as original text for the purpose of amendment. These amendments concern the effective date of provisions of the bill and provide that it will be applicable only as to appropriations made after its enactment and to allotments or payments made from such appropriations.

It was agreed by unanimous consent to limit debate on the bill as follows: Effective at a time to be determined by the majority and minority leaders, further debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table) will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, and to 1 hour on question of passage of bill. No nongermane amendment will be received.

Pages 22679, 22685–22692

Communist Trade: It was agreed by unanimous consent to limit debate as follows on S. 2310, prohibiting Export-Import Bank or any other Government agency from guaranteeing obligations of any Communist country for purchase of any U.S. product: Effective at a time to be determined by the majority and minority leaders, 8 hours' debate, equally divided, on question of passage of bill, with proviso that no nongermane amendment will be received.

Pages 22692–22693

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: William P. Bundy, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; Robert H. Charles, of Missouri, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, four Army nominations in the rank of general; and numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations.

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Recess: Recessed at 2:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued its hearings on the nature and scope of educational programs of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, having as its witnesses James E. Webb, Administrator, Dr. Homer E. Newell, Director, Office of Space Sciences; Dr. Thomas L. K. Smull, Director of Grants and Research Contracts; and John A. Johnson, General Counsel, all of NASA.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the foreign aid program, with testimony from several public witnesses on various aspects of the program.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 9139, fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction, with further testimony from Adm. Peter Corradi, Chief, Bureau of Yards and Docks, and Adm. George W. Pressey, Director of Shore Activities, both on funds for Navy construction.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TRADE WITH COMMUNIST COUNTRIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 2310, prohibiting any guarantee by the Export-Import Bank or any other Government agency of payment of obligations of Communist countries, receiving testimony from Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., Under Secretary of Commerce; Samuel C. Waugh, Washington, D.C.; Philip Ray, International Bond & Share, Inc., San Francisco; James S. Bush, Minneapolis; Alfred W. Barth, executive vice president, Chase Manhattan Bank; August Maffry, International Division, Irving Trust Co.; John L. O'Halloran, International Division, Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co.; Col. S. F. Clabaugh, Washington, D.C.; J. C. Frink, Tobacco Associates, Washington, D.C.; and E. Raymond Wilson, Friends Committee on National Legislation.

Committee will hold an executive session on Monday, November 25, to consider this bill.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses W. Evans Buchanan, National Association of Home Builders; C. Beverly Briley, National Association of Counties; Russell E. Singer, American Automobile Association; Richard Barker, Ivins, Phillips & Barker; Hover T. Lentz, of Denver, Colo.; John F. Nagle, National Federation of the Blind; and Otis Ellis, National Oil Jobbers Council.

Hearings are tentatively scheduled to resume on Monday, December 2.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills: H.R. 5949, granting consent to the amendment by Colorado and New Mexico of the Costilla Creek Compact; H.R. 4062, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande (amended); S. 1111, to establish a Water Resources Council to assist in the development of comprehensive water resources planning (amended); H.R. 5945, to provide for the establishment of a U.S.-Puerto Rico Compact Commission (amended); S. 167, authorizing sale to surface owners of phosphate interests reserved by the Federal Government in certain Florida lands (amended); H.R. 1233, a private bill; H.R. 4479, conveying to California reserved mineral rights in certain real property (amended); S. 1534, proposed Lead and Zinc Stabilization Act of 1963 (amended); S. 1169, authorizing per capita distribution of $350 from funds arising from judgments in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation; S. 536, donating certain public land to the Devils Lake Sioux Tribe of the Fort Totten Indian Reservation, N. Dak. (amended); S. 1931, providing that the U.S. shall hold certain land in trust for members of the Alamo Band of Puertocito Navajo Indians (amended); S. 711, authorizing sale and exchange of certain land on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak. (amended); S. 1565, authorizing the sale of timber on Indian lands in accordance with the principles of sustained yield; S. 1757, ratifying certain conveyances of land on the Crow Indian Reservation; S. 2279, authorizing transfer of the Piegan unit of the Blackfeet Indian irrigation project, Montana, to the landowners within the unit; S. 2275, authorizing the return of ceded lands to Hawaii when no longer used by the Federal Government; S. 1878, extending for an additional 5 years the period in which Alaska may select lands under Federal mineral leases; H.R. 976, authorizing acquisition of the Narborne House for the Salem Maritime National Historic Park, Mass. (amended); and S. 1137, authorizing establishment of the Oregon Dunes National Shorelands (amended).

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its hearings, with further testimony on the subject of civilian applications of defense technology from William E. Zisch, president, Aerojet General; and P. L. Seimiller, International Association of Machinists, AFL–CIO, who was accompanied by Vernon E. Jirikowic.

Testimony in regard to selective service was received from Daniel P. Moynihan, Assistant Secretary of Labor, who was accompanied by Paul Barton, Office of Policy

Planning and Research; and Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, who was accompanied by Lt. Col. Maxwell O. Jensen, USMC, Assistant Legislative Officer, both of the Selective Service System.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, November 25, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

SHORTER WORKWEEK

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings regarding a shorter workweek. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

MEDICAL CARE—AGED

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings regarding medical care for the aged. Heard testimony from Representatives Bow, Cramer, MacGregor; and public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT RESEARCH

Select Committee on Government Research: Continued hearings on current Government research programs. Heard testimony from Dr. Wernher von Braun, Director, George C. Marshall Space Flight Center, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Boisfeuillet Jones, Special Assistant for Health and Medical Affairs, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Elmer B. Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; and public witnesses.

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Monday, November 25, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Congress adjourned out of respect to the memory of the late President Kennedy.

Senate

Chamber Action

Resolution Submitted: One resolution was submitted, as follows: S. Res. 228. **Page 22698**

Death of President Kennedy: Senate met informally at 10 a.m. and after hearing brief tributes to the memory of the late President Kennedy, adopted S. Res. 228, expressing sorrow and condolences on the death of the President and appointing the membership of the Senate to attend his funeral. Senate then adjourned at 10:19 a.m. until noon this day. **Pages 22697–22699**

Validation of Informal Proceedings: Senate met at noon and by unanimous consent agreed that the Senate Journal and the permanent Congressional Record for Friday, November 22, be amended to provide that instead of adjournment until noon Monday, November 25, the Senate adjourned until 10 a.m. November 25, and that the informal meeting of the Senate at the hour of 10 a.m. be deemed to have been a duly authorized session of the Senate and the action taken then be validated and approved as part of its official proceedings of this day. **Page 22697**

Authority To Report: Committees were authorized to file reports after adjournment of Senate. **Page 22699**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TRADE WITH COMMUNIST COUNTRIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, voted 8 to 7 to report adversely S. 2310, prohibiting Export-Import Bank or any other Government agency from guaranteeing obligations of any Communist country for purchase of any U.S. product.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: One private bill, H.R. 9222; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 808 and H. Res. 571, were introduced.
Pages 22696–22697

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Thirteenth report of the Committee on Government Operations pertaining to conflicts of interest in defense contracting and employment, filed on November 22 (H. Rept. 917);

Fourteenth report of the Committee on Government Operations, pertaining to availability of information, filed on November 22 (H. Rept. 918);

Fifteenth report of the Committee on Government Operations pertaining to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, filed on November 22 (H. Rept. 919);

Sixteenth report of the Committee on Government Operations pertaining to "Window Dressing" in Bank reports, filed on November 22 (H. Rept. 920); and

Seventeenth report of the Committee on Government Operations pertaining to consumer activities of State governments, filed on November 22 (H. Rept. 921).
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Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Wright to serve as Speaker pro tempore for today.
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President Kennedy: The House adopted H. Res. 571, providing for expressions of sympathy and condolences to the members of the family of the late President in their sad bereavement. The resolution also provided for appointment of a committee of 100 Members of the House to join a similar committee appointed on the part of the Senate to attend the funeral service of the late President. Subsequently the Speaker pro tempore appointed the funeral committee.
Pages 22696–22697

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Tuesday, November 26, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate tabled bill on Communist trade.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22767–22787

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2330–2341; and S. Res. 229.
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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Adversely, S. 2310, prohibiting Export-Import Bank or any other Government agency from guaranteeing obligations of any Communist country for purchase of any U.S. product (S. Rept. 659);

H.R. 976, authorizing acquisition of the Narborne House for the Salem Maritime National Historic Park, Mass. (S. Rept. 660);

S. 1878, extending for an additional 5 years the period in which Alaska may select lands under Federal mineral leases (S. Rept. 661);

S. 167, authorizing sale to surface owners of phosphate interests reserved by the Federal Government in certain Florida lands, with amendments (S. Rept. 662);

S. 1698, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to extend the time for commitment of construction reserve funds (S. Rept. 663);

H.R. 2906, to exempt the emergency towing of wrecked or disabled vehicles from the provisions of part II of the Interstate Commerce Act (S. Rept. 664);

H.R. 134, requiring auto seat belts shipped in interstate commerce to meet certain safety standards, with amendments (S. Rept. 665);

H.R. 5949, granting consent to the amendment by Colorado and New Mexico of the Costilla Creek Compact (S. Rept. 666);

H.R. 4062, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande, with amendment (S. Rept. 667); and

S. 1111, to establish a Water Resources Council to assist in the development of comprehensive water resources planning, with amendments (S. Rept. 668). Page 22767

President Kennedy Eulogies: December 11 was designated as the day that Senators may make speeches in tribute to the memory of the late President Kennedy. Page 22699

President's Funeral: Senate adopted S. Res. 229, providing for payment of expenses of the Senate committee incurred in connection with the funeral of the late President Kennedy. Page 22703

Bill Referred: H.J. Res. 809, continuing appropriations through January 31, 1964, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 22714

Library Services: By 89 yeas to 7 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments S. 2265, to increase the amount of assistance under the Library Services Act, after adopting an additional floor amendment. This amendment, by Senator Allott, as modified later by him, sets a ceiling of $25 million on authorized appropriations for each of the fiscal years 1965 and 1966 for library services, and a ceiling of $20 million for public library construction for each of these fiscal years. Pages 22699–22713

Communist Trade: After debate, by 57 yeas to 35 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted Mansfield motion to table S. 2310, prohibiting Export-Import Bank or any other Government agency from guaranteeing obligations of any Communist country for purchase of any U.S. product, after adopting Robertson-Mundt amendment providing that a sale of any product to a foreign entity on a deferred-payment basis shall not be deemed a loan, and the negotiation or assignment of contract rights of commercial paper resulting from such a sale shall not be deemed to be a sale or purchase of bonds, securities, or other obligations of such foreign entity, if the terms thereof are comparable to those generally prevailing in commercial transactions of a comparable character. Pages 22714–22766

President Johnson: Senate concurred in H. Con. Res. 238, providing for a joint session of Congress on Wednesday, November 27, at 12:30 p.m., to hear an address by President Johnson. Page 22787

Airline Rates: Senate passed S. 1540, relating to the establishment and enforcement of reasonable international air rates, after adopting committee amendment (in nature of a substitute). Motion to reconsider passage was tabled. Pages 22787–22790

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, Senate passed nine bills as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

D.C.: H.R. 3191, exempting life insurance companies of the D.C. from the regulation of loans on securities;

D.C.: H.R. 7497, to amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act relating to annual statements; and

D.C.: H.R. 3190, allowing property in the D.C. to be bequeathed or devised to trustees under or in accordance with terms of an existing trust.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

D.C.: H.R. 5338, to enact the Uniform Commercial Code for the D.C.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

D.C.: S. 2054, eliminating maintenance by the D.C. of perpetual accounts for unclaimed moneys held in trust by the D.C. government;

D.C.: S. 1964, increasing from $2 to $5 the fee for learners' permits in the D.C.; and

D.C.: S. 1533, transferring functions relating to mass transportation from the D.C. Public Utilities Commission to the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission.

With amendment and cleared for House:

D.C.: S. 1024, authorizing D.C. Commissioners to pay relocation costs made necessary by actions of the D.C. government; and

D.C.: S. 1406, authorizing establishment of a junior college division within the D.C. Teachers College. Pages 22790–22795

D.C.: Senate made its unfinished business H.R. 4276, to provide for the creation of horizontal property regimes in the D.C. Pages 22795–22800

Recess: Recessed at 9:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 9139, fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction, with testimony in behalf of funds for construction for his Department from Brig. Gen. Richard D. Curtin, Director of Civil Engineering, who was accompanied by other Air Force officials.

These hearings were continued in an evening session, and will continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee met in executive session and marked up for full committee consideration proposed appropriations for fiscal year 1964 for the Atomic Energy Commission and Tennessee

Valley Authority, as embodied in H.R. 9140, public works appropriations bill.

NATO STATUS OF FORCES

Committee on Armed Services: The NATO Status of Forces Treaty Subcommittee met in open followed by executive sessions to consider the operation of criminal jurisdictional arrangements throughout the world under which American servicemen may be subject to trial in foreign courts for the period December 1, 1961, through November of 1962. Witnesses heard were Benjamin Forman, Assistant General Counsel, Department of Defense; and Brig. Gen. Kenneth J. Hodson, Assistant Judge Advocate General, Army.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

U.N. PARTICIPATION, AND USIA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendment S. 949, to revise the procedure for appointing U.S. Representatives to the U.N., and S. 2213, to provide certain basic authority for the U.S. Information Agency.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 9223–9247; 4 private bills, H.R. 9248–9251; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 809 and 810, H. Con. Res. 238, and H. Res. 572 and 573, were introduced. **Pages 22806, 22807, 22830–22831**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 130, relating to payments of compensation, including severance damages, for rights-of-way acquired by U.S. in connection with reclamation projects, the construction of which commenced after January 1, 1961, amended (H. Rept. 922);

H.R. 6777, regarding waiver by certain veterans of insurance premiums upon becoming disabled prior to age 65, amended (H. Rept. 923);

H.R. 7751, relating to land exchange by Veterans' Administration at Hazard Park, Calif., amended (H. Rept. 924);

H.R. 9124, to vitalize the Reserve Officers' Training Corps programs of the Army, Navy, and Air Force (H. Rept. 925); and

H.R. 9004, transferring control of Pershing Hall, Paris, France, to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs (H. Rept. 926). **Page 22830**

President Kennedy Eulogies: It was announced by the majority leader that a full day at a later date would be designated for eulogizing the late President Kennedy. **Page 22802**

Continuing Appropriations: By a voice vote the House adopted H.J. Res. 809, making continuing appropriations through January 31, 1964, for fiscal year 1964. **Page 22805**

AEC Authorizations: House passed without amendment S. 2267, authorizing supplemental appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission. This action clears the legislation for the President. **Pages 22805–22806**

D.C. Appropriations: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 7431, making appropriations for the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for fiscal 1964; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Natcher, Cannon, Wilson of Indiana, Giaimo, and Wyman. **Page 22806**

Joint Session: Adopted H. Con. Res. 238, providing for a joint session of Congress on Wednesday, November 27, at 12:30 p.m., to hear an address by the President. The calling of a recess at any time on that day by the Speaker was made in order. **Page 22806**

Printing Authorization: Adopted H. Res. 572, to authorize the printing for the use of the Committee on the Judiciary of 2,000 additional copies of House Report 914, to accompany H.R. 7152, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963, 88th Congress, 1st session. **Page 22807**

Bills Referred: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 22830**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 9004, to transfer control of Pershing Hall, Paris, France, to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs;

H.R. 6777 (amended), regarding waiver by certain veterans of insurance premiums upon becoming disabled prior to age 65; and

H.R. 7751 (amended), relating to land exchange by Veterans' Administration at Hazard Park, Calif.

Wednesday, November 27, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

President Johnson addressed joint session of Congress.

Senate cleared for President bill continuing appropriations until January 31 and rejected conference report on legislative appropriations, insisting on most of its amendments.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22857–22884

Bills Introduced: Nine bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2342–2350. Page 22867

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.J. Res. 809, continuing appropriations through January 31, 1964 (no written report);

S. 1931, providing that the U.S. shall hold certain land in trust for members of the Alamo Band of Puertocito Navajo Indians, with amendment (S. Rept. 669);

S. 536, donating certain public land to the Devils Lake Sioux Tribe of the Fort Totten Indian Reservation, N. Dak. (S. Rept. 670);

S. 2279, authorizing transfer of the Piegan unit of the Blackfeet Indian irrigation project, Montana, to the landowners within the unit (S. Rept. 671);

S. 1565, authorizing the sale of timber on Indian lands in accordance with the principles of sustained yield, with amendments (S. Rept. 672);

S. 711, authorizing sale and exchange of certain land on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak., with amendments (S. Rept. 673); and

S. 1137, authorizing establishment of the Oregon Dunes National Shorelands, with individual and minority views, and with amendments (S. Rept. 674). Page 22867

President's Address to Congress: President Johnson delivered an address before a joint session of Congress. Page 22908

Legislative Appropriations: By 2 yeas to 88 nays, Senate rejected conference report on H.R. 6868, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch. Senate then concurred in House amendment to Senate amendment No. 32 (extension of the Capitol Building), but insisted on its amendments in disagreement. Pages 22884–22892

D.C.: H.R. 4276, to provide for the creation of horizontal property regimes in the D.C., was passed with committee amendment (motion to reconsider tabled). Pages 22884, 22892–22893

Continuing Appropriations: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President (motion to reconsider tabled) H.J. Res. 809, continuing appropriations through January 31, 1964. Prior to these actions, it rejected by 22 yeas to 63 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Clark amendment to continue the appropriations only until December 31, 1963. Pages 22893–22894, 22908–22923

River Basins: Senate took up H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins, adopting committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of amendment.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed to limit further debate as follows: On Tuesday, December 3, starting at 1 p.m., 1 hour equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); 3 hours equally divided on question of passage of bill; and that no nongermane amendment will be received. Pages 22908, 22921–22922, 22927–22932

Senate Meeting Time: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when Senate adjourns today it will adjourn until 9 a.m. Friday, November 29, when it will immediately adjourn until noon Tuesday, December 3, 1963. Page 22923

Maritime Historical Park: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 976, authorizing acquisition of the Narborne House for the Salem Maritime National Historical Park, Mass. Page 22933

Alaska: S. 1878, extending for an additional 5 years the period in which Alaska may select lands under Federal mineral leases, was passed without amendment. Pages 22933–22934

Florida—Phosphate: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 167, authorizing sale to surface owners of phosphate interest reserved by the Federal Government in certain Florida lands. Page 22934

Emergency Towing: H.R. 2906, to exempt the emergency towing of wrecked or disabled vehicles from the provisions of part II of the Interstate Commerce Act, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. Pages 22934–22935

Auto Seat Belts: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 134, requiring auto seat belts shipped in interstate commerce to meet certain safety standards.

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Costilla Creek Compact, Colorado-New Mexico: H.R. 5949, granting consent to the amendment by Colorado and New Mexico of the Costilla Creek Compact, was passed without amendment and cleared for President.

Pages 22935–22936

Amistad Dam: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 4062, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande.

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Confirmation: Nomination of Paul H. Nitze, of Maryland, to be Secretary of the Navy, was confirmed.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded its hearings on H.R. 9139, fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction, after receiving testimony from Brig. Gen. Richard D. Curtin, Director of Civil Engineering, Air Force; Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Deputy Chief, National Guard Bureau; and Gen. Alfred D. Starbird, Army, on funds for the Defense Communications Agency.

MESA VERDE NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 6756, revising the boundaries of Mesa Verde National Park, Colo., receiving testimony from Conrad L. Wirth, Director, and Frank Harrison, Assistant Director, both of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 9252–9279; 11 private bills, H.R. 9280–9290; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 811–817, and H. Res. 574–576, were introduced.

Pages 22856–22857

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 189, authorizing the conveyance of certain Federal land at Naval Ordnance Test Station, China Lake, Calif., amended (H. Rept. 927);

H.R. 393, to make retrocession to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of jurisdiction over certain land in the vicinity of Fort Devens, Mass., amended (H. Rept. 928);

H.R. 7248, to change designated use of property conveyed by the Department of the Air Force to Fort Walton Beach, Fla., amended (H. Rept. 929); and

H.R. 7499, regarding conveyance of land to the city of Oroville, Calif. (H. Rept. 930).

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New Member Sworn: Representative-elect Albert W. Johnson, of the 23d Congressional District of Pennsylvania, presented himself in the well of the House and Speaker McCormack administered the oath of office.

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President's Message: President Johnson delivered an address before a joint session of Congress. A committee composed of Senators Mansfield, Humphrey, Smathers, Russell, Dirksen, and Kuchel; and Representatives Albert, Boggs, Vinson, Halleck, and Arends, escorted the President to and from the House Chamber. The message was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 178).

Pages 22838–22839

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CANCELLATION—POTATO LABELING HEARING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance announced that the hearing originally scheduled for December 2, on H.R. 8208, regarding potato labeling, has been canceled.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, December 3.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

Friday, November 29, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Senate met at 9 a.m. and, pursuant to order previously entered, immediately recessed at 9:01 a.m. (without transaction of business) until noon Tuesday, December 3, when its unfinished business will be H.R. 8667, river basin plans. **Page 22941**

Recess: Recessed at 9:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 9291–9303; 1 private bill, H.R. 9304; and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 239–241, were introduced. **Pages 22962–22963**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of December 4. **Page 22943**

Bills Referred: 12 Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 22962**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, December 2, 1693

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed 19 miscellaneous bills.
See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next session will be held on Tuesday, December 3, at noon.

Committee Meetings

CIVIL DEFENSE SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 8200, to provide for construction of fallout shelters in all Federal Government buildings, receiving testimony from Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chief of Staff, Army; Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense); William P. Durkee, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense); and A. Stanley McGaughan, consultant to the Department of Defense on civil defense shelters.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

WOOD LABELING

Committee on Commerce: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 1249, to protect consumers against misbranding and false advertising of decorative wood and simulated wood products, after receiving testimony from Representative Utt; Thaddeus S. Snell, counsel, the Gypsum Association; Robert C. Keck and Victor R. Marsh, representing the American Hardboard Association; and Robert E. Carter, International Retail Furniture Association, and James T. Ryan, Southern Furniture Manufacturers Association, whose statements were read by their associates.

It was announced that the record will remain open until Monday, December 9, for the inclusion of additional written material.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, having as its witnesses Karl R. Price, of the law firm of Alvord & Alvord; Richard L. Goldman, Association of Mutual Fund Plan Sponsors, Inc.; James S. Mentzer, American Finance Conference, Inc.; J. T. Schlenger, of the Broseco Corp.; John H. Davis, representing Marketime Drugs Co. and Rufus H. Smith Co.; and Thomas Meek, National Association of Customs Brokers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee held hearings to receive an annual briefing on review of the operations of the Small Business Administration. Witnesses heard were Eugene P. Foley, Administrator; Irving Maness, Deputy Administrator for Procurement and Technical Assistance; Logan B. Hendricks, Acting Deputy Administrator for Financial Assistance; James L. Parris, Deputy Administrator for the Investment Division; and William G. Simpson, Deputy Administrator for Management and Research Assistance, all of the SBA.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 9305–9315; 4 private bills, H.R. 9316–9319; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 818–824, and H. Res. 577 and 578, were introduced. **Page 23027**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8751, to provide that certain proceedings of the AMVETS shall be printed as a House document (H. Rept. 931);

H. Con. Res. 230, authorizing the printing of 5,000 copies of the study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable Trusts: Their Impact on Our Economy," for the use of the Select Committee on Small Business (H. Rept. 932);

H. Con. Res. 231, authorizing the printing of 5,000 copies of the study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable Trusts: Their Impact on Our Economy," for the use of the Select Committee on Small Business (H. Rept. 933);

H. Con. Res. 237, providing for the printing of additional copies of certain opinions of the U.S. Supreme Court in cases involving the offering of prayers and reading from the Bible in public schools (H. Rept. 934);

H. Res. 518, to print as a House document the handbook entitled "The United States Courts" (H. Rept. 935);

H.R. 9000, to amend the Federal Coal Mine Safety Act so as to provide further for the prevention of accidents in coal mines (H. Rept. 936);

H.R. 7170, to amend the Alaska Public Works Act, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to collect, compromise, or release certain claims held by him under that act (H. Rept. 937);

H.R. 1713, approving an order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Klamath Indian irrigation project, Oregon, amended (H. Rept. 938);

H. Res. 547, to provide additional funds for the investigations and studies authorized by H. Res. 179 (H. Rept. 939);

H. Res. 566, to provide funds for the further expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 56 (H. Rept. 940); and

H.R. 7152, additional views on proposed Civil Rights Act of 1963 (part II of H. Rept. 914). **Page 23027**

Committee To Sit: Permission was granted to the Committee on the Judiciary to sit during general debate of the House session on Tuesday, December 3. **Page 22967**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Congressional retirement: H.R. 5128, to extend the benefits of the civil service retirement and group life and health insurance programs to certain legislative employees.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Andrew Johnson Monument: S. 1243 (in lieu of H.R. 5345), to change the name of the Andrew Johnson National Historical Monument, and to add certain historic property thereto;

Indians—Idaho: S. 2139 (in lieu of H.R. 8527), to provide for the disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians, Idaho;

Reclamation: H.R. 130, to provide for the payment of compensation, including severance damages, for rights-of-way acquired by the United States in connection with reclamation projects;

Independence Park acquisition: H.R. 988, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire the Graff House site for inclusion in Independence National Historical Park;

Veterans' insurance: H.R. 6777, to provide for waiver of premiums for certain veterans holding national service life insurance policies who became or have become totally disabled before their 65th birthday; and

Pershing Hall: H.R. 9004, to transfer control of Pershing Hall to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs in order that such building may be preserved as a memorial to General of the Armies of the U.S. John J. Pershing while being utilized in the best interests of the U.S.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S.J. Res. 17, S. 254, 1828, H.R. 4018, 5838, and 7458. **Pages 22968–22977**

Printing Authorizations: The following resolutions authorizing the printing of certain documents were called up, considered, and adopted by voice votes:

H.R. 8751, to provide that certain proceedings of the AMVETS shall be printed as a House document;

H. Con. Res. 230 and 231, authorizing the printing of 5,000 copies of the study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable Trusts: Their Impact on Our Economy," for the use of the Select Committee on Small Business;

H. Con. Res. 237, providing for the printing of additional copies of certain opinions of the Supreme Court of the United States in cases involving the offering of prayers and reading from the Bible in public schools; and

H. Res. 518, to print as a House document the handbook entitled "The United States Courts."

Pages 22977–22978

Committee Resignation: Received and read a letter of resignation from membership on the Committee on Government Operations from Representative Schweiker. **Page 22984**

Committee Election: Adopted H. Res. 577, electing Representative Johnson of Pennsylvania to membership on the Committee on Government Operations.

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Suspensions: The following bills were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

Kennedy facilities: H.R. 9291, to provide office space, supplies, equipment, and franking privileges for Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy (amended and passed by a voice vote). **Pages 22978–22979**

Delaware River Toll Bridge Commission: H.R. 6199, giving congressional approval to a supplemental compact of agreement between Pennsylvania and New Jersey concerning Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission (passed by a voice vote). **Page 22979–22982**

Grand Prairie, Tex., airport: H.R. 8462, relating to transfer of land and development of adequate airport facilities at Grand Prairie, Tex. (passed by a voice vote).

Pages 22982–22984

Summer employment: H.R. 10, to extend the apportionment requirement in the Civil Service Act of 1883 to temporary summer employment (amended and passed by a record vote of 301 yeas to 18 nays).

Pages 22994–23004

ROTC Programs: By a record vote of 177 yeas to 154 nays the House failed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 9124, to amend title 10, U.S. Code, to vitalize the Reserve Officers' Training Corps programs of the Army, Navy, and Air Force (a two-thirds majority vote is required in suspension passages). **Pages 22984–22988**

Committee Expenses: The following resolutions providing annual funds for expenses of House committees were considered and adopted:

Banking and Currency: H. Res. 547, to provide $200,000 for the expenses of the Committee on Banking and Currency; and

Public Works: H. Res. 566, to provide $450,000 for the expenses of the Committee on Public Works.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee for Special Investigations heard testimony from Air Force Department witnesses regarding Air Force procurement policies and practices.

WILDLIFE RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 793 (amended), to promote the conservation of the Nation's wildlife resources on the Pacific flyway in the Tule Lake, Lower and Upper Klamath, and Clear Lake National Wildlife Refuges in Oregon and California and to aid in the administration of the Klamath reclamation project.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through November 30, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	171	164	..
Time in session	952 hrs., 59′	549 hrs., 19′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	13,921	7,937	21,858
Appendix	..	..	7,330
Public bills enacted into law	57	132	189
Private bills enacted into law	29	78	107
Bills in conference	1	11	..
Bills through conference	3	13	..
Measures passed, total	699	812	..
Senate bills	281	84	..
House bills	217	467	..
Senate joint resolutions	15	7	..
House joint resolutions	18	25	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	24	21	..
House concurrent resolutions	16	17	..
Simple resolutions	128	191	319
Measures reported, total	*731	*858	..
Senate bills	298	61	..
House bills	192	580	..
Senate joint resolutions	16	5	..
House joint resolutions	17	25	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	28	21	..
House concurrent resolutions	16	15	..
Simple resolutions	164	151	315
Special reports	23	52	..
Conference reports	..	20	..
Reported measures not acted on	17	75	..
Measures introduced, total	2,779	10,938	13,717
Bills	2,350	9,304	11,654
Joint resolutions	134	817	951
Concurrent resolutions	66	241	307
Simple resolutions	229	576	805
Quorum calls	54	114	..
Yea-and-nay votes	205	95	..
Bills vetoed	1	..	1
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 668 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 930 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through November 30, 1963

Postmaster nominations, totaling 1,711, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	1,528
Withdrawn	13
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	170

Army nominations, totaling 10,169, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	10,162
Withdrawn	4
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	3

Air Force nominations, totaling 20,290, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	20,288
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	2

Navy nominations, totaling 25,820, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	25,819
Withdrawn	1
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	None

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 5,751, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	5,751
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	None

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 2,797, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	2,746
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	48

Summary

Total nominations received	66,538
Total withdrawn	21
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	223
Total confirmed	66,294

Tuesday, December 3, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed eight bills, including one on river basins.
House debated cotton bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23081–23119

Bills Introduced: Six bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2351–2356; S.J. Res. 135–136; and S. Con. Res. 67. **Pages 23082–23083**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 2275, authorizing the return of ceded lands to Hawaii when no longer used by the Federal Government (S. Rept. 675). **Page 23082**

Bills Referred: 12 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 23150**

Indians: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 1931, providing that the U.S. shall hold certain land in trust for members of the Alamo Band of Puertocito Navajo Indians. **Pages 23109–23110**

Indians: Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2905, donating certain public land to the Devils Lake Sioux Tribe of the Fort Totten Indian Reservation, N. Dak., and the bill was then passed without amendment and cleared for President. S. 536, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. **Page 23110**

Indians: S. 2279, authorizing transfer of the Piegan unit of the Blackfeet Indian irrigation project, Montana, to the landowners within the unit, was passed without amendment. **Page 23110**

Indians: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 1565, authorizing the sale of timber on Indian lands in accordance with the principles of sustained yield. **Pages 23110–23111**

Indians: Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2467, authorizing sale and exchange of certain land on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak., and the bill was then passed without amendment and cleared for President. S. 711, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. **Page 23111**

Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy: Senate passed H.R. 9291, to provide office facilities, franking privileges, and Secret Service protection for Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy, with a Johnston amendment (in nature of a substitute). **Pages 23119–23121**

River Basins: By 59 yeas to 19 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins, after taking the following additional actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: Scott amendment barring purchase of any foreign supplies or equipment under the legislation if the price of comparable domestic materials does not exceed foreign price by 50 percent (motion to reconsider tabled); and

Rejected: Simpson amendment to eliminate authorizations for Knowles Dam, Mont.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators McNamara, Randolph, Young of Ohio, Metcalf, Cooper, and Fong. **Pages 23121, 23130–23149**

Water Resources: Senate made its unfinished business S. 1111, to establish a Water Resources Council to assist in the development of comprehensive water resources planning. **Pages 23150–23154**

Agriculture—Mexican Farm Labor: Senate debated Ellender motion to concur in House amendment to S. 1703, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 so as to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program, and agreed, by unanimous consent, to vote on this motion at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, December 4, the time from noon until 12:30 p.m. to be used for transaction of routine morning business and the time from 12:30 to 1 p.m. to be equally divided on the debate on the Ellender motion. **Pages 23154–23164, 23168–23177**

Merchant Marine: Senate passed without amendment S. 1698, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to extend the time for commitment of construction reserve funds. **Page 23168**

Andrew Johnson Monument: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1243, authorizing acquisition of the Andrew Johnson Home at Greenville, Tenn., for addition to the Andrew Johnson National Monument. This action cleared the bill for President's signature. **Page 23181**

Treaties Received: Three treaties were received as follows:

Protocol amending the interim Convention on Conservation of North Pacific Fur Seals, signed at Washington, October 8, 1963, on behalf of Canada, Japan, the U.S.S.R., and the U.S. (Ex. O, 88th Cong., 1st sess.);

Protocol signed at The Hague, October 23, 1963, modifying and supplementing the extension to the Netherlands Antilles of the Income Tax Convention With the Netherlands (Ex. P, 88th Cong., 1st sess.); and

Supplementary Convention Between the U.S. and Sweden on Income Tax (Ex. Q, 88th Cong., 1st sess.). **Pages 23085–23086**

Nominations: One Army and one Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general were received. **Page 23182**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies.

The full committee will meet on Thursday, December 5, to consider this bill.

APPROPRIATIONS—RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration the Bureau of Reclamation and power marketing agencies section of H.R. 9140, fiscal 1964 appropriations for public works.

The full committee will meet on Thursday, December 5, to consider this bill.

STOCKPILING

Committee on Armed Services: Special subcommittee held hearings on S. 2272, proposed Materials Reserve and Stockpile Act of 1963, receiving testimony from Edward A. McDermott, Director, Office of Emergency Planning; and Bernard L. Boutin, Administrator, General Services Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, receiving testimony from William F. Hellmuth, dean, Oberlin College; Richard A. Musgrave, Princeton University; Joseph Pechman, Brookings Institution; and Sterling Bigler, National Association of Building Owners & Managers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PEACE CORPS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on H.R. 9009, to increase the authorizations for the administration of the Peace Corps Act, receiving testimony from R. Sargent Shriver, Jr., Director of the Peace Corps.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 385, extending maximum maturity of certain VA guaranteed or insured home loans to 35 years; S. 2064, relieving the VA from paying interest on funds transferred from the direct loan revolving fund to the loan guarantee revolving fund; S. 2220, to encourage doctors who have received student loans under certain Government programs to practice in areas having a shortage of physicians or dentists (amended); H.R. 221, providing educational assistance for children of veterans disabled from wartime service-connected disabilities (amended); and H.R. 5691, to empower the VA Administrator to delegate to the Chief Medical Director authority to act upon the recommendations of disciplinary boards.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower resumed its hearings on manpower problems, having as its witness Gunnar Myrdal, professor of international economics at Stockholm University, and author of the book "Challenge to Affluence," which deals with problems of the American economy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 9320–9341; 2 private bills, H.R. 9342 and 9343; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 825–833, and H. Con. Res. 242 and 243, were introduced. **Pages 23080–23081**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1096, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to cooperate with the State of Wisconsin in the designation and administration of the Ice Age National Scientific Reserve in State of Wisconsin, amended (H. Rept. 941);

Seven private bills, S. 1838, H.R. 1182, 1355, 4085, 4284, 5982, and 6313 (H. Repts. 942–948, respectively);

H.R. 8190, to fix the fees payable to the Patent Office, amended (H. Rept. 949); and

Twelve private bills, H.R. 6591, 7533, S. 212, 697, 966, 1096, 1097, 1272, 1479, 1516, 1570, and S. Con. Res. 57 (H. Repts. 950–961, respectively). **Pages 23079–23080**

Independent Offices Appropriations: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 8747, making appropriations for sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, corporations, agencies, and offices for fiscal year 1964; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Thomas, Evins, Cannon, Ostertag, and Jonas. **Pages 23030–23031**

Air Pollution Control: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 6518, to improve, strengthen, and accelerate programs for the prevention and abatement of air pollution; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Harris, Roberts of Alabama, Rhodes of Pennsylvania, O'Brien of New York, Rogers of Florida, Bennett of Michigan, Schenck, Nelsen, and Brotzman. **Page 23031**

Auto Seat Belt Standards: H.R. 134, to provide that seat belts sold or shipped in interstate commerce for use in motor vehicles shall meet certain safety standards, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto. **Page 23031**

Private Calendar: On the call of the Private Calendar the following bills were passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2300, 2706, 2728, 5145, and 6182. **Page 23032**

Cotton: By a voice vote the House adopted H. Res. 464, the open rule providing for the consideration of and 4 hours of debate on H.R. 6196, to encourage increased consumption of cotton, to maintain the income of cotton producers, and to provide a special research program designed to lower costs of production.

After consuming 2 hours and 34 minutes of the time allotted for general debate, the Committee of the Whole rose. The bill will be considered further on Wednesday. **Pages 23032–23064**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to review Navy research and development programs. Heard testimony from Navy Department officials.

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance held a hearing on H.R. 9022, to amend the International Development Association Act, to authorize the U.S. to participate in an increase of IDA resources. Testimony was given by John C. Bullitt, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs.

D.C. SECURITIES SALE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 4200 (amended), to provide for the regulation, through licensing and bonding of brokers and agents, of the business of selling securities in the District of Columbia.

D.C. TRANSIT SYSTEM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 1533, to amend the act of July 24, 1956, granting a franchise to the D.C. Transit System, Inc.

Prior to taking action on the measure held an open hearing with testimony from D.C. officials; and public witnesses.

ST. ELIZABETHS

Committee on Education and Labor: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the Investigation of the Administration and Operation of St. Elizabeths Hospital met in executive session and heard testimony from Dr. Dale C. Cameron, Superintendent of St. Elizabeths Hospital. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

WILDLIFE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 9032, to provide uniform policies with respect to recreation and fish and wildlife benefits and costs of Federal multiple-purpose water resource projects, and to provide the Secretary of the Interior with authority for recreation development of projects under his control. Heard testimony from Elmer B. Staats, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget.

SECURITIES-EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on Securities and Exchange Commission omnibus bills. Testimony was given by public witnesses. Hearings continue on Wednesday, December 4.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 8507, for the relief of certain medical and dental officers of the Air Force;

H.R. 8999, to provide for settlement of claims of certain inhabitants of the U.S. living in the area inundated by the sudden floods of the Rio Grande as a result of the construction of the Falcon Dam;

H.R. 8937, for the relief of certain retired officers of the Army, Navy, and Air Force;

H.R. 8190 (amended), to fix the fees payable to the Patent Office; and

Several private immigration and private claim bills.

U.S.-SHIPOWNERS CONTRACTS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on the Merchant Marine met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 1172, to authorize amendment of contracts between shipowners and the United States dealing with vessels whose life has been extended by Public Law 86-518.

PUBLIC WORKS ACCELERATION

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 7351, to amend the Public Works Acceleration Act.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 5792, to permit the use of additional standard containers for fruits and vegetables; and

H.J. Res. 787, to provide for the erection of a memorial statue to the late Robert H. Goddard.

Heard testimony on H.J. Res. 787 (title above), from Julian Scheer, Assistant Administrator, NASA; and public witnesses.

INTEREST EQUALIZATION TAX

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 8000, the Interest Equalization Tax Act. Recessed until Wednesday, December 4.

Joint Committee Meetings

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Thursday, December 5.

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Wednesday, December 4, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed bills on water resources, merchant marine, and Hawaii, and cleared for President the Mexican farm labor bill.

House passed cotton subsidy bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23189–23217

Bills Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2357–2361; and S. Res. 230.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 949, to revise the procedure for appointing U.S. Representatives to the U.N., with amendment (S. Rept. 676);

S. 2213, to provide certain basic authority for the U.S. Information Agency, with amendment (S. Rept. 677);

S. 692, authorizing establishment of a Federal agriculture program for Guam (S. Rept. 678);

S. 2218, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to accept transfer of certain Tennessee forest lands for purposes of the Foothills Parkway (S. Rept. 679);

S. 1757, ratifying certain conveyances of land on the Crow Indian Reservation (S. Rept. 680);

H.R. 5945, to provide for the establishment of a U.S.-Puerto Rico Compact Commission, with amendments (S. Rept. 681);

S.J. Res. 113, authorizing President to designate the first week in March as Save Your Vision Week (S. Rept. 682);

S.J. Res. 128, providing for the establishment of an annual National Farmers Week (S. Rept. 683);

S. 1319, to make it a Federal crime for a juvenile delinquent to escape or to assist in escape from the custody of the Attorney General (S. Rept. 684);

H.R. 4766, a private bill (S. Rept. 685);

S. 776, proposed Design Protection Act (S. Rept. 686);

S. 579 and S. 2242, private bills (S. Repts. 687 and 688);

S. 2040, to modify the oath requirements relative to applicants for patents by permitting either oaths or declaration (S. Rept. 689);

H.R. 5703, granting an extension of a design patent to the United Daughters of the Confederacy (S. Rept. 690);

S. 1832, granting consent of Congress to supplemental compact between Pennsylvania and New Jersey concerning the Delaware River Port Authority (S. Rept. 691);

H.R. 1213, S. 1332, 1410, 1549, 1760, 1781, 1822, 1829, 1943, 1976, 2085, H.R. 1221, 1271, 1273, 1414, 1432, 1475, 1495, 1542, 1545, 1566, 2305, 2944, 3366, 3662, 3908, 4141, 4288, 4507, 4760, 4862, 5083, 5289, 5453, 5495, 5753, 5902, 6038, 6316, 6624, 6808, 7268, S. 633, 1518, 1951, 1958, H.R. 1395, S. 2084, and H.R. 1289, private bills (S. Repts. 692–733);

H.R. 7601, for the relief of the city of Winslow, Ariz. (S. Rept. 734);

S. 633, 1518, 1951, 1958, H.R. 1395, S. 2084, and H.R. 1289, private bills (S. Repts. 735–741);

S. 1169, authorizing per capita distribution of $350 from funds arising from judgments in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation, with amendments (S. Rept. 742); and

H.R. 4157, to revise, codify, and enact into law part II of the D.C. Code entitled "Judiciary and Judicial Procedure," with amendments (S. Rept. 743).

Pages 23190–23191

President's Communication—Corps of Engineers: Communication from President transmitting amendments to the budget for fiscal year 1964 in the amount of $210,000 for the Corps of Engineers—Civil, Department of the Army, was received, referred to Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 45. **Page 23190**

Appointment to Commissions: President pro tempore reappointed Senator Saltonstall as a member of the National Historical Publications Commission.

Senator Long of Missouri was appointed to be a member of the Commission on the Disposition of Alcatraz Island. **Pages 23190–23191**

Agriculture—Mexican Farm Labor: By 50 yeas to 36 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted Ellender motion to concur in House amendment to S. 1703, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 so as to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program. The House amendment confines the legislation to a simple 1-year extension of the program.

This action cleared the bill for the President's signature. **Pages 23217–23223**

Public Lands—Hawaii: Senate passed without amendment S. 2275, authorizing the return of ceded lands to Hawaii when no longer used by the Federal Government. **Page 23205**

Water Resources: S. 1111, to establish a Water Resources Council to assist in the development of comprehensive water resources planning, was passed after adoption of the following amendments:

All committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of amendment; a series of Allott amendments (1) to provide that the river basin commissions authorized by the bill shall be for areas or river basins rather than regions or river basins, (2) providing that when within a reasonable time sufficient concurrences are not obtained to effectuate a request of the Council that a commission be established, the Council may upon a finding of need recommend to the President that such planning as is otherwise authorized by law proceed, (3) to establish limitation on authorized appropriations for each of the next 3 fiscal years of $7.5 million, (4) to limit Federal share of carrying out approved program in Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands to 50 percent rather than 66 percent, and (5) numerous amendments of a technical perfecting nature. **Pages 23233–23250**

Merchant Marine: Senate passed by division vote (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 82, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to provide for the reimbursement of certain vessel construction expenses, after adopting Williams (Delaware) amendment barring payment of interest on any refund authorized under the legislation, and Lausche amendment respecting modification of contracts entered into pursuant to the legislation.

Pages 23253–23260

Merchant Marine: Senate took up S. 927, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to remove certain limitations concerning war risk insurance, agreeing by unanimous consent that after 12:30 p.m. Thursday, December 5, debate on the bill will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided, with vote thereon to be taken at 2:30 p.m. **Pages 23260–23264**

Confirmations: 35 Public Health Service nominations were confirmed. **Page 23271**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 692, authorizing establishment of a Federal agriculture program for Guam; and S. 2218, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to accept transfer of certain Tennessee forest lands for purposes of the Foothills Parkway.

Also, committee approved the following watershed projects: Dry Creek and Fishing Creek, Ga.; Little Cache Creek, Ill.; Bachelor Run, Ind.; Grant-Shanghai Creeks, Kans.; Clam River, Mass.; Crane Creek, Minn.; Briar Creek, Pa.; and Glen Hills, Wis.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration the civil functions section of H.R. 9140, fiscal 1964 appropriations for public works.

The full committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider this bill, and H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies.

STOCKPILING

Committee on Armed Services: The Stockpile Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 2272, proposed Materials Reserve and Stockpile Act of 1963, receiving testimony from Edward A. McDermott, Director, Office of Emergency Planning; Maurice J. Connell, Commissioner, and John G. Harlan, Deputy Commissioner, both of the Defense Materials Service, GSA; Mariano Ranno, National Association of Metal Finishers; and Alfred T. Marinaro, Master Electro Platers Association.

Statements were submitted by Representatives Aspinall, Baring, and Broomfield.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call of the Chair.

MARITIME LABOR DISPUTES

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries held hearings on S. 2222, to establish procedures to facilitate the settlement of jurisdictional disputes in the maritime industry, with testimony from Ralph E. Casey, American Merchant Marine Institute, Inc.; Donald W. Alexander, Palm Beach, Fla.; Ralph E. Wilson, Vice Admiral, USN (retired), vice president, J. J. Henry Co., Philadelphia; and William B. Rand, president, United States Lines Co., New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Mr. Rand.

D.C. CRIME LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee resumed its hearings on H.R. 7525, to amend the laws relating to crime and criminal procedure in the D.C., with testimony on those provisions of the bill dealing with indecent publications from David C. Acheson, U.S. Attorney for the D.C.; Walter N. Tobriner, President, D.C. Board of Commissioners; Roy E. Blick, Deputy Chief, D.C. Metropolitan Police Department; John C. Doerfer, general counsel, Maryland-District of Columbia-Delaware Broadcasters Association; and Howard Monderer, Washington, D.C., attorney, National Broadcasting Co., Inc.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, receiving testimony from Senator Gruening; David W. Richmond, Investors Diversified Services, Inc.; Paul D. Seghers, Institute on U.S. Taxation of Foreign Income, Inc.; Lincoln Arnold, American Mining Congress; Rolla D. Campbell, National Council of Coal Lessors, Inc.; and Leo C. Bradley, Jr., of the firm of White, Bradley, Arant, All & Rose.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on H.R. 7406, increasing U.S. participation in the Inter-American Development Bank, and S. 2214, authorizing the U.S. to participate in an increase in the resources of the International Development Association, having as its witnesses C. Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury, who was accompanied by his associates; and N. R. Danielian, president, International Economic Policy Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Charles H. Tenney, to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of New York; and George I. Cline, to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Kentucky; S. 1832, granting consent of Congress to supplemental compact between Pennsylvania and New Jersey concerning the Delaware River Port Authority; S. 1466, to permit an attorney to represent others before any Federal agency; S. 776, proposed Design Protection Act; S. 2040, to modify the oath requirements relative to applicants for patents by permitting either oaths or declaration; S. 1319, to make it a Federal crime for juvenile delinquent to escape or to assist in escape from the custody of the Attorney General; S.J. Res. 128, providing for the establishment of an annual National Farmers Week; S.J. Res. 113, authorizing President to designate the first week in March as Save Your Vision Week; H.R. 4157, to revise, codify, and enact into law part II of the D.C. Code entitled "Judiciary and Judicial Procedure"; H.R. 5703, granting an extension of a design patent to the United Daughters of the Confederacy; 37 private immigration bills (S. 633, 1332, 1410, 1549, 1760, 1781, 1822, 1829, 1943, 1951, 1958, 1976, 2084, 2085, 2242; H.R. 1271, 1273, 1289, 1414, 1432, 1495, 1542, 1566, 2305, 3366, 3908, 4507, 4760, 4862, 5083, 5453, 5902, 6038, 6316, 6624, 6975, and 7268); and 18 private claims bills (H.R. 1213, 1221, 1395, 1475, 1545, 2238, 2944, 3662, 4141, 4288, 4766, 5289, 5495, 5753, 6808, 7601; S. 579, and 1518).

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 15 private immigration bills (S. 94, 118, 173, 211, 240, 242, 339, 418, 420, 668, 698, 1645, 1998, 2025, and H.R. 1734); and 4 private claims bills (S. 460; H.R. 1526, 1861, and 2244).

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower continued its series of hearings on the manpower problem, with testimony from Dr. Jerome Wiesner, Director, Office of Science and Technology, and Michael Michaelis, manager, Arthur D. Little, Inc., who discussed civilian applications of defense technology; and Archibald Alexander, Deputy Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, and Mrs. Betty Getz Lall, Ithaca, N.Y., who discussed economics of disarmament.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARTS FOUNDATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on the Arts, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration a committee print embodying an amended version of S. 1316, providing for the establishment of a National Arts Foundation.

CONTESTED NOMINATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Contested Nominations held hearings on the nomination of Newell Hargett, to be postmaster at Maysville, Ky., with testimony from Senators Morton and Cooper; Representative Perkins; Thomas M. Donovan, of Maysville; and C. T. Cottrell, clerk of the Mason County Court, Kentucky.

Subcommittee also heard Senator Yarborough testify in connection with pending postmaster nominations for the cities of Garland and Port Arthur, Tex.

Subcommittee also held hearings on four such nominations in New Jersey, but no witnesses appeared to either favor or oppose same.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 9344–9355; 6 private bills, H.R. 9356–9361; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 834–842, and H. Res. 579, were introduced.

Pages 23338–23339

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8507, for the relief of certain medical and dental offices of the Air Force (H. Rept. 962);

H.R. 8937, for the relief of certain retired officers of the Army, Navy, and Air Force (H. Rept. 963);

H.R. 8999, to provide for the settlement of claims of certain U.S. inhabitants living in the area inundated by the sudden floods of the Rio Grande as a result of the construction of the Falcon Dam (H. Rept. 964);

Five private bills, S. 1014, H.R. 1384, 1520, 1521, and 1886 (H. Repts. 965–969, respectively);

H.R. 931, providing for establishment of the Allegheny Portage Railroad National Historic Site and the Johnstown Flood National Memorial, Pa., amended (H. Rept. 970);

H.R. 1211, a private bill (H. Rept. 971);

H.R. 8970, revising the procedure established by the Hawaii Statehood Act (P.L. 86–3) for the conveyance of certain lands to the State of Hawaii (H. Rept. 972);

Twenty-three private bills, S. 1129, 1269, H.R. 1392, 1403, 1451, 2818, 4682, 5500, 5584, 5858, 5941, 6092, 6320, 6876, 7788, 8085, 8323, 8392, 8828, 8829, 8878, 8930, and 8931 (H. Repts. 973–995, respectively); and

H. Res. 579, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 7457, to provide legal assistance for indigent defendants in criminal cases in U.S. courts (H. Rept. 996). **Pages 23337–23338**

Cotton: By a record vote of 216 yeas to 182 nays the House passed H.R. 6196, to encourage increased consumption of cotton, to maintain the income of cotton producers, and to provide a special research program designed to lower costs of production. A motion to recommit the bill had been rejected earlier by a record vote of 179 yeas to 224 nays.

In addition to committee amendments the House adopted two other amendments relating to—

Limitation of subsidy through issuance of payment-in-kind certificates; and

Tapering off of price supports.

Rejected amendments that sought to—

Substitute new text for that of the bill;

Provide that direct payments would go to producers; and

Readjust export market acreage. **Pages 23272–23325**

Bills Referred: Four Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. **Page 23337**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to review Navy research and development programs. Heard testimony from Navy Department officials.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: In executive session ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 8459 (amended), to amend the Federal Credit Union Act, to allow the Federal credit unions greater flexibility in their organization and operations; and

S. 2228, to change the requirements for the annual meeting date for national banks.

Prior to taking action on the measures held an open hearing with testimony from Eugene F. Foley, Administrator, Small Business Administration, on S. 298, to amend the Small Business Investment Act; and S. 1309, to increase amounts authorized to be appropriated under the Small Business Act.

SCIENCE ADVISORY STAFF

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts held a hearing on H.R. 6866, to increase effectiveness of Congress in carrying out its functions by establishing a Science Advisory Staff in the Senate and House of Representatives; and H.R. 8066, to establish in the legislative branch of the Government the Congressional Office of Science and Technology. Heard testimony from Representative Sibal; and public witnesses.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 8070 (amended), to establish a Public Land Law Review Commission to study existing laws and procedures relating to the administration of the public lands of the U.S.; and

H.R. 4010, to provide an adequate basis for the administration of the Lake Mead National Recreation Area, Ariz. and Nev.

Considered H.R. 5302, a private bill. No final action was taken.

SECURITIES-EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on Securities and Exchange Commission omnibus bills, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony on private claim bills.

VESSEL CONSTRUCTION SUBSIDIES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 1211, a private bill; and

S. 1172, to provide that refunds of construction-differential subsidies of vessels made after December 31, 1959, shall be computed on the undepreciated amount of subsidy divided by the years of life of the vessel.

OBNOXIOUS MAIL MATTER

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee met in executive session on H.R. 319 and H.R. 142, to protect postal patrons from obscene mail matter and Communist propaganda through the mails. No final action was taken.

ABANDONED MINES—WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Held a hearing on H.R. 3166, 4571, and S. 649, and related bills, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act; and on H.R. 6844, and related bills, to provide for the sealing off of certain abandoned coal mines. Testimony was given by Senator Muskie. Hearings continue Thursday, December 5.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Rules: Completed hearings on H.R. 8720, to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act. Heard testimony from Representatives Holland, O'Hara of Michigan, Taft, Goodell, and Pucinski. No final action was taken.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H.R. 6041, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act to include the basic hourly rate of pay and rates of payments to funds or insurance coverage for fringe benefits within the term "wages." Testimony was given by Representative Pool. Hearings continue Thursday, December 5.

INTEREST EQUALIZATION TAX

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to consider H.R. 8000, the Interest Equalization Tax Act. Recessed until Thursday, December 5.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal 1964, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

AIR POLLUTION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6518, to accelerate and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program.

Thursday, December 5, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed merchant marine bill and debated motion to take up resolution to study congressional organization.

House eulogized the late President Kennedy.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23520–23548

Bills Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2362–2366; and S. Res. 231. **Pages 23521–23522**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 2238, private bill (S. Rept. 744);

S. 1466, to permit an attorney to represent others before any Federal agency, with amendments (S. Rept. 745);

H.R. 9140, fiscal 1964 appropriations for public works, with amendments (S. Rept. 746); and

H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 747). **Page 23521**

Bill Referred: H.R. 6196, to encourage increased consumption of cotton and to provide for research to lower costs of its production, was referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. **Page 23520**

Merchant Marine: Senate passed by 49 yeas to 35 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 927, to amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to remove certain limitations concerning war risk insurance. Prior to this action, Senate rejected, by 36 yeas to 47 nays, motion by Senator Williams (Delaware) to recommit the bill to Committee on Commerce. **Pages 23548, 23550–23560**

Eyesight: Senate passed without amendment S.J. Res. 113, authorizing President to designate the first week in March as Save Your Vision Week. **Page 23561**

Farmers Week: S.J. Res. 128, providing for the establishment of an annual National Farmers Week, was passed without amendment. **Page 23561**

Congressional Organization: Senate debated Mansfield motion to take up S. Con. Res. 1, to establish a Joint Committee on the Organization of Congress. Prior to filing this motion, a unanimous-consent request by Senator Mansfield to take up the resolution was objected to. **Pages 23561, 23575–23582**

Confirmations: Two judicial nominations were confirmed. **Page 23582**

Recess: Recessed at 6:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS, AND STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 9140, fiscal 1964 appropriations for public works. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide a total of $4,500,988,200, an increase of $224,871,800 over the House-passed figure of $4,276,116,400.

Committee also approved with amendments H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide a total of $1,821,283,000, a decrease of $29,986,900 from the House-passed figure of $1,851,269,900.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 9139, fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction.

The full committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider this bill.

MILITARY AND AIR FORCE ACADEMIES

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on H.R. 7356, to change the method of selection of candidates for appointment to the Military and Air Force Academies. Witnesses heard were Representative Bennett of Florida; Lt. Gen. W. S. Stone, Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, Air Force; Maj. Gen. James B. Lampert, Superintendent, U.S. Military Academy, West Point; and Vice Adm. William R. Smedberg III, Chief of Naval Personnel.

MARITIME LABOR DISPUTES

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries continued its hearings on S. 2222, to establish procedures to facilitate the settlement of jurisdictional disputes in the maritime industry, receiving further testimony from William B. Rand, president, United States Lines Co., New York City.

Testimony was also received from J. M. Calhoun, National Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SHIPPING TERMINAL LEASES

Committee on Commerce: The Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee held hearings on S. 2317 and S. 2322, to amend the Shipping Act so as to provide for the exemption of certain terminal leases from penalties, with testimony from the following witnesses: John Harllee, Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission; Thomas P. Guerin, general manager, Commission on Public Docks, Portland, Oreg., and president, American Association of Port Authorities, who was accompanied by Arthur Winn, Jr., attorney, AAPA; Willis Deming, who was accompanied by A. J. Pessel, both of the Matson Navigation Co.; Charles C. G. Evans, Port Authority of Baltimore, Md.; C. W. Phelps, representing the Port of Stockton, Calif.; James Kelley, Frontier Port Authority, Great Lakes area; and Thomas White, of Portland, Oreg., representing the Northwest Marine Terminal Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, receiving testimony from a panel of witnesses composed of Harold Decker, Richard H. Gonzalez, and Wallace W. Wilson, all representing the Independent Petroleum Association, Mid Continent Oil & Gas Association, Western Oil & Gas Association, and the American Petroleum Institute; and Stanley C. Woods, Texas Landowners and Independent Oil & Gas Producers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MESA VERDE NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration H.R. 6756, to revise the boundaries of Mesa Verde National Park, Colo.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, December 10.

MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower concluded its series of hearings on the manpower problem, with testimony from Senator McGovern and Emile Benoit, professor, Columbia University, both of whom discussed the economics of disarmament; Andrew J. Biemiller, legislative director, AFL–CIO, who testified with regard to S.J. Res. 105, authorizing appointment of a Presidential Commission on Automation; and Morton J. Schussheim, Assistant Administrator, Housing and Home Finance Agency.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Six public bills, H.R. 9362–9367; six private bills, H.R. 9368–9373; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 843–846, and H. Res. 580, were introduced.

Pages 23519–23520

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8465, to amend the act entitled "An act to organize and microfilm the papers of Presidents of the United States in the collections of the Library of Congress" (H. Rept. 997);

H.R. 9036, to amend the U.S. Code relating to the policing of the buildings and grounds of the Smithsonian Institution and its constituent bureaus, amended (H. Rept. 998);

H.R. 9334, to amend Standard Container Act of 1928 to permit the use of additional standard containers (H. Rept. 999);

S. 1533, to amend the D.C. Transit Franchise Act regarding audits for determination of net profits (H. Rept. 1000);

S. 2054, to eliminate the maintenance of perpetual accounts for unclaimed moneys held in trust by D.C. government (H. Rept. 1001);

S. 1153, amendments to Federal Airport Act, amended (H. Rept. 1002);

Conference report on H.R. 6518, to improve, strengthen, and accelerate progress for the prevention and abatement of air pollution (H. Rept. 1003); and

Conference report on H.R. 8747, making appropriations for sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, corporations, agencies, and offices for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 1004). **Page 23519**

Flood Control and Navigation: House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Fallon, Davis of Tennessee, Jones of Alabama, Cramer, and Baldwin. Pages 23348–23349

D.C. Legislation: The Committee on the District of Columbia was granted permission to file reports on sundry bills by midnight Friday. Page 23349

President's Message—NASA: Received and read a message from the President transmitting a report of the projects and progress of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for the period of July 1–December 31, 1962. The message was referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. No. 179). Page 23349

Eulogies to President Kennedy: Today having been previously designated for paying tributes to the memory of President John F. Kennedy, the House heard numerous Members speak on the life, character, and service of the late President. Pages 23349–23517

Bill Referred: S. 1111, to establish a Water Resources Council to assist in the development of comprehensive water resources planning, was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 23518

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to continue review of Navy research and development programs. Testimony was given by Navy Department witnesses.

MILITARY REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate and Construction met in executive session and approved several pending real estate projects. Heard testimony from departmental officials.

D.C. TRANSIT—TRUSTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 8929 (amended), to authorize the prosecution of a transit development program for the National Capital region;

S. 1533, to amend the D.C. Transit Franchise Act regarding audits for determination of net profits; and

S. 2054, to eliminate maintenance by the District of Columbia of perpetual accounts for unclaimed moneys held in trust by the D.C. government.

COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing regarding the Columbia Plaza urban renewal project, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Friday, December 6.

NIGERIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session for a briefing with Alhaji Isa Kaita, Minister of Education, Northern Nigeria; and Alhaji Isa Abubakar, Secretary to the Legislature of Northern Nigeria.

WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 2 (amended), to establish water resources research centers at land-grant colleges and State universities.

Prior to executive action the subcommittee held an open hearing on H.R. 9032, to provide uniform policies with regard to recreation and fish and wildlife benefits and costs of Federal multiple-purpose water resource projects. Heard testimony from Interior Department officials.

SECURITIES-EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on Securities and Exchange Commission omnibus bills, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

POSTAL AFFAIRS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for a briefing with John A. Gronouski, Postmaster General, regarding postal business.

ABANDONED MINES—WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 3166, 4571, S. 649, and related bills, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act; and on H.R. 6844, and related bills, to provide for the sealing off of certain abandoned coal mines. Testimony was given by Representative Dingell; and public witnesses. Hearings continue Friday, December 6.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Rules: Continued hearings on request for a rule for the consideration of H.R. 6041, to amend the Davis-Bacon Act, to include the basic hourly rate of pay and rates of payments to funds or insurance coverage for fringe benefits within the term "wages." Heard testimony from Representatives Short, Martin of Nebraska, Fisher, and Ashmore. No final action was taken.

INTEREST EQUALIZATION TAX

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8000 (amended), the Interest Equalization Tax Act of 1963.

Joint Committee Meetings

NOMINATION, AND AEC MATTERS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Senate members of the committee, in executive session, approved for reporting the nomination of William J. Howard, of California, to be Chairman of the Military Liaison Committee, Atomic Energy Commission. Prior to this action, in open session, testimony in behalf of Mr. Howard was received from Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, AEC; and Dr. Harold Brown, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, DOD. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Committee also held an executive session to hear Mr. Seaborg and his associates in connection with several matters relating to their Agency.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964. The table below sets for the amount requested by the administration, the amounts authorized by the House and Senate, and the final figures as agreed upon by the conferees.

	Administration request	House bill	Senate bill	Final figures
Development loans	$1,060,000,000	$900,000,000	$950,000,000	$925,000,000
Development grants	257,000,000	217,000,000	225,000,000	220,000,000
Schools and hospitals (dollars)	21,600,000	10,000,000	21,600,000	14,300,000
Schools and hospitals (foreign currency)	4,690,000	2,000,000	4,690,000	4,700,000
Alliance for Progress	650,000,000	450,000,000	600,000,000	525,000,000
International organizations	136,050,000	136,050,000	136,050,000	136,050,000
Supporting assistance	435,000,000	380,000,000	380,000,000	380,000,000
Contingency fund	300,000,000	150,000,000	175,000,000	160,000,000
Military assistance	1,405,000,000	1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000
Administration:				
AID	57,250,000	54,000,000	52,000,000	54,000,000
State	[1] 3,025,000	[1] 3,025,000	[1] 3,025,000	------------
Latin American development	200,000,000	200,000,000	155,000,000	180,000,000
Total	4,529,615,000	3,502,075,000	3,702,365,000	3,599,050,000

[1] Previously authorized.

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Friday, December 6, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed 49 measures on calendar call.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23585–23691

Bills Introduced: Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2367–2370; S.J. Res. 137; and S. Con. Res. 68. **Page 23598**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2220, to encourage physicians and dentists who have received student loans under certain Government programs to practice in areas having a shortage of physicians or dentists, with amendments (S. Rept. 748);

H.R. 6975, private bill (S. Rept. 749); and

H.R. 9139, fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction, with amendments (S. Rept. 750). **Page 23586**

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar, 49 measures, of which 38 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

UDC: H.R. 5703, granting an extension of a design patent to the United Daughters of the Confederacy; and

Private bills: 23 private bills, H.R. 1221, 1271, 1475, 1495, 1542, 1545, 1566, 2305, 2944, 3366, 3662, 3908, 4141, 4288, 4507, 4760, 5289, 5453, 5495, 5753, 5902, 6038, and 6316.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Private bills: Two private bills, H.R. 1395 and 1289.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Guam: S. 692, authorizing establishment of a Federal agriculture program for Guam;

Foothills Parkway, Tenn.: S. 2218, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to accept transfer of certain Tennessee forest lands for purposes of the Foothills Parkway;

Indians: S. 1757, ratifying certain conveyances of land on the Crow Indian Reservation;

Juvenile delinquents: S. 1319, to make it a Federal crime for a juvenile delinquent to escape or to assist in escape from the custody of the Attorney General;

Ornamental designs: S. 776, proposed Design Protection Act;

Patents—oaths: S. 2040, to modify the oath requirements relative to applicants for patents by permitting either oaths or declaration;

New Jersey-Pennsylvania Compact: S. 1832, granting consent of Congress to supplemental compact between Pennsylvania and New Jersey concerning the Delaware River Port Authority; and

Private bills: Nine private bills, S. 2242, 1332, 1410, 1549, 1822, 1829, 1943, 1976, and 2085.

With amendment and cleared for House:

United Nations: S. 949, to revise the procedure for appointing U.S. Representatives to the U.N. (motion to reconsider tabled);

USIA: S. 2213, to provide certain basic authority for the U.S. Information Agency (motion to reconsider tabled);

Indians: S. 1169, authorizing per capita distribution of $350 from funds arising from judgments in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation; and

Private bills: Four private bills, S. 633, 1518, 1958, and 2084. **Pages 23645–23667**

Wright Brothers Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from the further consideration of H.J. Res. 335, designating the 17th day of December of each year as Wright Brothers Day, and the bill was then passed with a perfecting amendment by Senator Humphrey. S.J. Res. 124, companion bill, was then indefinitely postponed. **Pages 23701, 23722–23723**

Merchant Marine—Lumber: Senate passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 2100, continuing authority of Secretary of Commerce to suspend certain provisions of the Merchant Marine Act with respect to the transportation of lumber. **Pages 23697, 23699, 23701–23706**

Private Bills: Senate, by unanimous consent, took up and passed without amendment and cleared for President the following private bills: H.R. 6808, 1414, 1432, 4862, 6624, 7268, and 2238.

Senate also took up and passed the following private bills: S. 689, 1760, 1781, and 1951. **Pages 23691–23692, 23706**

Winslow, Ariz.: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 7601, for the relief of the city of Winslow, Ariz. **Page 23706**

Public Lands—Illinois: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 6001, authorizing conveyance to the Waukegan Port District, Illinois, of certain real property of the U.S. **Page 23645**

D.C.: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 4157, to revise, codify, and enact into law part II of the D.C. Code entitled "Judiciary and Judicial Procedure." **Pages 23692–23696**

Administrative Law: S. 1466, to permit an attorney to represent others before any Federal agency, was passed with committee amendments. **Pages 23697–23698**

Congressional Organization: Senate continued debate of Mansfield motion to take up S. Con. Res. 1, to establish a Joint Committee on the Organization of Congress, but when Senate adjourned at the end of today's session, the motion automatically died. **Pages 23697, 23706–23711, 23723–23726**

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nominations of William Jack Howard, of California, to be Chairman of the Military Liaison Committee to the Atomic Energy Commission; and five in the Army in the rank of general. **Page 23729**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 9139, fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide a total of $1,617,489,000, a net increase of $54,525,000 over the House-passed figure of $1,562,964,000.

MARITIME LABOR DISPUTES

Committee on Commerce: The Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 2222, to establish procedures to facilitate the settlement of jurisdictional disputes in the maritime industry, with further testimony from J. M. Calhoun, National Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association, New York City. A statement was submitted for inclusion in the record by Jeff Kibre, International Longshoremen's & Warehousemen's Union.

Hearings were recessed until some time in January.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, receiving testimony from Senators Neuberger and Miller; David W. Herrmann, National Association of Shoe Chain Stores; Virginia R. Allan, National Federation of Business & Professional Women's Clubs, Inc.; Julia C. Thompson, American Nurses Association; Peter Retzlaff, National Football League Players Association; Leonard Kandell, New York City; and Richard L. Reiner, Super Stores, Inc.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 9.

PAGE RESIDENCE

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session to consider S. 1847, to provide a residence for congressional and Supreme Court pages, and agreed to recommend that the full committee informally refer this bill to the Committee on Rules and Administration to obtain its views on overall policy concerning Senate pages.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on financial and business activities of Senate employees or former Senate employees (pursuant to S. Res. 212), having as its witnesses Edward M. Bostick, president, and Arthur C. Weid, executive vice president, both of Melpar, Inc.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 9.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 9374–9384; 3 private bills, H.R. 9385–9387; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 847–851, were introduced. Page 23749

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8929, regarding transit development program for the National Capital region, amended (H. Rept. 1005); and

Conference report on H.R. 7885, to amend further the foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (H. Rept. 1006). Page 23749

Interest Equalization Tax: The Committee on Ways and Means was granted permission to file a report on H.R. 8000, the proposed "Interest Equalization Tax Act of 1963" by midnight Monday, December 16. Page 23731

Bills Referred: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 23749

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 heard testimony from a public witness regarding the Columbia Plaza urban renewal project.

WATER RESEARCH PROJECTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 9032, to provide uniform policies with respect to recreation and fish and wildlife benefits and costs of Federal multiple-purpose water resource projects. Heard testimony from a departmental official and public witnesses.

WATER POLLUTION—ABANDONED MINES

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 3166, 4571, S. 649, and related bills, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act; and on H.R. 6844, and related bills, to provide for the sealing off of certain abandoned coal mines. Testimony was given by Representative Reuss and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, December 10.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Conferees, in executive session, continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Monday, December 9.

Saturday, December 7, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, December 9, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Two public bills, H.R. 9388 and 9389; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 852 and 853, were introduced. **Page 23752**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 9023, regarding change in requirements for the annual meeting date for national banks (H. Rept. 1007);

H.R. 8070, relating to establishment of a Public Lands Review Commission to study existing laws and procedures relating to the administration of United States public lands (H. Rept. 1008); and

H.R. 7967, for the relief of certain individuals employed at Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii (H. Rept. 1009). **Page 23752**

The House met but transacted no legislative business.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Monday, December 9, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed public works and military construction appropriation bills and took up conference report on foreign aid bill.

House adopted conference report on foreign aid authorization bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23753–23795

Bills Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2371–2372; and S. Res. 232. **Page 23754**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 1233, private bill (S. Rept. 751);

H.R. 4479, conveying to California reserved mineral rights in certain real property (S. Rept. 752);

H.R. 221, providing educational assistance for children of veterans disabled from wartime service-connected disabilities, with amendments (S. Rept. 753);

S. 2064, relieving the VA from paying interest on funds transferred from the direct loan revolving fund to the loan guarantee revolving fund (S. Rept. 754); and

H.R. 5691, to empower the VA Administrator to delegate to the Chief Medical Director authority to act upon the recommendations of disciplinary boards (S. Rept. 755). **Page 23753**

Procedural Resolutions: Senate adopted order that the following resolutions that had been ordered to lie over under the rule would instead lie on the table: S. Res. 209, authorizing Committee on Labor and Public Welfare subcommittee meetings during Senate sessions; S. Res. 226, discharging Committee on Finance from consideration of H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963; and S. Res. 227, discharging Committee on Appropriations from consideration of H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies. Page 23756

Presiding Officer: S. Res. 232, designating Senator Metcalf as Acting President pro tempore of the Senate during remainder of present session of Congress, was adopted. Page 23774

Private Bill: H.R. 6975, a private bill, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. Page 23774

Health: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2220, to encourage physicians and dentists who have received student loans under certain Government programs to practice in areas having a shortage of physicians or dentists (motion to reconsider tabled). Pages 23774–23775

Puerto Rico: H.R. 5945, to provide for the establishment of a U.S.-Puerto Rico Compact Commission, was passed with committee amendments. Page 23785

Kennedy Assassination: Senate took from table and passed without amendment S.J. Res. 137, authorizing the Commission established to report upon the assassination of the late President John F. Kennedy to compel attendance and testimony of witnesses and production of evidence. Pages 23760–23761

Public Works Appropriations: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 9140, fiscal 1964 appropriations for public works, after taking the following actions on amendments:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc which were then considered as original text for purpose of amendment; and Miller amendment to reduce by $25,000 funds for general investigations, Department of the Army; and

Rejected: Hruska amendment to eliminate language providing $45 million for carrying out public works acceleration program; Proxmire amendment to reduce by $5 million funds for construction and rehabilitation, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior, and barring use of any funds for Kansas Glenn Elder project; and by 9 yeas to 74 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Proxmire amendment providing that no funds in the legislation for the Glenn Elder project shall be used for irrigation purposes.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Ellender, Hayden, Russell, McClellan, Hill, Magnuson, Holland, McNamara, Pastore, Hruska, Young of North Dakota, Mundt, and Smith. Pages 23795–23823

Military Construction Appropriations: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 9139, fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction. Motion to reconsider passage was then tabled.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Stennis, Russell, Bible, Byrd (Virginia), Kuchel, and Saltonstall. Pages 23824–23830

Foreign Aid: Senate took up conference report on H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964. Page 23830

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for foreign aid, receiving testimony from David E. Bell, Administrator, and Frank M. Coffin, Deputy Administrator, both of the Agency for International Development; and Gen. Robert J. Wood, Director of Military Assistance, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session when Secretary of Defense McNamara and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff General Taylor will testify.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: The Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 555, to establish principles for the apportionment of liability in cases of collision between vessels (amendment in the nature of a substitute bill); S. 2317, to amend the Shipping Act so as to provide for the exemption of certain terminal leases from penalties (amendment in the nature of a substitute bill); S. 469, to admit to American registry the vessels of *Fort Town, Maple City,* and *Windmill Point;* and S. 1322, authorizing the vessel *Eugenie II* to be documented as a vessel of the U.S.

QUALITY STABILIZATION ACT

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 774, to promote quality and price stabilization, receiving testimony from Aaron J. Racusin, Deputy for Procurement Management, Air Force, who was accompanied by Albert Kornblum, Assistant to the General Counsel, Department of the Navy, both on behalf of the Department of Defense; and Otis H. Ellis, National Oil Jobbers Association.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, receiving testimony from Adm. Lewis Strauss, Washington, D.C.; James B. Carey, AFL–CIO; Thomas J. Wall, Mersick Industries, Inc.; James H. Dingeman, Federal-Mogul-Bower Bearings, Inc.; H. Clay Johnson, National Board of Fire Underwriters; Emmett Wallace, of Emmett Wallace Associates; and Dudley Swim, Monterey, Calif.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee continued its executive hearings on financial and business activities of Senate employees or former Senate employees (pursuant to S. Res. 212), having as its witnesses Aaron Goldman, president, G. B. Macke Corp.; and Ralph H. Hill, president, and Stanley Lee, general manager, both of the Capital Vending Co., Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Eight public bills, H.R. 9390–9397; nine private bills, H.R. 9398–9406; and one resolution, H.J. Res. 854, were introduced. **Page 23912**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 8171, regarding acquisition of land in third division, Riverton reclamation project, Wyoming, and water delivery thereto for 3 years, amended (H. Rept. 1010);

S. 2228, to change the requirement for the annual meeting date for national banks (H. Rept. 1011); and

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 1012). **Page 23912**

Alcatraz Disposition: The Speaker announced the appointment of Representative Cohelan to membership on the Commission on the Disposition of Alcatraz Island. **Page 23831**

Foreign Aid: By a record vote of 195 yeas to 164 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 7885, the foreign aid authorization bill for fiscal year 1964, and sent the legislation to the Senate. **Pages 23835–23851**

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up, considered, and passed:

Unclaimed moneys: S. 2054, eliminating maintenance by the D.C. of perpetual accounts for unclaimed moneys held in trust by D.C. government (cleared for the President by a voice vote). **Pages 23851–23852**

Transit audits: S. 1533, to amend the D.C. Transit Franchise Act regarding audits for determination of net profits (cleared for President by a voice vote). **Pages 23852–23854**

D.C. Mass Transit: By a record vote of 278 yeas to 76 nays the House adopted a motion to recommit H.R. 8929, to authorize the prosecution of a transit development program for the National Capital region. **Pages 23854–23873**

Kennedy Facilities: The House agreed to a Senate amendment to H.R. 9291, to provide office space, supplies, equipment, and franking privileges for Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy, after amending the Senate amendment. The bill was then returned to the Senate. **Pages 23873–23874**

Bills Referred: 26 Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 23911–23912**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. TRAFFIC PROBLEMS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 6 held a hearing regarding traffic problems in the District of Columbia, with testimony from a special consultant to the subcommittee.

COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on the Columbia Plaza urban renewal project. Testimony was given by a public witness.

SHORTER WORKWEEK

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings regarding shorter workweek legislation. Heard testimony from public witnesses.

KINZUA DAM PROJECT—SENECA NATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 1794, to authorize the acquisition of and the payment for a flowage easement and rights-of-way over lands within the Allegany Indian Reservation in New York, required by the U.S. for the Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, and to provide for the relocation, rehabilitation, and economic and social development of the members of the Seneca Nation. Heard testimony from departmental and public witnesses. Hearings continue on Tuesday, December 10.

COMMUNICATIONS—POWER

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session regarding dual distribution in small business. Heard testimony from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; and other FTC Commissioners.

Joint Committee Meetings

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

RIVER BASIN PROJECTS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins. As agreed by the conferees, all of the Senate amendments would be accepted except that the Department of the Interior portion of the Missouri River Basin project was reduced from $100 million to $16 million. Language added by the Senate relating to the Buy American Act would be deleted from the bill. Reported in disagreement was the Senate amendment relating to the Knowles Dam and Reservoir, Mont.

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Tuesday, December 10, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared for President bills on air pollution control and independent offices appropriations and received President's message on coinage of Kennedy 50-cent pieces.

Senate cleared for President bill on higher education, and agreed to vote December 12 on conference report on foreign aid.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24007–24048

Bills Introduced: Three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2373–2375; and S. Res. 233–234. **Page 24008**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 5179, authorizing the Postmaster General to enter into agreements for the transportation of mail by passenger common carriers by motor vehicle (S. Rept. 756);

H.R. 5778, to increase from 10 to 20 miles the area within which the Postmaster General may establish post office branches (S. Rept. 757);

S. 1534, proposed Lead and Zinc Stabilization Act of 1963, with amendment—referred to Committee on Finance (S. Rept. 758);

H.R. 9009, to increase the authorizations for the administration of the Peace Corps Act (S. Rept. 759);

S. Res. 217, to authorize a study by the Committee on Public Works of a national system of scenic highways, with an additional amendment (S. Rept. 760);

S. Res. 230, to print as a Senate document eulogies to the late President John F. Kennedy, delivered in the rotunda of the Capitol on November 24, 1963 (S. Rept. 761);

S. Con. Res. 67, to print for the use of Committee on Public Works certain information on water pollution control (S. Rept. 762);

S. 2311, to print compilations of materials relating to annual national high school and college debate topics (S. Rept. 763);

H. Con. Res. 230, to print additional copies of the study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable Trusts—Their Impact on Our Economy—Second Installment" (S. Rept. 764);

H. Con. Res. 231, to print additional copies of the study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable

Trusts—Their Impact on Our Economy" (S. Rept. 765);

H. Con. Res. 237, to print additional copies of certain U.S. Supreme Court opinions dealing with offering of prayers in public schools (S. Rept. 766);

H.R. 8751, to print as a House document annual proceedings of AMVETS (S. Rept. 767); and

S. Res. 233–234, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees (no written reports). **Page 24007**

President's Message: Message from President transmitting draft of proposed bill for coinage of 50-cent piece with the likeness of the late President Kennedy thereon—received and referred to Committee on Banking and Currency. **Page 24006**

Private Bills: H.R. 1273 and H.R. 1233, private bills, were passed without amendment and cleared for White House. **Page 24012**

Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy: Senate cleared for White House H.R. 9291, to provide office facilities, franking privileges, and Secret Service protection for Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy, after concurring in House amendment to Senate amendment to the bill. **Page 24063**

Higher Education: By 54 yeas to 27 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 6143, proposed Higher Education Facilities Act. This action cleared the bill for White House. **Pages 24048–24051, 24053–24062, 24064–24069**

Independent Offices Appropriations: H.R. 8747, fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices, was cleared for White House action when Senate adopted conference report thereon, receding from Senate amendment 92 (veterans' hospital at Bay Pines, Fla., and agreeing to House amendments to Senate amendments No. 2 (research in emergency preparedness and telecommunications, Office of Emergency Planning), and No. 84 (transfer of funds for research, National Science Foundation). **Pages 24075–24083**

Air Pollution: Senate cleared for White House H.R. 6518, to accelerate and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program, by adopting conference report thereon. **Pages 24083–24085**

Lead and Zinc: By unanimous consent S. 1534, proposed Lead and Zinc Stabilization Act of 1963, was referred to Committee on Finance when it was reported today from Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. **Page 24007**

Foreign Aid: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that vote would be taken not later than 3 p.m. on Thursday, December 12, on conference report on H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964. **Pages 24085, 24088**

Mineral Rights—California: H.R. 4479, conveying to California reserved mineral rights in certain real property, was cleared for President's signature when the bill was passed without amendment. **Page 24086**

Veterans: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 221, providing educational assistance for children of veterans disabled from wartime service-connected disabilities. **Pages 24086–24087**

Veterans: Senate passed without amendment S. 2064, relieving the VA from paying interest on funds transferred from the direct loan revolving fund to the loan guarantee revolving fund. **Page 24087**

Veterans: H.R. 5691, to empower the VA Administrator to delegate to the Chief Medical Director authority to act upon the recommendations of disciplinary boards, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. **Pages 24087–24088**

Nominations: Senate received numerous nominations in the Diplomatic and Foreign Service, and in the Army. **Pages 24089–24091**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the foreign aid program, having as its witnesses William P. Bundy, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; and Gen. Robert J. Wood, Director of Military Assistance, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue on Thursday, December 12, when Secretary of State Rusk will be heard.

CIVIL DEFENSE SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Special subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 8200, to provide for construction of fallout shelters in all Federal Government buildings, with testimony in open session from Steuart L. Pittman, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Civil Defense); and with testimony in secret session from Mr. Pittman and Brig. Gen. Glenn A. Kent, Office of Defense Research and Engineering, DOD.

Hearings continue on Friday, December 13.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 469, to admit to American registry the vessels ***Fort Town, Maple City,*** and ***Windmill Point;*** S. 1322, authorizing the vessel ***Eugenie II*** to be documented as a vessel of the U.S.; and S. 2317, to amend the Shipping Act so as to provide for the exemption of certain terminal leases from penalties (amendment in the nature of a substitute bill).

Also, committee agreed to hold hearings, at a date as yet undetermined, on S. 2345, and other pending firearms legislation.

ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee began hearings in connection with its study of transportation on the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Seaway, having as its witnesses Clarence D. Martin, Under Secretary of Commerce for Transportation; and Joseph H. McCann, Administrator, St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee concluded its series of hearings on H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, after receiving testimony from William McC. Martin, Jr., Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Committee will begin executive consideration of this bill tomorrow.

FOREIGN SERVICE AND PEACE CORPS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendment S. 745, providing for adjustments in annuities under the Foreign Service Retirement and Disability System; and H.R. 9009, to increase the authorizations for the administration of the Peace Corps Act.

SLEEPING BEAR DUNES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Public Lands Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 792, providing for the establishment of the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, Mich.

VETERANS' NURSING HOME CARE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs held hearings on H.R. 8009, authorizing the VA Administrator to establish up to 4,000 additional beds for furnishing nursing home care to eligible veterans. Witnesses heard were John P. Harrington, of Holyoke, Mass., and John L. Quigley, of Chelsea, Mass., both of the National Association of State Veterans' Homes; Ernest W. Wixom, Michigan Veterans' Facilities, Grand Rapids; Lawrence E. Eaton, Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Grand Island, Nebr.; and Eugene Copenhaver, Oklahoma State Veterans' Home Facilities.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS AND COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 53 postmaster nominations; H.R. 5179, authorizing the Postmaster General to enter into agreements for the transportation of mail by passenger common carriers by motor vehicle; and H.R. 5778, to increase from 10 to 20 miles the area within which the Postmaster General may establish post office branches.

ACCELERATED PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Public Works: Special subcommittee began hearings on S. 1856 and S. 1121, increasing authorizations to carry out the Public Works Acceleration Act, with testimony from Senators Gore and Walters, who accompanied and introduced a delegation of officials from various cities in Tennessee; Dr. Sar Levitan, professor of labor economics, George Washington University; and Fred Rhoads, chairman, Clearfield County Commission, Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. Res. 217, to authorize a study by the Committee on Public Works of a national system of scenic highways (with an additional amendment—would provide $10,000); H.R. 8751, to print as a House document annual proceedings of AMVETS; S. 2311, to print compilations of materials relating to annual national high school and college debate topics; H. Con. Res. 230, to print additional copies of the study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable Trusts—Their Impact on Our Economy—Second Installment"; H. Con. Res. 231, to print additional copies of study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable Trusts—Their Impact on Our Economy"; H. Con. Res. 237, to print additional copies of certain U.S. Supreme Court opinions dealing with offering of prayers in public schools; S. Con. Res. 67, to print for the use of Committee on Public Works certain information on water pollution control; S. Res. 230, to print as a Senate document eulogies to the late President John F. Kennedy, delivered in the rotunda of the Capitol on November 24, 1963; and two original resolutions (S. Res. 233, 234) authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee continued its executive hearings on financial and business activities of Senate employees or former Senate employees (pursuant to S. Res. 212), having as its witness Brandon Marsh, of Melpar, Inc.

Hearings continue on Thursday, December 12.

SERVICES FOR THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Federal, State, and Community Services for the Elderly held an executive organizational meeting, following which it announced that it had tentatively scheduled hearings for Tuesday, January 14, 1964, on proposals to provide Federal matching funds for State and local programs for the aged.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 9407–9419; 3 private bills, H.R. 9420–9422; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 855–861, H. Con. Res. 244, and H. Res. 581–585, were introduced. **Pages 23954, 24005–24006**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 852, authorizing the Commission established to report upon the assassination of President John F. Kennedy to compel the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of evidence (H. Rept. 1013);

S. 1319, to amend the U.S. Code with respect to the escape or attempted escape of juvenile delinquents, amended (H. Rept. 1014);

H.R. 7508, to establish jurisdiction and venue for appeals from orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission in judicial cases (H. Rept. 1015);

H. Res. 582, open rule providing for the consideration of, and 2 hours of debate on, H.R. 6041, to amend the prevailing wage sections of the Davis-Bacon Act, as amended, and related sections of the Federal Airports Act, as amended, and the National Housing Act, as amended (H. Rept. 1016);

H. Res. 583, open rule, providing for the consideration of, and 2 hours of debate on, H.R. 8720, to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962 (H. Rept. 1017);

H.R. 9341, to provide that the Commission on the Disposition of Alcatraz Island shall have 6 months after its formation in which to make its report to Congress (H. Rept. 1018);

Conference report on H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins (H. Rept. 1019);

H.R. 4732, changing the name of the U.S. Olympic Association to the U.S. Olympic Committee (H. Rept. 1020);

H.R. 9234, to incorporate the Little League Baseball, Inc. (H. Rept. 1021);

H.J. Res. 658, authorizing and requesting the President to proclaim 1964 as "See America Year," amended (H. Rept. 1022);

H.J. Res. 680, requesting the President to designate 1964 as "U.S. Customs Year" (H. Rept. 1023);

H.R. 8459, to amend Federal Credit Union Act to allow Federal credit unions greater flexibility in their organizations and operations (H. Rept. 1024); and

Conference report on H.R. 4955, to strengthen and improve the quality of vocational education and to expand the vocational education opportunities in the Nation (H. Rept. 1025). **Page 24005**

Appropriations: H.R. 9139, the military construction appropriation bill, and H.R. 9140, the public works appropriation bill, were sent to conference when the House disagreed to Senate amendments thereto; agreed to conferences requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Sheppard, Sikes, Cannon, Jonas, and Cederberg, on H.R. 9139. Representatives Cannon, Kirwan, Fogarty, Jensen, and Pillion were designated conferees on H.R. 9140. **Page 23940**

Private Bill: H.R. 1395, a private bill, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to a Senate amendment thereto. **Page 23941**

Kennedy Assassination: By a voice vote the House passed without amendment S.J. Res. 137, authorizing the Commission established to report on the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, to compel the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of evidence, and sent the legislation to the White House. **Pages 23941–23942**

President's Message—Kennedy Coin: Received and read a message from the President transmitting a draft of a proposed bill providing for the coinage of 50-cent pieces with the likeness of the late President John F. Kennedy. The message and bill were referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 181). **Page 23953**

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 1 of the Committee on the Judiciary was granted permission to sit during general debate of House sessions on Wednesday, December 11. **Page 23954**

Independent Offices Appropriations: By a record vote of 356 yeas to 22 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 8747, making appropriations for sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, corporations, agencies, and offices for fiscal year 1964. Six Senate amendments were reported in disagreement and on which the following actions were taken:

Amendments Nos. 2 and 84 were concurred in by the House with amendments;

On amendments Nos. 81, 82, and 91, the House receded and concurred therein; and

The House voted to insist on its disagreement to amendment No. 92 after rejecting by a record vote of 170 yeas to 204 nays a preferential motion to recede and concur in amendment No. 92. Amendment No. 92 provides funds for site and planning expenses involved in construction of a VA hospital at Bay Pines, Fla.
Pages 23942–23953

Committee Resignations: Received and read letters of resignation of the following Members from membership on the following committees:

Representative Thornberry from Committee on Rules;

Representative Young from Committee on Public Works;

Representative Shelley from Committee on Appropriations; and

Representative McFall from Committee on Public Works and Committee on House Administration.
Pages 23953–23954

Committee Elections: Adopted H. Res. 581, electing Representative McFall to membership on the Committee on Appropriations; and Representative Young to membership on the Committee on Rules. **Page 23954**

Air Pollution Control: By a record vote of 273 yeas to 109 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 6518, to improve, strengthen, and accelerate programs for the prevention and abatement of air pollution, and sent the legislation to the Senate.
Pages 23954–23967

Calendar Wednesday: Objection was raised to a request to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of December 11. **Page 23967**

Foreign Aid Appropriations: Agreed to make in order on Monday next the consideration of the fiscal 1964 foreign aid appropriation bill. **Page 23971**

Committee To Sit: The Select Committee on Government Research was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House sessions for the balance of the week. **Page 23978**

Indigent Defendants: By a record vote of 345 yeas to 12 nays the House adopted H. Res. 579, the rule providing for the consideration of H.R. 7457, to provide legal assistance for indigent defendants in criminal cases in U.S. courts. The consideration of the legislation was deferred to a later date. **Pages 23967–23971**

Bills Referred: Three Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 24004**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit, in executive session, approved the following watershed projects: Fishing Creek, Ga.; Little Cache, Ill.; Grant-Shanghai, Kans.; and Glen Hills, Wis. Also gave provisional approval to the Briar Creek, Pa.; and Clam River, Mass., watershed projects.

Prior to executive action the subcommittee held an open hearing on the projects with testimony from Representatives Pilcher, Gray, Skubitz, Johnson of Wisconsin, and Nelsen; and Agriculture Department officials.

Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Vinson, Halleck, Quie, and Schneebeli.

Recessed until Wednesday, December 11.

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to continue a review of Navy research and development programs. Testimony was given by Navy Department witnesses. Recessed until Wednesday, December 11.

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Resumed hearings on bills to lift restrictions on the lending authorities of national banks and Federal savings and loan associations. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Wednesday, December 11.

COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on the Columbia Plaza urban renewal project, and heard testimony from a public witness.

SHORTER WORKWEEK

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on shorter workweek legislation, and heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Wednesday, December 11.

LAOS—CAMBODIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing on Laos and Cambodia by Roger Hilsman, Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs.

KINZUA DAM—SENECA NATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met in executive session to consider H.R. 1794, and related bills, to authorize the acquisition of and the payment for a flowage easement and rights-of-way over lands within the Allegany Indian Reservation in New York, required by the U.S. for the Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, and to provide for the relocation, rehabilitation, and social and economic development of the members of the Seneca Nation. No final action was taken.

BROADCAST COMMERCIALS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measure:

H.R. 8316, to provide that the Federal Communications Commission may not prescribe standards with respect to length or frequency of broadcast advertisements.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

S. 1319 (amended), to make it a Federal crime for a juvenile delinquent to escape or to assist in escape from the custody of the Attorney General;

H.R. 7508, to establish jurisdiction and venue for appeals from orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission in judicial cases;

H.R. 9341, to provide that the Commission on the Disposition of Alcatraz Island shall have 6 months after its formation in which to make its report to Congress;

H.J. Res. 852, authorizing the Commission established to report upon the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, to compel the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of evidence;

H.R. 4732, to change the name of the U.S. Olympic Association to the U.S. Olympic Committee;

H.J. Res. 680, to request the President to designate 1964 as "U.S. Customs Year";

H.R. 9234, to incorporate the Little League Baseball, Inc.;

S. 741 (amended), to prohibit schemes in interstate or foreign commerce from influencing by bribery the outcome of sporting contests;

H.J. Res. 658 (amended), to request the President of the U.S. to issue a proclamation designating 1964 as "See America Year";

H.J. Res. 848 (amended), to provide for the designation of the month of February in each year as "American Heart Month"; and

S.J. Res. 113 (amended), to authorize the President to issue annually a proclamation designating the first week in March of each year as "Save Your Vision Week."

Recommitted to Subcommittee No. 3 H.R. 7912, to clarify the provisions of law authorizing the commitment of a Federal criminal defendant to the custody of the Attorney General for observation and diagnosis after conviction.

COURT OF CLAIMS COMMISSIONERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 102 (amended), to provide for five additional commissioners of the U.S. Court of Claims, and to establish a retirement system for commissioners.

WATER POLLUTION—ABANDONED MINES

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 3166, and related measures, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act; and H.R. 6844, and related bills, to provide for the sealing off of abandoned coal mines. Heard testimony from James Quigley, Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; and public witnesses. Hearings continue on Wednesday, December 11.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT-TRAINING

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 8720, to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 6041, to amend the prevailing wage sections of the Davis-Bacon Act.

Representatives Dowdy, Bell, Harrison, Griffin, Watson, Alger, and Pucinski were heard on the request for a rule.

SOCIAL SECURITY—DUTY—TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 9393 (amended), to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide full retroactivity for disability determinations, to extend the period within which ministers may elect coverage, and to validate wages erroneously reported for certain engineering aids employed by soil and water conservation districts in Oklahoma;

H.R. 9311, to continue for 2 years the suspension of duty on certain alumina and to make permanent the suspension of duty on certain bauxite; and

H.R. 6455 (amended), to amend subsection (b) of section 512 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, regarding unrelated business taxable income.

DUAL DISTRIBUTION

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on dual distribution in small business; and heard testimony from Eugene P. Foley, Administrator, Small Business Administration.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 9140, fiscal year 1964 appropriations for public works, and continued their work on this matter into an evening session.

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Wednesday, December 11, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate heard speeches in tribute to memory of the late President Kennedy.

Senate

Chamber Action

Kennedy Memorial Addresses: Addresses in tribute to the memory of the late President John F. Kennedy were delivered by the Members of the Senate.

Pages 24102–24197

Authority To Meet: All committees were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Thursday, December 12, until noon. **Page 24198**

Foreign Aid: Senate rescinded its agreement to take a vote not later than 3 p.m. Thursday, December 12, on conference report on H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964. **Page 24198**

State, Justice, Commerce Appropriations: Senate took up H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies. **Page 24198**

Recess: Recessed at 6:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY

Committee on Commerce: Special subcommittee continued hearings in connection with its study of transportation on the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Seaway, having as its witnesses Joseph H. McCann, Administrator, St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation; Vince F. Caputo, Director for Transportation and Warehousing Policy, Department of Defense; F. R. Heller, Assistant Chief, Operations Division (Civil Works), Corps of Army Engineers; and Kenneth E. Ogren, Division of Economic Research Service, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

VESSEL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Commerce: The Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1773, to encourage investment in the merchant marine by establishing a program of assistance in vessel construction; and S. 1774, to authorize construction differential subsidies for certain qualified merchant marine operators. Witnesses heard were Senator Neuberger; Alvin Shapiro, American Merchant Marine Institute, Inc.; E. N. Altman, American Maritime Association; John L. Weller, president, Seatrain Lines, Inc.; Hoyt Haddock, AFL–CIO Maritime Committee; Peter E. Terzick, United Brotherhood of Carpenters & Joiners of America; and Howard Adams, Pacific Far East Lines.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee began its executive consideration of H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, but made no announcements, and will meet again tomorrow.

NATIONAL SECURITY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations met in executive session to hear Secretary of State Dean Rusk testify and answer questions with regard to his role and the role of the Department of State in the national security policy process.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

FIRE ISLAND NATIONAL SEASHORE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1365, authorizing establishment of the Fire Island National Seashore on Great South Beach, N.Y., with testimony from the following witnesses: Senators Javits and Keating; James K. Carr, Under Secretary, accompanied by other officials of the Department of the Interior; Henry Diamond, who presented a statement of Laurance Rockefeller, of the New York State Council of Parks; Maurice Barbash, Citizens Committee for a Fire Island

National Seashore; H. Lee Dennison, an official of Suffolk County; Charles R. Dominy, Brookhaven town supervisor, New York; Charles Lowery, Fire Island Association; Dr. Robert C. Murphy, a noted naturalist; Mrs. Donald Larson, Suffolk League of Women Voters; Michael Nadel, the Wilderness Society; and Frederick M. Keith, New York Metropolitan Region Association.

It was announced that the subcommittee would hold field hearings on this bill sometime in April.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of George Clifton Edwards, Jr., of Michigan, to be U.S. circuit judge for the sixth circuit; and Eugene G. Hulett, to be U.S. marshal for the district of Oregon; S. 2364, to provide that the Commission on the Disposition of Alcatraz Island shall have 6 months after its formation in which to make its report to the Congress; and H.R. 4839, a private claim bill.

COLOMBIAN DRUG COMPANIES

Committee on the Judiciary: The Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee met in executive session and agreed to a resolution extending for 90 days the subpenas now outstanding calling for documents on American drug company operations in Colombia, which subpenas were previously due on January 2, 1964.

Subsequently, the full committee, in executive session, voted to ratify this action of the subcommittee in order to avoid any legal problems due to the expiration of the subcommittee's current authority on January 31, 1964.

CIVIL SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: The Civil Service Subcommittee held hearings on S. 14 and H.R. 10, to extend the apportionment requirement of the Civil Service Act to temporary summer employment, having as its witnesses Representative Beckworth; and John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, who was accompanied by Warren B. Irons, Executive Director, both of the Civil Service Commission.

It was announced that the record would remain open through Friday, December 13, for the inclusion of additional written material.

ACCELERATED PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Public Works: Special subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1856 and S. 1121, to increase authorizations to carry out the Public Works Acceleration Act, having as its witnesses Senator Williams of New Jersey; Thomas Whelan, mayor of Jersey City; Paul Busse, city administrator, Newark, who represented Mayor Hugo Addonizio; W. W. Dumas, East Baton Rouge Parish, Baker, La.; B. A. Reynolds, of Selma, Ala., Association of County Commissioners; Andrew Divine, Lucas County, Toledo, Ohio; J. M. Gleason, Multnomah County, Portland, Oreg.; and Irving G. McNayr, county manager, Dade County Metropolitan Government, Florida.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Housing for the Elderly held hearings to receive testimony on current operations and accomplishments of Federal housing programs for the elderly, having as its witnesses Sidney Spector, Assistant Administrator for Housing for Senior Citizens; Sidney H. Woolner, Commissioner of the Community Facilities Administration; Stanley Berman and C. Franklin Daniels, both of the Federal Housing Administration; and Joseph Burstein, Public Housing Administration, all of the Housing and Home Finance Agency; and Bernard H. Polk, Assistant Administrator, and Louis D. Malotky, both of the Farmers Home Administration, Department of Agriculture.

Subcommittee announced that it would hold hearings in the field some time in the month of January.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Seven public bills, H.R. 9423–9429; three private bills, H.R. 9430–9432; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 862 and H. Res. 586, were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 622, relating to collective bargaining and adoption of railroad policies and practices by employees of the Alaska Railroad (H. Rept. 1026); and

Conference report on H.R. 9140, the public works appropriation bill for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 1027).

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Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee No. 3 of the Committee on the Judiciary was granted permission to sit during general debate of the House sesssion on December 12.

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Foreign Aid Appropriations: Objection was raised to a request for the Committee on Appropriations to have until midnight, December 14, to file a report on the fiscal 1964 foreign aid appropriation bill.

Pages 24198–24199

D.C. Codes: The following two bills were cleared for Presidential action by House concurrence in Senate amendments thereto:

D.C. Code: H.R. 4157, to revise, codify, and enact part II of the D.C. Code, "Judiciary and Judicial Procedure."

D.C. Commercial Code: H.R. 5338, to enact the Uniform Commercial Code for the District of Columbia.

Pages 24199–24200, 24212

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat heard testimony from public witnesses on pending wheat legislation. Hearings continue Thursday, December 12.

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved the following watershed projects: Little Shenango River, Pa. (amended); Marsh Creek, Pa. (amended); Briar Creek, Pa. (amended); Broad Brook, Mass.; Bradley Brook, Mass.; and Clam River, Mass.

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to continue review of Navy research and development programs. Heard testimony from Navy Department officials.

BANKING RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on legislation to lift restrictions on the lending authorities of national banks and Federal savings and loan associations. Heard testimony from James J. Saxon, Comptroller of the Currency.

D.C. MINIMUM WAGE

Committee on District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 8423, to amend the D.C. minimum wage law. Heard testimony from a D.C. official and public witnesses.

COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on the Columbia Plaza urban renewal project. Heard testimony from a public witness.

SHORTER WORKWEEK

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings regarding a shorter workweek, and heard testimony from a public witness.

NATIONAL SERVICE CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 5625, the National Service Corps bill.

PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing on current developments in the Pacific area. Heard testimony from Adm. Harry Felt, Commander in Chief of the Pacific.

WORLD'S FAIR—DETROIT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements heard testimony from Representatives Ryan of Michigan, Lesinski, and Staebler, and public witnesses, on H. Con. Res. 173, commending citizens of Michigan for their efforts relative to a proposed World's Fair in Detroit.

PUBLIC LANDS—WILDLIFE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 5302 (amended), to convey certain lands in the Newton area, California, to Clarence J. Wilder;

H.R. 3396 (amended), to authorize the addition of lands to Morristown National Historical Park, N.J.; and

S. 793 (amended), to promote conservation of Nation's wildlife resources on the Pacific Flyway.

Also considered proposed committee resolution regarding transmission line rights-of-way across public lands.

RAILROADS—AVIATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 8344, to amend the Railway Labor Act to provide that the terms of office of members of the National Mediation Board shall expire on July 1; and

H.R. 8673, to amend the Federal Aviation Act to provide that the validity of a recorded instrument as provided for by such act shall be governed by the laws of the place in which such instrument is delivered.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony and acted on several private claim bills.

OBNOXIOUS MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 319 (amended), to protect postal patrons from obscene mail matter and Communist propaganda by permitting the addressee to return such mail to the Post Office Department to notify the sender to remove his name from the mailing list.

WATER POLLUTION—ABANDONED MINES

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on H.R. 3166, and related measures, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act; and H.R. 6844, and related bills, to provide for the sealing off of abandoned coal mines. Heard testimony from Representative Edwards; and public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

TARIFFS—TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 2330 (amended), to amend the Tariff Act of 1930, regarding importation of antiques;

H.R. 98, to amend Internal Revenue Code with respect to exportation of imported distilled spirits;

H.R. 5739 (amended), to amend the Internal Revenue Code regarding life insurance companies;

H.R. 8975 (amended), to provide for the tariff classification of certain particleboard;

H.R. 8461, to amend the Tariff Act of 1930, regarding importation of cigars made of tobacco;

H.R. 7267 (amended), to amend the Internal Revenue Code regarding refunds of gasoline taxes by aerial applicators; and

H.R. 7301 (amended), to amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to collapsible corporations.

GOVERNMENT RESEARCH

Select Committee on Government Research: Resumed hearings on current Government research programs, and heard testimony from Eugene P. Foley, Administrator, Small Business Administration; William C. Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; other departmental officials; and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Conferees, in an evening executive session on Tuesday, December 10, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 9140, fiscal 1964 appropriations for public works.

MARKING OF IMPORTED ARTICLES

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the difference between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2513, requiring new packages of imported articles to be marked so as to indicate country of origin. As agreed by the conferees, the House would accept the Senate amendment thereto, having an effective date of March 31, 1964, instead of June 1963.

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Thursday, December 12, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared public works appropriations for President.

Senate passed State, Justice, Commerce appropriations, 10 measures on calendar call, and agreed to vote December 13 on foreign aid bill.

House passed bill amending Manpower Development and Training Act and adopted conference report on vocational education bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24336–24365

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2376–2383; S.J. Res. 138–139; and S. Res. 235. Page 24330

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1322, authorizing the vessel *Eugenie II* to be documented as a vessel of the U.S. (S. Rept. 768);

S. 385, extending maximum maturity of certain VA guaranteed or insured home loans to 35 years, with minority views (S. Rept. 769);

S. 2317, to amend the Shipping Act so as to provide for the exemption of certain terminal leases from penalties, with amendment in the nature of a substitute (S. Rept. 770);

H.R. 4839, for the relief of certain persons involved in the negotiation of forged or fraudulent Government checks issued at Parks Air Force Base, Calif. (S. Rept. 771);

S. 2364, to provide that the Commission on the Disposition of Alcatraz Island shall have 6 months after its formation in which to make its report to the Congress (S. Rept. 772);

S. 1767, authorizing conveyance of U.S. interest in Fort Miles, Del., to the State of Delaware, with amendment (S. Rept. 773);

H.R. 2664, exempting from military service a sole-surviving son of a family when the father died as a result of military service (S. Rept. 774);

H.R. 3005, to permit persons lawfully admitted to the U.S. for permanent residence to enlist in the Armed Forces Reserves (S. Rept. 775); and

H.R. 4338, authorizing travel allowances for service personnel under orders which are later canceled (S. Rept. 776). Page 24330

Receipt and Signing of Bills: Senate adopted S. Res. 235, authorizing receipt of messages from the House and the signing of enrolled bills and joint resolutions during adjournments or recesses. Page 24329

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar 10 measures were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Peace Corps: H.R. 9009, to increase the authorizations for the administration of the Peace Corps Act; and

Printing: H.R. 8751, to print as a House document annual proceedings of AMVETS.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Printing: S. 2311, to print compilations of materials relating to annual national high school and college debate topics.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 230, to print as a Senate document eulogies to the late President John F. Kennedy, delivered in the rotunda of the Capitol on November 24, 1963;

Gratuities: S. Res. 233–234, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees;

Printing: S. Con. Res. 67, to print for the use of Committee on Public Works certain information on water pollution control;

Printing: H. Con. Res. 230, to print additional copies of the study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable Trusts—Their Impact on Our Economy—Second Installment";

Printing: H. Con. Res. 231, to print additional copies of the study "Tax-Exempt Foundations and Charitable Trusts—Their Impact on Our Economy"; and

Printing: H. Con. Res. 237, to print additional copies of certain U.S. Supreme Court opinions dealing with offering of prayers in public schools. Pages 24333–24336

State, Justice, Commerce Appropriations: Senate passed with amendments H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, after adopting the following amendments: All committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of amendment; by 50 yeas to 33 nays, modified Keating amendment to increase by $60,000 funds for Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice (motion to reconsider tabled).

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference and appointed as conferees Senators McClellan, Ellender, Magnuson, Holland, Fulbright, Smith, Saltonstall, and Mundt. Pages 24365, 24368–24370, 24374–24387

Public Works Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 9140, fiscal 1964 appropriations for public works. This action cleared bill for the President. Pages 24402–24415

Mail Transportation: H.R. 5179, authorizing the Postmaster General to enter into agreements for the transportation of mail by passenger common carriers by motor vehicle, was passed with amendment by Senator Aiken of a technical corrective nature. Pages 24332–24333, 24415–24416

Post Office Branches: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 5778, to increase from 10 to 20 miles the area within which the Postmaster General may establish post office branches. Pages 24333, 24416

Foreign Aid: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when Senate meets on Friday, December 13, further debate on conference report on H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964, will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided between Senators Fulbright and Morse, with vote thereon to be taken at 2 p.m. Pages 24387, 24389–24396, 24416–24420, 24433–24444

Private Bill: By unanimous consent, H.R. 5083, private bill, was taken from calendar and recommitted to Committee on the Judiciary. Page 24332

Treaty Received: Protocol for the prolongation of the International Sugar Agreement of 1958, signed at London September 27, 1963, was received and referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 24329

Confirmations: 93 postmasters were confirmed. Pages 24445–24446

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the foreign aid program, receiving testimony from Secretary Dean Rusk, Harlan Cleveland, Assistant Secretary for International Organization Affairs, and Phillips Talbot, Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, all of the Department of State; David E. Bell, Director, Frank M. Coffin, Deputy Administrator for Operations, and William S. Gaud, Assistant Administrator for Near East and South Asia, all of the Agency for International Development; and Gen. Robert J. Wood, Director of Military Assistance, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs, and Frank K. Sloan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Regional Affairs), ISA.

Hearings continue tomorrow, also in executive session, when Peace Corps Director Sargent Shriver will be heard.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1767, authorizing conveyance of U.S. interest in Fort Miles, Del., to the State of Delaware (amended); H.R. 4338, authorizing travel allowances for service personnel under orders which are later canceled; H.R. 2664, exempting from military service a sole-surviving son of a family when the father died as a result of military service (amended); H.R. 3005, to permit persons lawfully admitted to the U.S. for permanent residence to enlist in the Armed Forces Reserves; and one nomination in the Marine Corps. The committee adopted the report of its Subcommittee on the Operation of Article VII of the NATO Status of Forces Treaty.

Committee also considered, but took no action on, H.R. 2988, to increase authorizations for participation of military personnel in international sports activities; H.R. 7356, to change the method of selection of candidates for appointment to the Military and Air Force Academies; and the nomination of Maj. Gen. Andrew J. Goodpaster, for promotion to the rank of lieutenant general, and for the proposed assignment as Assistant to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony was received from Senator McNamara in connection with the nomination of General Goodpaster; Senator Williams of Delaware, who testified on S. 1767; Col. J. W. Scanlan, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, Air Force, who discussed the provisions of H.R. 4338; Lt. Col. Hulett D. Smith, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, Army, who testified in connection with H.R. 2664; Col. Robert H. Camp, Office of Reserve Components, Army, who discussed H.R. 3005; and William G. McNamara, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs, and Lt. Col. Gene Myers, Chief of the Sports Branch, Office of the Adjutant General, Army, both of whom testified on H.R. 2988.

VESSEL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Commerce: Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1773, to encourage investment in the merchant marine by establishing a program of assistance in vessel construction, and S. 1774, to authorize construction differential subsidies for certain qualified merchant marine operators. Testimony was received from Representatives O'Konski and Blatnik, the latter of whom submitted a written statement; Marvin Fast, Great Lakes Commission, Ann Arbor, Mich.; J. A. Hirshfield, Lake Carriers Association, Cleveland; Adam E. Cornelius, Jr., American Steamship Co., Buffalo; George M. Steinbrenner, Kinsman Marine Transit Co., Cleveland; Troy H. Browning, Browning Lines, Inc., Detroit; John S. Wilbur, Cleveland-Cliffs Iron Co., Cleveland; C. Thorne Murphy, McLouth Steel Corp., Detroit; Hugo E. Johnson, American Iron Ore Association, Cleveland; Laurence E. Sinclear, port director, city of Superior, Wis.; B. Barstow, Fraser-Nelson Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co., Inc., Superior; William H. Jory, American Shipbuilding Co., Lorain, Ohio; and Day Peckinpaugh, Buckeye Steamship Co., Cleveland, who submitted a written statement.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its executive consideration of H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, and took certain tentative actions on the Long of Louisiana simplified tax method amendment 228, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

Committee announced that it will hold hearings on Monday, December 16, on H.R. 8864, International Coffee Agreement Act, which will be followed by an executive meeting thereon, if time permits.

CHAMIZAL CONVENTION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on Executive N, 88th Congress, 1st session, a Convention with Mexico for the Solution of the Problem of the Chamizal (an area of land situated north of the Rio Grande, in the El Paso-Ciudad Juarez region). Witnesses heard were Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary for Inter-American Affairs, and Abram Chayes, Legal Adviser, both of the State Department; Thomas C. Mann, U.S. Ambassador to Mexico; and J. F. Friedkin, U.S. Commissioner, International Boundary and Water Commission, U.S. and Mexico.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DUAL COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: The Civil Service Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1912 and

H.R. 7381, clarifying the law relating to employment of civilians in more than one position and civilian employment of retired military personnel. Witnesses heard were John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission, and his associates; Col. Winston G. Whall, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower; Dr. Linus Zink, Assistant Chief Medical Director, Veterans' Administration; Jerome Keating, National Association of Letter Carriers; Admiral Louis E. Denfeld, Retired Officers Association; John Mears, the American Legion; Francis W. Stover, Veterans of Foreign Wars; R. A. Means, Fleet Reserve Association; Colonel John Carlton, Reserve Officers Association; Col. Jackson V. Rambeau, Air Force Association; John Griner, American Federation of Government Employees; John A. McCart, Government Employees' Council, AFL–CIO; and Maj. Thomas L. Stafford (retired), Army.

Statements were submitted by Representative Henderson, and others.

It was announced that the record would remain open through Monday, December 16, for the inclusion of additional written material.

ACCELERATED PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Public Works: Special subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1856 and S. 1121, to increase authorizations to carry out the Public Works Acceleration Act, with testimony from Senators Metcalf and Hart; Jerome Cavanagh, mayor of Detroit; James H. J. Tate, mayor of Philadelphia; George Walter, mayor of Johnstown, Pa.; Robert Stokes, mayor of Clairton, Pa.; Hulett Smith, West Virginia Commissioner of Commerce; Cotton White, West Virginia Association of County Officials; Ben Stout, Association of County Commissioners, Clarksburg, W. Va.; Curtis Uhl, mayor of Vienna, Parkersburg, W. Va.; John Shanklin, mayor of Charleston, W. Va.; and John Whisman, who represented Governor Bert Combs of Kentucky.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee continued its executive hearings on financial and business activities of Senate employees or former Senate employees (pursuant to S. Res. 212).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 40 public bills, H.R. 9433–9472; 8 private bills, H.R. 9473–9480; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 863–867, H. Con. Res. 245, and H. Res. 587 and 588 were introduced.

Pages 24327–24328

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 1698, extending the time for commitment of vessel construction reserve funds (H. Rept. 1028);

S. 1172, authorizing amendment of contracts between shipowners and the United States dealing with vessels whose life has been extended by Public Law 86–518 (H. Rept. 1029);

S.J. Res. 113, to authorize the President to issue annually a proclamation designating the first week in March of each year as "Save Your Vision Week" (H. Rept. 1030);

H.J. Res. 848, to provide for the designation of the month of February in each year as "American Heart Month," amended (H. Rept. 1031);

H.R. 8344, relating to terms of office of members of National Mediation Board (H. Rept. 1032);

H.R. 8673, to amend title V of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to provide that the validity of an instrument the recording of which is provided for by such act shall be governed by the laws of the place in which such instrument is delivered (H. Rept. 1033);

Report of subcommittee of the Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Intergovernmental Committee for European Migration and Field Inspection of Operations Under Public Law 86–648 (Fair Share Refugee Act)" (H. Rept. 1034);

Conference report on H.R. 2513, to amend the Tariff Act of 1930 to require certain new packages of imported articles to be marked to indicate the country of origin (H. Rept. 1035); and

Conference report on H.R. 9139, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 1036).

Pages 24326–24327

HEW Appropriations: The Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to file by midnight Saturday a report on a resolution providing additional appropriations for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare in connection with the mental retardation program. Also agreed that on Thursday next the consideration of the resolution would be in order.

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D.C. Horizontal Property: H.R. 4276, to provide for the creation of horizontal property regimes in the District of Columbia, was cleared for Presidential consideration by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto.

Pages 24222–24226

Public Works Appropriations: By a record vote of 330 yeas to 47 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 9140, making appropriations for certain civil functions administered by the Department of Defense, certain agencies of the Department of the Interior, the Atomic Energy Commission, the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, the Tennessee Valley Authority, and certain river basin commissions for fiscal year 1964, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Senate amendments Nos. 5 and 19 were reported in disagreement and on which the House voted to recede and concur therein. **Pages 24226–24242**

Manpower Development and Training: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 8720, to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962.

Adopted the Gibbons amendment to reduce the authorization increase provided by the bill and to provide for a 3-year program in lieu of 4 years.

Also adopted an amendment designed to prevent any overlapping or conflict between this legislation and the Vocational Education Act.

H. Res. 583, the open rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 24242–24268**

Vocational Education: By a record vote of 301 yeas to 65 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 4955, to strengthen and improve the quality of vocational education and to expand the vocational education opportunities in the Nation, and sent the legislation to the Senate. A motion to recommit the conference report had been rejected earlier by a record vote of 180 yeas to 193 nays. **Pages 24268–24292**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat held a hearing on pending wheat legislation, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

RESEARCH-DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development concluded executive consideration of Navy research and development programs. Heard testimony from Navy Department officials. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

COMMEMORATIVE COIN—MEDALS—SMALL BUSINESS ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S. 298 (amended), to amend the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, which would expend the authority of the SBA to invest in small business investment companies;

H.R. 8693, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the Battle of Horseshoe Bend;

H.R. 9413, to provide for the coinage of 50-cent pieces bearing the likeness of John Fitzgerald Kennedy;

S. 2079, to provide for the striking of three different medals in commemoration of the Federal Hall National Memorial, Castle Clinton National Monument, and Statue of Liberty National Monument American Museum of Immigration in New York City, N.Y.; and

H.R. 9076, to provide for striking of medals in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the founding of St. Louis.

D.C. SECURITIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 9419 (amended, a clean bill introduced in lieu of H.R. 4200), to provide for the regulation of the sale of securities in the District of Columbia.

COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on the Columbia Plaza urban renewal project, and heard testimony from a public witness.

SHORTER WORKWEEK

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on proposed shorter workweek legislation, and heard testimony from a public witness.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

WILDLIFE—WATER RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 9032, to provide uniform policies with respect to recreation and fish and wildlife benefits and costs of Federal multiple-purpose water resource projects, and to provide the Secretary of the Interior with authority for recreation development of projects under his control. Testimony was given by departmental witnesses.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 took testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8650 (amended, a clean bill to be introduced), to amend the act establishing a Commission and Advisory Committee for an International Rules of Judicial Procedure; and H.R. 7031 (amended, a clean bill to be introduced), to improve judicial procedures for serving documents, obtaining evidence, and proving documents in litigation with international aspects.

An open hearing was held on H.R. 323, and related bills, regarding protection against unauthorized copying of original ornamental design. Heard testimony from Representatives Libonati, Flynt, and Ford; other Government officials; and public witnesses.

MONOCACY BATTLE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 9094 (amended), to authorize the President to declare July 9, 1964, as Monocacy Battle Centennial in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the Battle of Monocacy (struggle for the control of Washington, D.C.).

VESSEL CONSTRUCTION FUNDS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1698, to extend the time for commitment of vessel construction funds under the Merchant Marine Act of 1936.

TAXES—TARIFFS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7307 (amended), to limit the apportionment of mineral and timber depletion allowance under the Internal Revenue Code regarding certain contractors; and

H.R. 2652 (amended), to provide for duty-free importation of certain wools for use in the manufacture of polishing felts.

Recessed until Friday, December 13.

GOVERNMENT RESEARCH

Select Committee on Government Research: Continued hearings on current Government research programs. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Joint Committee Meetings

NATIONAL CULTURAL CENTER

Committees on Public Works of the Senate and the House of Representatives: Committees held joint hearings on H.J. Res. 828 and S.J. Res. 136, and related bills, to provide for renaming the National Cultural Center as the John Fitzgerald Kennedy Memorial Center, with testimony from Senators Fulbright and Saltonstall; Representative Thompson of New Jersey; and Roger L. Stevens, Chairman, Edward D. Stone, Architect, and Ralph E. Becker, General Counsel, all of the National Cultural Center.

Written statements for inclusion in the record were submitted by Senators Engle, Clark, Javits, and McGovern; and Representatives Fogarty, Kyl, Halpern, Martin of Massachusetts, Ullman, Sickles, Morse, McDowell, and Boland.

Hearings continue before the House Committee on Public Works on Monday, December 16.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Conferees resumed, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 9139, fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction.

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Friday, December 13, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared military construction appropriations for President.

Senate cleared numerous bills for President including those on foreign aid authorizations and on vocational education.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24486–24514

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2384–2388. Page 24487

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 7406, increasing U.S. participation in the Inter-American Development Bank (S. Rept. 777);

H.R. 6756, to revise the boundaries of Mesa Verde National Park, Colo. (S. Rept. 778); and

S. 2214, authorizing the U.S. to participate in an increase in the resources of the International Development Association (S. Rept. 779). **Page 24487**

Alcatraz Island: S. 2364, to provide that the Commission on the Disposition of Alcatraz Island shall have 6 months after its formation in which to make its report to the Congress, was passed without amendment. **Page 24455**

Alien Servicemen: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 3005, to permit persons lawfully admitted to the U.S. for permanent residence to enlist in the Armed Forces Reserves. **Page 24455**

Government Travel: H.R. 4338, authorizing travel allowances for service personnel under orders which are later canceled, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. **Page 24455**

Foreign Aid: By 61 yeas to 26 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate cleared for President H.R. 7885, authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964. This action resulted from adoption of conference report on the bill. **Pages 24451–24471**

Vocational Education: By 82 yeas to 4 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted conference report on and cleared for President H.R. 4955, authorizing Federal grants to States for improving vocational education assistance programs. **Pages 24472–24486**

Indian Vocational Training: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1868, relating to adult Indian vocational training. This action cleared the bill for the President's signature. **Page 24472**

Indians: S. 2139, to provide for disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians, Idaho, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. **Page 24472**

Manpower Development: By unanimous consent, H.R. 8720, to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, was taken from desk and passed without amendment, clearing the bill for President. Motion to reconsider this action was tabled. **Pages 24514–24515**

Authority To Report: Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to file report while Senate is in recess on the Convention With Mexico on the Problem of the Solution of the Chamizal (Ex. N, 88th Cong., 1st sess.). **Page 24489**

Military Construction Appropriations: H.R. 9139, fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction, was cleared for President when Senate adopted conference report thereon. **Pages 24516–24517**

Merchant Marine: S. 1322, authorizing the vessel *Eugenie II* to be documented as a vessel of the U.S., was passed without amendment. **Page 24522**

Private Bill: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 4839, for the relief of certain persons involved in the negotiation of forged or fraudulent Government checks issued at Parks Air Force Base, Calif. **Pages 24522–24523**

Public Lands—Delaware: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 1767, authorizing conveyance of U.S. interest in Fort Miles, Del., to the State of Delaware. **Pages 24524, 24541–24544**

Merchant Marine: S. 2317, to amend the Shipping Act so as to provide for the exemption of certain terminal leases from penalties, was passed with committee amendment. **Page 24547**

Legislative Accomplishments: Summaries of legislative business during the 1st session of the 88th Congress were presented on behalf of the majority and of the minority and were ordered to be printed as Senate documents. **Page 24489**

Nominations: The following nominations were received: 47 postmasters, 7 in the Coast Guard, and numerous Marine Corps. **Pages 24551–24552**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1964 budget estimates for the foreign aid program, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Robert Sargent Shriver, Jr., Director, the Peace Corps; Rutherford M. Poats, Acting Assistant Administrator, Far East, Agency for International Development; and Robert W. Barnett, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; and Frank K. Sloan, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

Hearings continue on Monday, December 16, in executive session.

CIVIL DEFENSE SHELTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Special subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 8200, to provide for construction of fallout shelters in all Federal Government buildings, with testimony from the following witnesses: William F. Schnitzler, AFL–CIO; David Aronberg, representing the American Legion; Dr. M. Guy West, Church of the Brethren; C. W. Griffin, Friends Committee on National Legislation; the Reverend Rodney Shaw, the Methodist Church; Dr. Tom Stonier, National Committee for a Sane Nuclear Policy, Inc.; William

F. Schreiber, associate professor of electrical engineering, MIT; Brig. Gen. J. D. Hittle, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States; and Mrs. Aileen Hutchinson, representing Women's International League for Peace & Freedom.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FIREARMS

Committee on Commerce: Committee began hearings on S. 1975, S. 2345, and other legislation to amend the Federal Firearms Act so as to more strictly regulate the interstate shipment and ownership of guns. Witnesses heard were Senators Dodd, Bayh, and Hickenlooper; Representative King of California, who submitted a statement; and Franklin J. Orth, National Rifle Association, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, December 18.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its executive consideration of H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, after which it announced that it had given tentative approval, with modifications, to the Long (Louisiana) simplified tax method amendment No. 228. Committee also considered the Hartke amendment No. 272, providing a tax credit for political contributions, and suggested modifications thereto, but did not conclude action thereon, and agreed that this amendment remain its pending order of business.

Committee announced that hearings originally scheduled for Monday, December 16, on H.R. 8864, proposed International Coffee Agreement Act, have been postponed until next year, following completion of consideration of tax bill.

Committee will meet again on Monday, December 16, to continue consideration of H.R. 8363.

INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK, AND THE CHAMIZAL

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 7406, increasing U.S. participation in the Inter-American Development Bank, and S. 2214, authorizing the U.S. to participate in an increase in the resources of the International Development Association. Committee also approved for reporting Convention With Mexico for the Solution of the Problem of the Chamizal (an area of land situated north of the Rio Grande, in the El Paso-Ciudad Juarez region) (Ex. N, 88th Cong., 1st sess.).

Prior to this action, committee concluded hearings on the Chamizal Convention, after receiving testimony from Senators Tower and Yarborough; Dr. S. L. Abbott, of El Paso; Frederick Hervey, former mayor of El Paso, representing the El Paso Chamber of Commerce; and Feliciano Hino Josa, president, Chamizal Civic Association.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 6756, to revise the boundaries of Mesa Verde National Park, Colo.; S. 792, to establish Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, Mich.; and S. 2125, to revitalize the domestic gold-mining industry.

Also, committee adopted a committee resolution, the sense of which would have the Secretary of the Interior make an investigation of the Price River and the San Pitch River basins, Utah, with particular reference to the interrelationship and coordination of the water resources of these river basins.

ACCELERATED PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Public Works: Special subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 1856 and S. 1121, to increase authorizations to carry out the Public Works Acceleration Act, with testimony from Senator Humphrey; Melvin L. Reese, city manager, Miami, Fla.; Dr. Leon Keyserling, a consulting economist, and former Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers; and John B. Buckley, mayor of Lawrence, Mass.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on financial and business activities of Senate employees or former Senate employees (pursuant to S. Res. 212), having as its witness Eugene Hancock, former president of the Serv U Corp., a vending machine company.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, December 17, in open session.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 9481–9494; 3 private bills, H.R. 9495–9497; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 868–874, and H. Res. 589 and 590, were introduced.

Pages 24594–24595

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5307, a private bill (H. Rept. 1037);

H.R. 9413, providing for the coinage of John Fitzgerald Kennedy 50-cent pieces (H. Rept. 1038); and

H.R. 4010, providing an adequate basis for administration of the Lake Mead National Recreation Area, Ariz. and Nev., amended (H. Rept. 1039).

Page 24594

Consent Calendar: Agreed to make in order on Tuesday, December 17, the call of the Consent Calendar and the consideration of bills under suspension of the rules.

Pages 24553–24554

Foreign Aid Appropriations: The Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to file a report on the 1964 fiscal foreign aid appropriation bill by midnight Saturday. **Page 24554**

Military Construction Appropriation: By a record vote of 301 yeas to 4 nays the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 9139, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1964, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Pages 24554–24562

Mail Transportation: H.R. 5179, to authorize the Postmaster General to enter into agreements for the transportation of mail by passenger common carriers by motor vehicle, was cleared for Presidential consideration by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto. **Page 24554**

State, Justice, Commerce Appropriations: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 7063, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, for fiscal year 1964; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Rooney of New York, Sikes, Cannon, Bow, and Lipscomb. **Page 24562**

Bills Referred: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to the Committee on House Administration. **Page 24593**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on proposed legislation to lift restrictions on the lending authority of national banks and Federal savings and loan associations, and heard testimony from William McChesney Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System.

INDONESIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Far East and the Pacific met in executive session for a briefing on Indonesia by Howard Jones, U.S. Ambassador to Indonesia.

KINZUA DAM PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1794 (amended), to authorize the acquisition of and the payment for a flowage easement and rights-of-way over lands within the Allegany Indian Reservation in New York, required by the U.S. for the Allegheny River (Kinzua Dam) project, and to provide for the relocation, rehabilitation, and social and economic development of the members of the Seneca Nation. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PATENT OFFICE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.R. 8190, to fix the fees payable to the Patent Office.

Representatives Willis and Mathias were heard on the request for a rule.

AIRPORTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on S. 1153, to extend the Federal Airport Act for 3 years and authorize grants for certain projects.

Representatives Harris and Williams were heard on the request for a rule.

LIBRARY SERVICES

Committee on Rules: Granted on open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 4879, the Library Services Act.

Heard on the request for a rule were Representatives Dent, Carey, and Martin of Nebraska.

TARIFF—TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 8798, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to permit corporations to be small business corporations while owning the stock of certain inactive subsidiary corporations;

H.R. 8050, to amend the Internal Revenue Code to provide tax-exempt status for nonprofit nurses' professional registries operated by nurses' professional associations;

H.R. 2855 (amended), relating to manufacturers' excise tax on electric light bulbs in sets or strings;

H.R. 4040 (amended), to amend the Internal Revenue Code relating to deduction for taxes;

H.R. 7480 (amended), to suspend for a temporary period the import duty on manganese ore and related products;

H.R. 5986 (amended), to amend the Tariff Act of 1930 with respect to the rate of duty on brooms made of broom corn;

H.R. 287, to include Nevada among those States which are permitted to divide their retirement system into two

parts for purposes of obtaining social security coverage under Federal-State agreement;

H.R. 1608 (amended), to provide that aircraft engines and propellers may be exported as working parts of aircraft; and

H.R. 4844, relating to release of liability under bonds filed under section 44(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1939.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

***Conferees* continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.**

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Saturday, December 14, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Foreign aid appropriation bill reported to House.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, December 16, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Two public bills, H.R. 9498 and 9499; and one resolution, H.J. Res. 875, were introduced. Page 24634

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 1040); and

H.J. Res. 875, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1964 for certain activities of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare related to mental retardation (H. Rept. 1041). Page 24634

The House met but transacted no legislative business.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Monday, December 16, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate agreed to postpone until January 14 consideration of bill on Inter-American Development Bank.

House passed foreign aid appropriations bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24636–24680

Bills Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2389–2393; and S. Res. 236. Page 24637

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2379, providing for the establishment of a National Arts Foundation (S. Rept. 780);

H.J. Res. 779, providing for membership and participation by the U.S. in the South Pacific Commission, with amendments (S. Rept. 781);

H.J. Res. 778, authorizing funds for U.S. participation in the Hague Conference on Private International Law (S. Rept. 782); and

H.R. 7044, to authorize $1.5 million for the construction of the Corregidor Bataan Memorial (S. Rept. 783). Page 24637

Courts: Senate passed H.R. 2985, permitting civil actions on tort claims to be brought in the district court of the district where the act or omission occurred, after adopting Robertson amendment respecting venue on claims involving automobiles. Page 24679

Mesa Verde National Park: H.R. 6756, to revise the boundaries of Mesa Verde National Park, Colo., was passed without amendment and cleared for White House. Page 24710

Tariff: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 2513, requiring new packages of imported articles to be marked so as to indicate country of origin. Pages 24709–24710

Inter-American Development Bank: Senate debated H.R. 7406, increasing U.S. participation in the Inter-American Development Bank, and agreed, by unanimous consent, to postpone further consideration of the bill until Tuesday, January 14, 1964, when at close of routine morning business Senate will again consider the bill with debate limited on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), to 1 hour, equally divided. It was also agreed in this connection that no nongermane amendment will be received, and that on question of final passage of the bill debate will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided. Pages 24679, 24699–24710, 24712–24714

Chamizal Treaty: It was agreed by unanimous consent that on Tuesday, December 17, immediately following prayer and approval of the Journal, Senate will go into executive session for consideration of Convention With Mexico on the Problem of the Solution of the Chamizal (Ex. N., 88th Cong., 1st sess.), with debate to be limited to 2 hours, equally divided, the vote on adoption of resolution of ratification to be taken not later than 2 p.m. Page 24710

Treaty Reported: Convention With Mexico for the Solution of the Problem of the Chamizal (Ex. N, 88th Cong., 1st sess.) was reported on December 14 under prior authority (Ex. Rept. 7.) Page 24636

Treaty Received: Partial revision of the radio regulations at Geneva, with annexes and the additional protocol, signed at Geneva November 1, 1963, by delegates of the U.S. and other countries (Ex. S, 88th Cong., 1st sess.), was received. Page 24680

Confirmations: Two judicial, and one Marine Corps nomination were confirmed. Page 24721

Nomination: One Navy nomination was received. Pages 24720–24721

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee concluded its executive hearings on H.R. 9499, fiscal 1964 appropriations for foreign aid, and related agencies, after receiving testimony from Edmond C. Hutchinson, Assistant Administrator, Agency for International Development; G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs; Frank K. Sloan, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; Teodoro Moscoso, U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress; and Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; all of whom were accompanied by their associates.

Committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to mark up this bill.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its executive consideration of H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, following which it announced that it had taken tentative action on amendments thereto as follows:

(1) Rejected Hartke amendment No. 272, providing a tax credit for political contributions;

(2) Adopted amendment by Senator Curtis allowing a tax deduction for political contributions not to exceed $50 for a separate return or $100 for a joint return;

(3) Rejected Gruening amendment No. 204 and an amendment by Senator Bennett relating to mining exploration expenditures;

(4) Adopted an amendment by Senator Anderson dealing with general tax liens;

(5) Approved Neuberger amendment No. 209 dealing with child care provision; and

(6) Rejected Hartke amendment No. 276 relating to the 10-percent excise tax on musical instruments.

Committee will continue consideration of this bill tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 7044, to authorize $1.5 million for the construction of the Corregidor-Bataan Memorial; H.J. Res. 778, authorizing funds for U.S. participation in the Hague Conference on Private International Law; H.J. Res. 779, providing for membership and participation by the U.S. in the South Pacific Commission; and a list of routine Foreign Service nominations.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee received testimony in connection with the above bills from

Robert J. Ballantyne, Officer in Charge, Philippine Affairs, Abram Chayes, Legal Adviser, and Edward E. Rice, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs, all of the Department of State.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 7 public bills, H.R. 9500–9506; 3 private bills, H.R. 9507–9509; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 876 and H. Res. 591–594, were introduced. **Page 24771**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6678, authorizing the conveyance of excess Federal lands at Fort Miles Military Reservation to State of Delaware, amended (H. Rept. 1042);

H. Res. 592, open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 4879, the Library Services Act (H. Rept. 1043);

H. Res. 593, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 8190, to fix the fees payable to the Patent Office (H. Rept. 1044);

H. Res. 594, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on S. 1153, to extend the Federal Airport Act for 3 years and to authorize grants for certain projects (H. Rept. 1045); and

H.R. 8000, the Interest Equalization Tax Act (H. Rept. 1046). **Page 24771**

Wright Brothers Day: H.J. Res. 335, designating the 17th day of December of each year as Wright Brothers Day, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to a Senate amendment thereto. **Pages 24721–24722**

Foreign Aid Appropriations: By a record vote of 250 yeas and 135 nays the House passed H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964. By a record vote of 218 yeas to 169 nays the House adopted a recommittal motion designed to incorporate language to bar use of funds of Export-Import Bank to guarantee credit of Communist governments.

In addition, two amendments were adopted; one of which deleted section 604 of the bill, which barred use of any funds for salaries or expenses of any official, employee, or other person serving in any office of any of the several States of the United States or any political subdivision thereof. The other amendment bars use of any funds to pay salaries of study group for creation of a domestic peace corps or the National Service Corps.

Rejected two amendments that sought to increase the economic assistance funds for international organizations and programs by $30,903,000 and $20 million.

An amendment similar to the recommittal motion failed of adoption while in the Committee of the Whole by a tie teller vote of 133 yeas to 133 nays. **Pages 24722–24760**

D.C. Appropriations: The conferees on the part of the House were granted permission to file by midnight Tuesday a conference report on H.R. 7431, making appropriations for the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for fiscal year 1964. **Page 24760**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of December 18. **Page 24762**

Bills Referred: Two Senate-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 24770**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat held a hearing on pending wheat legislation, and heard testimony from Department of Agriculture officials; and public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance heard testimony from Joseph W. Barr, Assistant to the Secretary of the Treasury, on H.R. 9022, to amend the International Development Association Act to authorize the U.S. to participate in an increase in the resources of the International Development Association.

COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on the Columbia Plaza urban renewal project. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue on Tuesday, December 17.

KENNEDY MEMORIAL CENTER

Committee on Public Works: Held a hearing on H.J. Res. 871, and related measures, to provide for renaming the National Cultural Center as the John Fitzgerald Kennedy Memorial Center and authorizing an appropriation therefor. Heard testimony from Representative Widnall; Dr. Leonard Carmichael, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution; and James Bradley, Assistant Secretary, Smithsonian Institution.

Statements were presented for the record by Senator Pell; Representatives Sickles, Boland, and Rosenthal; James K. Carr, Under Secretary of the Interior; T. Sutton Jett, Regional Director, National Capital Region, National Park Service; and a public witness.

TAXES—TARIFF—SOCIAL SECURITY

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 5050 (amended), to allow gasoline tax refunds for gasoline purchased by individuals engaged in furnishing taxicab service;

H.R. 3348 (amended), to extend the time within which teachers and other employees covered by the same retirement system in Maine may be treated as being covered by separate systems for purposes of old-age survivors, and disability insurance program;

H.R. 4364 (amended), a private bill;

H.R. 4649 (amended), to authorize the addition of volatile fruit-flavored concentrates in the celler treatment of wine;

H.R. 785 (amended), to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to permit corporations to qualify as real estate investment trusts;

H.R. 4252 (amended), to suspend the duties on imports and warehouse withdrawals of maleic hydrozide for 1 year;

H.R. 5468 (amended), to provide credit or refund for self-employment taxes paid in accordance with an agreement notwithstanding any other rule of law; and

H.R. 8268 (amended), to exempt from custom duty certain tobacco products exported and returned unchanged to the U.S. and subsequently reprocessed in the manufacturer's bonded factory.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

PACIFIC POWER

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1007, guaranteeing electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that area, but did not reach agreement, and recessed subject to call.

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Tuesday, December 17, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

House passed 78 sundry bills, adopted conference report on river basin planning bill, and acted on Senate amendments to legislative appropriation bill.

Senate committee approved foreign aid appropriations.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24873–24888

Bills Introduced: One bill was introduced, as follows: S. 2394. **Page 24874**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S.J. Res. 136, to change the name of the National Cultural Center to the John Fitzgerald Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, with amendments (S. Rept. 784). **Page 24874**

Bill Referred: H.R. 9499, fiscal 1964 appropriations for foreign aid, and related agencies, was referred to Committee on Appropriations when it was received from the House. **Page 24848**

Private Law Conference: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 778, authorizing funds for U.S. participation in the Hague Conference on Private International Law. **Page 24888**

South Pacific Commission: H.J. Res. 779, providing for membership and participation by the U.S., in the South Pacific Commission, was passed with committee amendments. **Page 24888**

Corregidor-Bataan: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 7044, to authorize $1.5 million for the construction of the Corregidor-Bataan Memorial. **Page 24888**

Draft Exemption: Senate took up H.R. 2664, exempting from military service a sole-surviving son of a family when the father died as a result of military service, and adopted the first committee amendment.

Order was entered that on the further consideration of the bill, following routine morning business on Wednesday, December 18, debate will be limited to 30 minutes, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), and that no nongermane amendment will be received. **Pages 24889–24890**

Treaty Ratified: By 79 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled) Senate adopted resolution of ratification respecting Convention With Mexico on the Problem of the Solution of the Chamizal (Ex. N, 88th Cong., 1st sess.). Prior to this action, Senate rejected, by 13 yeas to 64 nays, Tower reservation to make effectiveness of the treaty dependent on approval by the Texas legislature. **Pages 24848–24873**

Confirmations: Numerous nominations in the Diplomatic and Foreign Service were confirmed. **Page 24895**

Nominations: Senate received nomination of Thomas C. Mann, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of State, and the nomination of Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, to be placed on the retired list in the grade of vice admiral. **Page 24895**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 9499, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the foreign assistance program.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its executive consideration of H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, and amendments thereto, rejecting Long (Louisiana) amendment No. 229, which relates to travel and entertainment expenses (tentative action). Committee also considered other proposed amendments, but took no final action thereon.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

LEGISLATIVE JURISDICTION OVER LANDS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met briefly in executive session for the consideration of S. 815, providing for the adjustment of the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over public lands, but took no action, and recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S.J. Res. 109, to designate the period from January 12–18, 1964, as International Printing Week; 7 private immigration bills (S. 439, 1017, 1328, 2071, 2073, H.R. 1560, and 1887); and 13 private claims bills (S. 1445, H.R. 1532, 2292, 2364, 2772, 4099, 4505, 4759, 5746, 6181, 6468, 6807, and 7019).

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on two private immigration bills (S. 237 and 1777).

KENNEDY CULTURAL CENTER

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute S.J. Res. 136, to change the name of the National Cultural Center to the John Fitzgerald Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. As approved by the committee, the bill would provide $15,500,000 for matching voluntary contributions, and would authorize borrowing authority for construction of parking facilities of up to $15,400,000.

INVESTIGATION—SENATE EMPLOYEES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee continued, in open session, its hearings on financial and business activities of Senate employees or former Senate employees (pursuant to S. Res. 212 and 221), having as its witness Mrs. Gertrude Novak, a member of the staff of the Select Committee on Small Business, and who, with her late husband, was a former business partner of Robert G. Baker, former secretary for the majority of the Senate.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TECHNOLOGICAL RESOURCES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices resumed its series of hearings begun earlier this session on the role and effects of technology in the Nation's economy, having as its witnesses Dr. James R. Killian, president, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission; and Dr. Roger Revelle, dean of research, University of California.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AGING

Special Committee on Aging: Joint Subcommittee on Long-Term Care began hearings in connection with nursing homes for senior citizens, having as its witnesses Ellen Winston, Commissioner of Welfare, Dr. Louis Gerber, Chief of the Nursing Homes Branch, PHS, and Dr. Harold Graning, Director of Hospital and Medical Facilities, PHS, all of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 4 public bills, H.R. 9510–9513; 1 private bill, H.R. 9514; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 877 and 878, and H. Con. Res. 246, were introduced.

Pages 24823, 24848

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Three private bills, H.R. 4361, 4972, and 6748 (H. Repts. 1047–1049, respectively);

H.J. Res. 871, providing for renaming the National Cultural Center as the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and authorizing an appropriation therefor (H. Rept. 1050);

H.R. 9436, to establish a Commission and Advisory Committee on the International Rules of Judicial Procedure (H. Rept. 1051);

H.R. 9435, to improve judicial procedures for serving of documents, obtaining evidence, and proving documents in litigation with international aspects (H. Rept. 1052);

S. 741, to prohibit schemes in interstate or foreign commerce to influence by bribery the outcome of sporting contests, amended (H. Rept. 1053);

H.R. 8316, to provide that the Federal Communications Commission may not prescribe standards with respect to the length or frequency of broadcast advertisements (H. Rept. 1054);

Conference report on H.R. 7431, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District (H. Rept. 1055); and

Conference report on H.R. 7063, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 1056). Pages 24847–24848

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

National banks: S. 2228, to change the requirements for the annual meeting date for national banks;

Hawaii: S. 2275, authorizing the return of ceded lands to Hawaii when no longer used by the Federal Government; and

Alcatraz Island: S. 2364 (in lieu of H.R. 9341), to provide that the Commission on the Disposition of Alcatraz Island shall have 6 months in which to make its report to Congress.

Sent to the Senate, without amendment:

U.S. Customs Year: H.J. Res. 680, requesting the President to designate 1964 as "U.S. Customs Year";

U.S. Olympic Association: H.R. 4732, to change the name of the U.S. Olympic Association to the U.S. Olympic Committee;

Military real estate—California: H.R. 7499, to authorize the Secretary of the Air Force to convey 0.25 acre of land to the city of Oroville, Calif.;

ICC—jurisdiction—venue: H.R. 7508, to amend title 28, U.S. Code, to establish jurisdiction and venue for appeals from orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission in judicial reference cases;

Railway Labor Act: H.R. 8344, to amend the Railway Labor Act to provide that the terms of office of members of the National Mediation Board shall expire on July 1;

Federal credit unions: H.R. 8459, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act to allow Federal credit unions greater flexibility in their organizations and operations;

Presidential papers: H.R. 8465, to amend the act entitled "An act to organize and microfilm the papers of Presidents of the United States in the collections of the Library of Congress";

Aircraft instruments: H.R. 8673, to provide that the validity of an instrument the recording of which is provided for by such act shall be governed by the laws of the place in which such instrument is delivered;

Flood claims—Rio Grande: H.R. 8999, to provide for settlement of claims of certain inhabitants of the U.S. living in the area inundated by the sudden floods of the Rio Grande as a result of the construction of the Falcon Dam;

Little League Baseball: H.R. 9234, to incorporate the Little League Baseball; and

Containers: H.R. 9334, to amend the act of May 21, 1928, relating to standards of containers for fruits and vegetables, to permit the use of additional standard containers.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Save Your Vision Week: S.J. Res. 113, to authorize the President to issue annually a proclamation designating the first week in March of each year as "Save Your Vision Week";

Carlsbad Caverns: S. 1175 (in lieu of H.R. 7458), to revise the boundaries of the Carlsbad Caverns National Park in the State of New Mexico;

Juvenile delinquents—escape: S. 1319, to amend chapter 35 of title 18, U.S. Code, with respect to the escape or attempted escape of juvenile delinquents;

Alaska—public lands: S. 1756 (in lieu of H.R. 7170), to amend the Alaska Public Works Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to collect, compromise, or release certain claims held by him under that act;

See America Year: H.J. Res. 658, to authorize and request the President to proclaim 1964 as "See America Year";

Heart Month: H.J. Res. 848, to provide for the designation of the month of February in each year as "American Heart Month";

Public lands—California: H.R. 189, to authorize the conveyance of certain Federal land under the jurisdiction of the Naval Ordnance Test Station, China Lake, Calif., to the county of Kern, State of California;

Public lands—Massachusetts: H.R. 393, to make retrocession to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of jurisdiction over certain land in the vicinity of Fort Devens, Mass.;

Indians—Oregon: H.R. 1713, to approve an order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Klamath Indian irrigation project, Oregon;

Military real estate—Florida: H.R. 7248, to change the designated use of certain real property conveyed by the Department of the Air Force to the city of Fort Walton Beach, Fla., under the terms of Public Law 86–194;

Riverton reclamation project: H.R. 8171, to reauthorize the Riverton extension unit, Missouri River Basin project, to include all the Riverton reclamation project except the Muddy Ridge area; and

Smithsonian Institution: H.R. 9036, relating to the policing of the buildings and grounds of the Smithsonian Institution and its constituent bureaus.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S.J. Res. 17, S. 254, 1828, H.R. 1096, 4018, 5838, 8507, and 8937.

Stricken from calendar: H.J. Res. 852. Pages 24776–24793

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 212, 697, 966, 1097, 1129, 1269, 1479, 1516, and 1570.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1211, 4682, 5858, 5941, 6182, 6591, 7533, 7788, 8323, 8392, 8828, 8849, and 8931.

Sent to the Senate, amended: S. 1014, 1096, 1838, S. Con. Res. 57, H.R. 1182, 1355, 1384, 1392, 1403, 1451, 1520, 1521, 1886, 2818, 4085, 4284, 5302, 5500, 5584, 5982, 6313, 6320, 6876, 7967, 8085, and 8930.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2300, 2706, 2728, 5145, 6092, and 8878.

Recommitted: S. 1272. Pages 24794–24803

Delaware Public Lands: House passed without amendment S. 1767, authorizing conveyance of U.S. interests in Fort Miles, Del., to the State of Delaware, and thus cleared the bill for Presidential action. Page 24803

Flood Control and Navigation: By a voice vote the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 8667, making additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins. Senate amendment No. 26, authorizing $50 million for construction of the Knowles Dam and Reservoir, Flathead, Mont., was reported in disagreement and by a record vote of 329 yeas to 41 nays the House insisted on its disagreement after rejecting a preferential motion to recede and concur therein.

The House adopted H. Con. Res. 246, to authorize certain corrections to be made in enrollment of the bill H.R. 8667. Pages 24804–24822

Suspension Passages: The following bills were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

Kennedy coin: H.R. 9413, to provide for the coinage of 50-cent pieces bearing the likeness of John Fitzgerald Kennedy (by a record vote of 352 yeas to 6 nays). Pages 24823–24829

Merchant marine: S. 1172, relating to the computation of refunds of construction-differential subsidies of vessels made after December 31, 1959 (cleared for the President by a voice vote). Pages 24829–24831

Merchant marine: S. 1698, extending time for commitment of vessel construction reserve funds (cleared for the President by a voice vote). Page 24831

Legislative Appropriations: The bill, H.R. 6868, providing fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch, was taken from the Speaker's table and the following actions taken on Senate amendments thereto:

Receded and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 30, 31, 35, 37, and 38.

Receded and concurred with amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 36 and 40. Pages 24831–24834

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BARTER PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight and Consumer Relations met in executive session for a general discussion of the operations of the various programs administered by the Department of Agriculture, particularly the barter program.

DOMESTIC FINANCE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Domestic Finance met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on the Columbia Plaza urban renewal project, and heard testimony from a public witness. Hearings continue on Wednesday, December 18.

SÃO PAULO CONFERENCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing on the São Paulo Conference, and heard testimony from W. Averell Harriman, Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

S. 102 (amended), to provide for five additional commissioners of the U.S. Court of Claims;

H.R. 9435, to improve judicial procedures for serving of documents, obtaining evidence, and proving documents in litigation with international aspects;

H.R. 9436, to establish a Commission and Advisory Committee on the International Rules of Judicial Procedure;

H.R. 9094 (amended), to authorize the President to declare July 9, 1964, as Monocacy Battle Centennial in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the Battle of Monocacy (struggle for the control of Washington, D.C.); and

Several private claim and private immigration bills.

JFK CENTER FOR PERFORMING ARTS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House, H.J. Res. 871, to provide for renaming the National Cultural Center as the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and authorizing an appropriation therefor.

A beach erosion project was also approved.

TARIFF—TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 4198 (amended), to provide for the free importation of soluble and instant coffee;

H.R. 6995, to change the periods relating to year-end shareholder notices from 30 to 45 days, in the case of regulated investment companies;

H.R. 3498 (amended), to provide that a manufacturer or processor of cigars shall not be treated as the ultimate purchaser of cigar labels and bands; and

H.R. 7007 (amended), to provide an additional income tax exemption of $600 for a taxpayer supporting a dependent who has attained age 65 or is blind.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies.

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Wednesday, December 18, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared for President conference report on State, Justice, Commerce appropriations.

Senate cleared for White House bill on river basin plans and took up and agreed to limit debate on foreign aid appropriations.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24937–24993

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and one resolution were submitted as follows: S. 2395–2401; S. Con. Res. 69.

Pages 24948–24949

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 9499, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the foreign assistance program, with amendments (S. Rept. 785—reported during adjournment December 17 pursuant to previous authority);

H.R. 6468, private bill (S. Rept. 786);

S.J. Res. 109, to designate the period from January 12 to 18, 1964, as International Printing Week (S. Rept. 787);

H.R. 4505, 2772, 1532, 2292, 2364, 4099, 4759, 5746, 6181, 6807, 7019; S. 1017, 1328, 1445, 2073; and H.R. 1560, private bills (S. Repts. 788–803);

S. 2125, to revitalize the domestic gold-mining industry, with amendments (S. Rept. 804);

S. 439, 2071, H.R. 1887, private bills (S. Repts. 805–807);

S. Res. 236, to print additional copies of hearings on S. 815, to adjust legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over public lands (S. Rept. 808);

S. Con. Res. 69, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of tributes by Members of Congress to the life, character, and public service of the late President John F. Kennedy (S. Rept. 809);

S. 792, to establish Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, Mich., with minority views and with amendments (S. Rept. 810);

S. 469, to admit to American registry the vessels *Fort Town, Maple City,* and *Windmill Point* (S. Rept. 811); and

H.R. 5377, to extend the civil service retirement program to include the Architect of the Capitol and his employees (S. Rept. 812). Pages 24935, 24937–24938

Bill Referred: One House-passed joint resolution was referred to appropriate committee. Page 25020

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 1211, to admit to American registry the vessels *Fort Town, Maple City,* and *Windmill Point,* was ordered to be placed on calendar. Page 25020

Authority To Meet: All committees were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Thursday and Friday, December 19 and 20. Pages 24972, 25037

Printing: Letter from the President of the National Forest Reservation Commission, transmitting report of that Commission for fiscal year 1963, was referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 48. Page 24937

Private Bill: S. 579, private bill, was passed without amendment. Pages 24976–24977

Kennedy Coin: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 9413, to provide for the coinage of 50-cent pieces bearing the likeness of the late President Kennedy. Pages 24984–24986

State, Justice, Commerce Appropriations: Conference report on H.R. 7063, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, was adopted, clearing the legislation for the White House. Pages 24988–24993

Interparliamentary Conference: The Acting President pro tempore announced the appointment of the following members on the part of the Senate of the U.S. delegation to the Canadian-American Interparliamentary Conference to be held in the U.S. January 14–18, 1964: Senators Aiken (Chairman), Mansfield, Dodd, Morse, Holland, Bartlett, Hart, Pastore, Muskie, Mundt, Young of North Dakota, and Jordan of Idaho. Page 24937

River Basins: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 8667, authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins. Senate then adopted H. Con. Res. 246, to authorize certain corrections to be made in the enrollment of H.R. 8667.

These actions cleared the bill for the White House. Pages 24974–24975, 25007

D.C. Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 7431, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the District of Columbia, agreeing to House amendments to Senate amendments No. 25 (funds for traffic safety education), and No. 42 (deferring availability of certain funds for capital outlay until July 1, 1964). This action cleared bill for the White House. Pages 24999–25003

Foreign Aid Appropriations: Senate took up H.R. 9499, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the foreign assistance program, and acted as follows on amendments:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc (except for one eliminating language barring guarantee by Export-Import Bank of payment of obligations of Communist countries for purchase of any product), and such amendments were then considered as original text for purpose of amendment; and

Rejected: By 23 yeas to 60 nays, modified Morse amendment to eliminate language respecting funds for investment in Inter-American Development Bank (motion to reconsider tabled).

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that at conclusion of morning business on Thursday, December 19, further debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table) shall be limited to 30 minutes, equally divided (except that committee amendment respecting Export-Import Bank guarantee of purchase of products by Communist countries, described above, shall be limited to 2 hours, equally divided); that no nongermane amendment shall be received; and that debate on question of passage of bill shall be limited to 1 hour, equally divided.

Pages 24936–24937, 24993, 25009–25024, 25029–25030

Legislative Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on and cleared for White House H.R. 6868, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch. This action was made possible when Senate concurred in House amendment No. 36 (funds for Legislative Reference Service), and when it adopted, by 42 yeas to 41 nays, motion to concur in House amendment to Senate amendment No. 40 (respecting franking privileges by Members of Congress for certain mail matters). This last action was confirmed when Senate adopted, by 42 yeas to 41 nays, a motion to table a motion to reconsider this action. Pages 25025–25029

Alaska: Senate concurred in House amendment to and cleared for White House S. 1756, to amend the Alaska Public Works Act so as to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to collect, compromise, or release certain claims held by him under that act. Pages 25030, 25032

Kennedy Art Center: Senate passed with committee amendment S.J. Res. 136, to change the name of the National Cultural Center to the John Fitzgerald Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. Motion to reconsider passage of the bill was tabled.

Pages 25032–25033

International Development Association: Order was entered that Senate will consider S. 2214, authorizing the U.S. to participate in an increase in the resources of the International Development Association, on January 14, 1964. This consideration will be started when Senate completes its action that day on H.R. 7406, increasing U.S. participation in the Inter-American Development Bank, with debate on S. 2214 limited as follows: 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); that no nongermane amendment will be received; and 2 hours' debate, equally divided, on question of passage of the bill.

Pages 25037–25038

Recess: Recessed at 6:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Committee held hearings on H.J. Res. 875, supplemental appropriations for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare for fiscal year 1964, with testimony from Wilbur J. Cohen, Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Francis Keppel, Commissioner of Office of Education, and James F. Kelly, Comptroller, all of the Department of HEW.

FIREARMS

Committee on Commerce: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 1975, S. 2345, and other legislation to amend the Federal Firearms Act so as to more strictly regulate the interstate shipment and ownership of guns, with testimony from Representative Dingell; John W. Coggins, Office of Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury; Thomas L. Kimball, National Wildlife Federation; and George N. Craig, past national commander of the American Legion, and former Governor of Indiana.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its executive consideration of H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, and amendments thereto, taking the following tentative actions thereon:

(1) Approved Dirksen amendment No. 362, relating to qualified union-negotiated pension plans;

(2) Rejected Hartke amendment No. 278, relating to sale of personal residences by taxpayers 62 years of age or older; and

(3) Rejected Fong amendment No. 338, relating to real property taxes paid by lessee.

Committee referred several other proposed amendments to the staffs of the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation and the Treasury Department for study and subsequent reporting back to the committee.

Pending at adjournment was Smathers amendment No. 351, relating to allocation of travel expenses.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

RETIREMENT, AND POSTMASTER NOMINATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 5377, extending the civil service retirement program to include the Architect of the Capitol, and his employees. Committee also approved 94 postmaster nominations.

Prior to this action, Subcommittee on Retirement approved this bill for full committee consideration. Subcommittee also considered briefly, but temporarily postponed, S. 1562, providing for supplemental Federal payments to the civil service retirement system.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. Res. 236, to print additional copies of hearings on S. 815, to adjust legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over public lands; and an original concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 69) authorizing the printing as a Senate document of tributes by Members of Congress to the life, character, and public service of the late President John F. Kennedy.

Also, the committee considered two separate requests for permission to photograph various areas in the Senate wing of the Capitol Building for use in television documentary films. Committee tentatively approved the proposal pending further understanding of certain aspects thereof.

TECHNOLOGICAL RESOURCES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices continued its series of hearings on the role and effects of technology in the Nation's economy, having as its witness James E. Webb, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration. A statement was submitted for inclusion in the record for Gov. Karl Rolvaag, of Minnesota.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

AGING

Special Committee on Aging: Joint Subcommittee on Long-Term Care continued its hearings in connection with nursing homes for senior citizens, having as its witnesses Fredric T. Suss, General Counsel, and Clarence Cowles, Office of Financial Services, both of the Small Business Administration; Harold L. Williams, Deputy Administrator, and Bernard V. Parrette, Office of the Chief Counsel, both of the Area Redevelopment Administration, Commerce Department; and Dr. H. Martin Engle, Deputy Chief Medical Director, Veterans' Administration.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 9515 and 9516; 3 private bills, H.R. 9517-9519; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 595, were introduced. Page 24935

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 560, to provide for a new seal and press for the use of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 1057);

H. Res. 576, to provide for the expenses of the investigation and study by the Committee on Veterans' Affairs authorized by H. Res. 73 (H. Rept. 1058);

H. Res. 588, providing funds for expenses of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce for the 2d session of the 88th Congress (H. Rept. 1059);

H. Res. 595, open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.J. Res. 871, providing for renaming the National Cultural Center as the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts and authorizing an appropriation therefor (H. Rept. 1060);

H.R. 7332, to grant consent of Congress to a further supplemental compact or agreement between New Jersey and Pennsylvania regarding the Delaware River Port Authority (H. Rept. 1061); and

H.R. 8853, to authorize a comprehensive study of the needs of the Federal-Aid Highway System (H. Rept. 1062). Page 24935

Conference Reports Adopted: Conference reports on the following bills were called up, considered, and adopted by the House:

State, Justice, Commerce appropriations: H.R. 7063, making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, for fiscal year 1964. Pages 24902–24905

D.C. appropriations: H.R. 7431, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in part or whole against the revenues of said District for fiscal year 1964.

Seven amendments were reported in disagreement and on which the House took the following actions:

Voted to recede and concur in Senate amendments Nos. 8, 17, 24, 48, and 49.

The House also voted to recede and concur with amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 25 and 42. Pages 24905–24910

Imports—marking: H.R. 2513, to require certain new packages of imported articles to be marked to indicate the country of origin. This action cleared the bill for Presidential consideration. Pages 24910–24912

House Seal: Adopted H. Res. 560, to provide for a new seal and press for the use of the House of Representatives. Page 24912

Committee Expenses: Adopted the following two resolutions providing funds for expenses of the following committees:

Veterans' Affairs: H. Res. 576, to provide for the expenses of the investigation and study by the Committee on Veterans' Affairs authorized by H. Res. 73. Page 24912

Interstate and Foreign Commerce: H. Res. 588, providing funds for expenses of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce for the 2d session of the 88th Congress. Page 24912

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:43 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and approved 10 pending watershed projects.

COLUMBIA PLAZA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on the Columbia Plaza urban renewal project, and heard testimony from a public witness.

SHORTER WORKWEEK

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on proposed shorter workweek legislation, and heard testimony from public witnesses.

ADMINISTRATIVE RESOLUTIONS

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

S. Con. Res. 67, to print for the use of the Committee on Public Works certain information on water pollution control;

S. 2311, to provide for preparation and printing of compilations of materials relating to annual national high school and college debate topics;

H. Res. 588, to provide funds for Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce for the 2d session of the 88th Congress;

H. Res. 576 (amended), to provide for expenses of the investigation and study authorized by H. Res. 73; and

H. Res. 560, to provide for a new seal and press for the use of the House of Representatives.

COLUMBUS DAY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 1118, and related bills, to make Columbus Day a legal holiday. Heard testimony from Representatives Rodino, Libonati, Daniels, Ryan of Michigan, Moorhead, Barrett, Daddario, Fino; and public witnesses.

CENTER FOR PERFORMING ARTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 2 hours of debate, on H.J. Res. 871, to provide for renaming the National Cultural Center as the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and authorizing an appropriation therefor.

Representatives Jones of Alabama, Auchincloss, Edmondson, Schwengel, and Gross were heard on the request for a rule.

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Thursday, December 19, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed foreign aid appropriations, passed 23 measures on calendar call, and cleared numerous bills for White House.

House passed supplemental appropriations for mental retardation program and sent foreign aid appropriation bill to conference.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25146–25152

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and three resolutions were introduced as follows: S. 2402–2408; S.J. Res. 140; S. Con. Res. 70; and S. Res. 237. **Page 25148**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 745, providing for adjustments in annuities under the Foreign Service Retirement and Disability System, with minority views, and with amendments (S. Rept. 813). **Pages 25147–25148**

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Pages 25086–25087, 25146–25147**

Committee Membership: Senator Yarborough was appointed to be a member of the Special Committee on Aging. **Page 25152**

Air Force Academy Visitors: It was announced that Senators Symington, McGee, and Hruska have been appointed to be members of the Board of Visitors to the Air Force Academy. **Page 25152**

Juvenile Delinquents: Senate concurred in House amendments and cleared for President S. 1319, to make it a Federal crime for a juvenile delinquent to escape or to assist in escape from the custody of the Attorney General. **Page 25105**

Foreign Aid Appropriations: By 60 yeas to 25 nays, Senate passed with amendments H.R. 9499, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the foreign assistance program, after taking the following additional actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: Kuchel amendment to give preference in employment on projects under the bill in foreign countries to nationals of such countries or U.S. citizens; Ellender amendment to reduce by $23 million funds for military aid (motion to reconsider tabled); Morse amendment to reduce by $4 million funds for administrative expenses (motion to reconsider tabled); Pastore amendment to eliminate language for additional funds for postal allowances to Senators; and by 52 yeas to 32 nays, committee amendment eliminating language that would have barred Export-Import Bank from guaranteeing purchase of products by Communist countries.

Rejected: By 28 yeas to 55 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Morse amendment to reduce by $80 million funds for supporting assistance; by 34 yeas to 53 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Ellender amendment to reduce by $30 million funds for supporting assistance; by

30 yeas to 54 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Ellender amendment to reduce by $200 million funds for development loans for economically underdeveloped countries; by 31 yeas to 55 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Morse amendment to reduce funds in the bill to $3 billion with proviso that President may within 30 days allocate the reductions; by 23 yeas to 62 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams (Delaware) amendment to eliminate language providing certain contingent expenses of the House; and by 25 yeas to 58 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams (Delaware) amendment to eliminate language for certain contingent expenses of House and Senate.

By 78 yeas to 5 nays, Senate upheld germaneness of language providing certain contingent expenses of the Senate after the question had been put to Senate for vote after Senator Williams (Delaware) made point of order against the language.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hayden, Ellender, McClellan, Holland, Pastore, Monroney, McGee, Saltonstall, Young (North Dakota), Mundt, and Smith.

Pages 25087–25105, 25108–25120, 25124–25146

Save Your Vision Week: Senate concurred in House amendment to S.J. Res. 113, authorizing President to designate the first week in March as Save Your Vision Week, which action cleared bill for President.

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Customs: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 680, to request the President to designate 1964 as U.S. Customs Year.

Pages 25152–25153

Private Measures: The following four private measures were cleared for President when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto: S. 1838, S. Con. Res. 57, S. 1014, and 1096. **Page 25153**

National Lakeshore: S. 792, to establish Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, Mich., was passed with committee amendments. Motion to reconsider this action was tabled. **Pages 25153–25161, 25163–25172**

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar, 23 measures, of which 19 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Merchant marine: H.R. 1211, to admit to American registry the vessels *Fort Town, Maple City,* and *Windmill Point* (motion to reconsider passage tabled) (S. 469, companion bill, indefinitely postponed); and

Private bills: 12 private bills, H.R. 6468, 4505, 1532, 2292, 2364, 4099, 4759, 5746, 6181, 6807, 7019, and 1560.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Private bill: One private bill, H.R. 1887.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

International Printing Week: S.J. Res. 109, to designate the period from January 12 to 18, 1964, as International Printing Week; and

Private bills: Four private bills, S. 1017, 1328, 1445, and 2073.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: Two private bills, S. 439 and 2071.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 236, to print additional copies of hearings on S. 815, to adjust legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over public lands; and

Printing: S. Con. Res. 69, authorizing the printing as a Senate document of tributes by Members of Congress to the life, character, and public service of the late President John F. Kennedy. **Pages 25174–25178**

Arts: Senate made its unfinished business S. 2379, providing for the establishment of a National Arts Foundation.

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Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Thomas C. Mann, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; and 94 postmasters. **Pages 25207–25208**

Recess: Recessed at 7:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TAXATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its executive consideration of H.R. 8363, proposed Revenue Act of 1963, and amendments thereto, taking the following additional tentative actions thereon:

(1) Adopted modified Smathers amendment No. 351, relating to travel allocation rule;

(2) Adopted a modified version of an amendment by Senator Talmadge relating to taxation of certain corporate dividends;

(3) Adopted Dirksen amendment No. 371, making clerical amendment relating to taxation of fire and casualty insurance companies; and

(4) Adopted modified Dirksen amendment No. 361, making it possible for domestic corporations to include U.S. citizens employed abroad by subsidiary corporations in the parent's qualified pension plan where they are also covered for social security purposes.

Committee announced that it will resume consideration of this bill on Wednesday, January 8, 1964.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nominations of John Morgan Davis and A. Leon Higginbotham, Jr., to be U.S. district judges for the eastern district of Pennsylvania, receiving testimony on behalf of the nominees from Senator Clark;

Judge Thomas C. Clary, chief judge, U.S. district court for the eastern district of Pennsylvania; and Judge Charles Guerin, Court of Common Pleas, State of Pennsylvania. In addition to these witnesses William A. Roberts, an attorney of Washington, D.C., testified in behalf of the Davis nomination, and Philip Elman, member, Federal Trade Commission, testified in behalf of the Higginbotham nomination.

AGING—PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Employment and Retirement Incomes of the Elderly held hearings to receive testimony on part-time employment opportunities for senior citizens, having as its witnesses Margaret Schweinhaut, chairman, Maryland State Commission on the Aging; and Dr. Donald P. Kent, Director, Office of Aging, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

A statement was submitted for inclusion in the record for the American Association of Retired Persons and the National Retired Teachers' Association.

Committee announced that it had scheduled hearings for early next year as follows:

January 9—Subcommittee on Housing for the Elderly, in Los Angeles;

January 10—Subcommittee on Employment and Retirement Incomes of the Elderly, in Los Angeles;

January 11—Subcommittee on Housing for the Elderly, in San Francisco;

January 13—Subcommittee on Employment and Retirement Incomes of the Elderly, in San Francisco;

January 16—Subcommittee on Federal, State, and Community Services for the Elderly, in Washington, D.C.; and

January 20 and 21—Subcommittee on Federal, State, and Community Services for the Elderly, in Boston and in Providence on those respective dates.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 9520–9536; 8 private bills, H.R. 9537–9544; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 596, were introduced. **Pages 25250–25252**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on S. 1007, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest first call on electric energy generated at Federal hydroelectric plants in that region and to guarantee electric consumers in other regions reciprocal priority (H. Rept. 1063);

S. 102, to provide for additional commissioners on the U.S. Court of Claims, amended (H. Rept. 1064);

H.R. 3396, authorizing the addition of lands to the Morristown National Historical Park, N.J., amended (H. Rept. 1065);

Five private bills, H.R. 1450, 1455, 2190, 5617, and 7347 (H. Repts. 1066–1070, respectively);

H.R. 7351, to increase the authorization for the public works acceleration program (H. Rept. 1071); and

S. 793, providing a permanent basis for the management of the four wildlife refuges in the Klamath Basin of California and Oregon (H. Rept. 1072). **Page 25250**

Recess: Agreed to make in order the calling of recesses at any time by the Speaker for the balance of this session. **Page 25209**

Judicial Procedure: Passed H.R. 9436, to establish a Commission and Advisory Committee on the International Rules of Judicial Procedure. **Page 25211**

Mental Retardation: By a record vote of 324 yeas to 4 nays the House passed H.J. Res. 875, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1964 for certain activities of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, related to mental retardation. **Pages 25212–25216**

Highway System Study: Passed H.R. 8853, to authorize a comprehensive study of the needs of the Federal-Aid Highway System. **Pages 25216–25217**

New Jersey-Pennsylvania Port Compact: Passed with an amendment H.R. 7332, to grant consent of Congress to a further supplemental compact or agreement between New Jersey and Pennsylvania regarding the Delaware River Port Authority. **Pages 25217–25220**

Foreign Aid Appropriations: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964; agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Passman, Gary, Natcher, Rhodes of Arizona, and Ford. **Page 25249**

Bill Referred: S. 579, a private bill, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. **Page 25250**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Friday, December 20, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared Agriculture appropriations for President.

Senate passed supplemental appropriations for HEW (mental retardation and schools).

House recommitted conference report on foreign aid appropriations and adjourned out of respect to the memory of Representative Green of Pennsylvania.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25254–25258, 25354–25355

Bills Introduced: Six bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2409–2414; S.J. Res. 141–142; and S. Res. 238–239. **Pages 25254–25255, 25355, 25357**

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows:

H.J. Res. 875, supplemental appropriations for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare for fiscal year 1964, with amendment (S. Rept. 814). **Page 25254**

Communication From President: Communication from President transmitting proposed supplemental appropriations in the amount of $120,000 to pay a claim against the U.S. was received, referred to Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as a Senate document. **Page 25254**

Draft Exemption: By unanimous consent H.R. 2664, exempting from military service a sole-surviving son of a family when the father died as a result of military service, was recommitted to Committee on Armed Services. **Pages 25258–25259**

Arts: S. 2379, providing for the establishment of a National Arts Foundation, was passed without amendment. **Pages 25263–25274**

HEW Appropriations — Mental Retardation—Schools: Senate passed H.J. Res. 875, supplemental appropriations for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare for fiscal year 1964, after adopting committee amendment that would add $216,204,000 for payments to school districts by the Office of Education. **Pages 25279–25280**

Carlsbad Caverns National Park: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1175, to revise the boundaries of Carlsbad Caverns National Park. This action cleared the bill for President's signature. **Pages 25259–25260**

American Heart Month: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 848, to provide for the designation of the month of February in each year as "American Heart Month." This action cleared the bill for the President. **Page 25262**

Presiding Officer: S. Res. 238, designating Senator Metcalf as Acting President pro tempore of the Senate until the meeting of the second session of the 88th Congress, was adopted. **Pages 25254–25255**

Agriculture Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 6754, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, and agreed to House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 7, 11, 24, 27, and 38 (motion to reconsider tabled). These actions cleared bill for President. **Pages 25348–25354**

Condolence Resolution: S. Res. 239, expressing condolences on the death of Representative William J. Green, Jr. (Pennsylvania), was adopted. **Page 25357**

Confirmations: 21 postmaster nominations were confirmed. **Page 25347**

Nomination: One Navy nomination was received. **Page 25347**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:45 a.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendment H.J. Res. 875, supplemental appropriations for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare for fiscal year 1964.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 9545–9552, and 9557 and 9558; 4 private bills, H.R. 9553–9556; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 879, H. Con. Res. 247, and H. Res. 597–599, were introduced. **Pages 25431–25433**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Eight private bills, S. 585, 1196, 1524, H.R. 1295, 1723, 1725, 2948, and 8322 (H. Repts. 1073–1080, respectively);

S. 2079, regarding striking of medals commemorating national historic shrines in New York City (H. Rept. 1081);

H.R. 3500, providing for the acquisition of and preservation of the real property known as the Ansley Wilcox House in Buffalo, N.Y., as a national historic site, amended (H. Rept. 1082);

H.R. 9076, regarding striking of medals commemorating the 200th anniversary of the founding of St. Louis (H. Rept. 1083);

S. 298, Small Business Investment Act Amendments of 1963, amended (H. Rept. 1084);

H.R. 7821, a private bill (H. Rept. 1085);

H. Res. 598, rule providing for the consideration of, and waiving points of order against, the conference report on H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 1086);

Conference report on H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964, filed on December 20 (H. Rept. 1087);

Conference report on H.R. 6754, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies for fiscal year 1964, filed on December 20 (H. Rept. 1088);

S. Con. Res. 67, to print for the use of the Committee on Public Works certain information on water pollution, filed on December 20 (H. Rept. 1089); and

S. 2311, to provide for the preparation and printing of compilations of materials relating to annual national high school and college debate topics, filed on December 20 (H. Rept. 1090). **Page 25432**

Gallaudet College: Received and read a letter from Representative Thornberry tendering his resignation as a member of the Board of Directors of Gallaudet College. Representative Carey was subsequently appointed to fill the vacancy thus caused. **Page 25358**

Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Speaker appointed as members of the United States Interparliamentary Group for the meeting to be held in the District of Columbia commencing on January 14, 1964, the following members on the part of the House: Representatives Gallagher, Chairman, Kelly, Dulski, Murphy of Illinois, Giaimo, Johnson of California, Slack, Broomfield, Tupper, Robison, Battin, and Andrews of North Dakota. **Page 25358**

Puerto Rico: H.R. 5945, to provide for the establishment of a U.S.-Puerto Rico Compact Commission, with Senate amendments thereto, was taken from the Speaker's table and the House receded and concurred in three amendments with amendments; also concurred in an amendment to the title of the bill. **Page 25365**

Foreign Aid Appropriations: By a record vote of 141 yeas to 136 nays the House adopted a recommittal motion with instructions for House conferees to insist on disagreement to Senate amendment No. 20 to H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964.

By a division vote of 178 yeas to 50 nays the House approved the question of considering H. Res. 598, the rule waiving points of order against, and providing for the consideration of, the conference report on H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964. The rule was subsequently adopted by a record vote of 182 yeas to 95 nays.

Amendment No. 20 gives the President discretionary authority to allow Export-Import Bank to guarantee credit of certain governments. **Pages 25408–25415**

Mental Retardation: Objection was raised to an effort to send to conference H.J. Res. 875, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1964 for certain activities of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare related to mental retardation; and to an effort to agree to Senate amendments. Subsequently the House disagreed to the Senate amendments. **Pages 25422–25423**

Agriculture Department Appropriations: The House by a voice vote adopted the conference report on H.R. 6754, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies for fiscal year 1964. Six Senate amendments were reported in disagreement and on which the House acted as follows:

Voted to recede and concur in amendment No. 9.

Receded and concurred in amendments Nos. 7, 11, 24, 27, and 38, with amendments. **Pages 25423–25428**

Shelley Resignation: Received and read a letter from Representative Shelley of the Fifth Congressional District of California tendering his resignation from Congress. **Page 25428**

Printing: Adopted S. Con. Res. 67, to print for the use of the Committee on Public Works certain information on water pollution control. **Pages 25428–25429**

Printing Resolution: Passed and cleared for the President S. 2311, to print compilations of materials relating to annual national high school and college debate topics. **Page 25429**

Condolence Resolution: Adopted H. Res. 599, providing for expressions of sorrow and sympathy on the death of Representative William J. Green, Jr., of the 5th Congressional District of Pennsylvania. The Speaker appointed the following Members to serve on the funeral committee: Representatives Morgan, Keogh, Mills, King of California, Rooney of New York, Corbett, Fulton of Pennsylvania, Boggs, Dague, Barrett, Rhodes of Pennsylvania, Rodino, Saylor, Byrne of Pennsylvania, Flood, Clark, Holland, Curtin, Dent, Nix, Milliken, Moorhead, Toll, Schneebeli, Whalley, Goodling, Schweiker, Kunkel, McDade, Weaver, Rooney of Pennsylvania, and Johnson of Pennsylvania. **Pages 25431–25432**

Bills Referred: Six Senate-passed bills and two Senate-passed resolutions were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 25431**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:45 a.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN AID APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for the consideration of, and the waiving of points of order against, the conference report on H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 9499, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the foreign assistance program.

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Saturday, December 21, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Conferees agreed to file another conference report on foreign aid appropriations.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25465–25472

President's Communication: Communication from President transmitting final report of the U.S. Study Commission on Southeast River Basins, was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 51. **Page 25466**

HEW Appropriations — Mental Retardation—Schools: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.J. Res. 875, supplemental appropriations for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare for fiscal year 1964, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Pastore, Holland, Hayden, Russell, Hill, Young (North Dakota), Saltonstall, and Cotton. **Page 25472**

Confirmations: Three postmaster nominations were confirmed. **Page 25493**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:49 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: One public bill, H.R. 9559, and one private bill, H.R. 9560, were introduced. **Page 25465**

Bill Reported: Report was filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 1091). **Page 25465**

Bill Referred: S. 792, to establish Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore, Mich., was referred to the Committee on the Interior and Insular Affairs. **Page 25464**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file another conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 9499, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the foreign assistance program. This action followed House recommittal of the first conference report to the committee on conference.

Monday, December 23, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Consideration of rule on foreign aid appropriations refused by House.

Senate

Chamber Action

Senate was not in session today. Its next session will be held at noon, Tuesday, December 24.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Two private bills, H.R. 9561 and 9562; and one resolution, H. Res. 600, were introduced. Page 25507

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H. Res. 600, providing for the consideration of, and waiving points of order against, the conference report on H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964 (H. Rept. 1092). Page 25507

Foreign Aid Appropriations: By a record vote of 202 yeas to 105 nays the House refused to consider H. Res. 600, providing for the consideration of, and the waiving of points of order against, the conference report on H.R. 9400, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964. (A two-thirds majority vote is required for consideration of a rule on the same day the rule is reported.) Pages 25494–25496

Bill Referred: S. 2379, providing for the establishment of a National Arts Foundation, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. Page 25507

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN AID APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule, with 1 hour of debate on, and waiving points of order against, the conference report on H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964, and providing that during the consideration of the amendment of the Senate No. 20, to the bill, it shall be in order to consider, without the intervention of any points of order, a motion by the chairman of the managers on the part of the House, to recede and concur in said amendment No. 20 with an amendment.

Tuesday, December 24, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared resolution for President to provide for convening of 2d session of 88th Congress on January 7, 1964.

House cleared foreign aid appropriations for Senate action.

Senate

Chamber Action

Convening Date: Senate adopted without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 880, providing for convening of 2d session of the 88th Congress at noon Tuesday, January 7, 1964. Pages 25510–25513, 25520

Foreign Aid Appropriations: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that Senate will meet at 9 a.m. Friday, December 27, when it will immediately adjourn without transaction of any business until 10 a.m. Monday, December 30, at which time it will consider further conference report on H.R. 9499, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the foreign assistance program. **Page 25520**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Two public bills, H.R. 9563 and 9564; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 880 and 881, H. Con. Res. 248 and 249, and H. Res. 601, were introduced. **Pages 25544, 25555, 25573**

New Member Sworn: Representative-elect James Jarrell Pickle, of the 10th Congressional District of Texas, presented himself at the bar of the House and had the oath of office administered by the Speaker. **Page 25526**

Foreign Aid Appropriations: By a voice vote the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Five amendments were reported in disagreement and on which the House took the following actions:

Receded and concurred with amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 14 and 20.

Receded and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 22, 25, and 26.

By a record vote of 189 yeas to 158 nays the House adopted the following language in lieu of Senate amendment No. 20:

"None of the funds made available because of the provisions of this title shall be used by the Export-Import Bank to either guarantee the payment of any obligation hereafter incurred by any Communist country (as defined in section 620(f) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended) or any agency or national thereof, or in any other way to participate in the extension of credit to any such country, agency, or national, in connection with the purchase of any product by such country, agency, or national, except when the President determines that such guarantees would be in the national interest and reports each such determination to the House of Representatives and the Senate within 30 days after such determination."

H. Res. 600, the rule providing for the consideration of, and waiving of points of order against, the conference report on H.R. 9499, making appropriations for foreign aid and related agencies for fiscal year 1964, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote. **Pages 25520–25544**

Reconvening Date: Adopted H.J. Res. 880, providing for convening of the 2d session of the 88th Congress at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, January 7, 1964. **Page 25555**

Adjournment Resolution: Adopted H. Con. Res. 248, providing for the sine die adjournment of the 1st session of the 88th Congress on Monday, December 30, 1963. **Page 25555**

Enrolled Bills: Adopted H. Con. Res. 249, authorizing the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate to sign enrolled bills notwithstanding the adjournment of Congress. **Page 25555**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:12 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Friday, December 27, 1963

Senate

Chamber Action

Senate met at 9 a.m. and, pursuant to order previously entered, immediately adjourned without transaction of any business until 10 a.m. Monday, December 30.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House met with Representative Albert acting as Speaker pro tempore, transacted no business, and at 12:05 p.m. adjourned until Monday, December 30, 1963, at 12 o'clock noon.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Monday, December 30, 1963

HIGHLIGHTS

First session of the Eighty-eighth Congress adjourned sine die.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25629–25674

Bills Introduced: Two bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2415–2416; and S. Res. 240–244. **Pages 25642–25643, 25674**

Foreign Aid Appropriations: By 56 yeas to 14 nays, Senate adopted conference report on and cleared for President H.R. 9499, fiscal 1964 appropriations for the foreign assistance program, agreeing in each instance to House amendment to Senate amendment No. 14 (to give preference in employment on projects under the bill in foreign countries to nationals of such countries or U.S. citizens), and No. 20 (respecting guarantee by Export-Import Bank of payment for purchase of products by Communist countries). Senate tabled motions to reconsider these three actions. **Pages 25600–25628**

Adjournment Resolutions: Senate adopted the following adjournment resolutions:

Committee to wait on President: S. Res. 241, to notify the President that the 1st session of the 88th Congress has completed its work;

President pro tempore: S. Res. 242, tendering thanks of Senate to President pro tempore for manner in which he has presided over Senate;

Acting President pro tempore: S. Res. 243, tendering thanks of Senate to Acting President pro tempore for manner in which he has presided over Senate;

Appointments to boards: S. Res. 244, authorizing Vice President to make appointments during sine die adjournment to commissions and committees authorized by law;

Adjournment: H. Con. Res. 248, providing for sine die adjournment of 1st session of the 88th Congress, on December 30, 1963; and

Enrolled bills: H. Con. Res. 249, authorizing the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions notwithstanding the sine die adjournment of Congress. **Pages 25643, 25663**

Nominations: Two civilian nominations were received, including that of Tyler Abell, of the D.C., to be an Assistant Postmaster General. **Page 25675**

Adjournment Sine Die: Pursuant to H. Con. Res. 248, Senate adjourned sine die at 2:18 p.m. **Page 25674**

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bill Introduced: H.R. 9565, a private bill, was introduced. **Page 25600**

Speaker Pro Tempore: Heard the reading of a communication from the Speaker designating Representative Albert to act as Speaker pro tempore for Monday, December 30. **Page 25592**

Adjournment: Pursuant to provisions of H. Con. Res. 248, the House of Representatives adjourned sine die at 2:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate during the session January 9, 1963, through December 30, 1963.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

RÉSUMÉ OF LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 9 through December 30, 1963

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	189	186	..
Time in session	1,044 hrs., 43′	626 hrs., 14′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	15,420	9,036	24,456
Appendix	..	..	7,914
Public bills enacted into law	75	182	257
Private bills enacted into law	41	124	165
Bills in conference	1	3	..
Bills through conference	3	27	..
Measures passed, total	861	934	..
Senate bills	333	109	..
House bills	294	536	..
Senate joint resolutions	21	9	..
House joint resolutions	25	30	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	26	23	..
House concurrent resolutions	22	23	..
Simple resolutions	140	204	344
Measures reported, total	*890	*1,004	..
Senate bills	348	91	..
House bills	271	669	..
Senate joint resolutions	21	6	..
House joint resolutions	21	31	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	30	23	..
House concurrent resolutions	22	18	..
Simple resolutions	177	166	343
Special reports	23	54	..
Conference reports	..	34	..
Reported measures not acted on	18	102	..
Measures introduced, total	2,872	11,296	14,168
Bills	2,416	9,565	11,981
Joint resolutions	142	881	1,023
Concurrent resolutions	70	249	319
Simple resolutions	244	601	845
Quorum calls	55	137	..
Yea-and-nay votes	229	119	..
Bills vetoed	1	2	3
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 813 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 1,092 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 9 through December 30, 1963

Postmaster nominations, totaling 1,918, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	1,699
Withdrawn	13
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	206

Army nominations, totaling 10,484, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	10,165
Withdrawn	4
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	315

Air Force nominations, totaling 20,290, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	20,290
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	None

Navy nominations, totaling 25,823, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	25,819
Withdrawn	1
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	3

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 5,929, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	5,752
Withdrawn	None
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	177

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 3,012, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	2,878
Withdrawn	3
Rejected	None
Unconfirmed	131

Summary

Total nominations received	67,456
Total withdrawn	21
Total rejected	None
Total unconfirmed	832
Total confirmed	66,603

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Making supplemental appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for fiscal year 1963.	H.J. Res. 284	Feb. 26	App	App	Feb. 26	Feb. 28	35	9	3045	3493	Feb. 27	Mar. 4	Mar. 6	88-1
To extend for 4 years the induction provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act.	H.R. 2438	Jan. 21	AS	AS	Mar. 6	Mar. 14	59	64	3917	4327	Mar. 11	Mar. 15	Mar. 28	88-2
Relating to the payment of veterans' burial allowances under certain conditions.	H.R. 212	Jan. 9	VA	Fin	Jan. 29	Mar. 14	2	68	1631	4544	Feb. 4	Mar. 19	Apr. 2	88-3
To permit a deduction for child care by a wife who has been deserted by her husband.	H.R. 2085	Jan. 17	WM	Fin	Feb. 4	Mar. 14	27	69	2999	4544	Feb. 26	Mar. 19	Apr. 2	88-4
Extending provisions of sec. 3 of P.L. 87-346 relating to dual-rate contracts.	S. 1035 (H.R. 4555)	Mar. 7	MMF	Com	Mar. 28	Mar. 19	164	79	5466	5249	Apr. 2	Apr. 1	Apr. 3	88-5
Proclaiming Sir Winston Churchill an honorary citizen of the United States.	H.R. 4374	Feb. 27	Jud	Jud	Mar. 6	Apr. 2	57	86	3993	5397	Mar. 12	Apr. 2	Apr. 9	88-6
Requesting the President to designate a National Harmony Week.	H.J. Res. 282	Feb. 25	Jud	Jud	Mar. 28	Apr. 2	166	87	4919	5408	Mar. 28	Apr. 2	Apr. 9	88-7
Authorizing the sale of cadmium from the national stockpile....	S. 1089 H.R. (307)	Mar. 14	AS	AS	Mar. 12	Mar. 14	87	66	5187	4543	Apr. 1	Mar. 19	Apr. 9	88-8
To provide a deduction from income taxes for payment of redeemable ground rent.	H.R. 1597	Jan. 10	WM	Fin	Feb. 4	Mar. 14	24	72	2998	4545	Feb. 26	Mar. 19	Apr. 10	88-9
Authorizing continued water delivery in 1963 to lands in the Third Division, Riverton Federal reclamation project, Wyoming.	H.R. 4423 (S. 982)	Mar. 4	IIA	IIA	Mar. 28	Apr. 5	119	112	5191	6005	Apr. 1	Apr. 9	Apr. 19	88-10
To incorporate the Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial Foundation.....	H.R. 4715	Mar. 11	Jud	Jud	Mar. 12	Apr. 2	101	105	4403	5627	Mar. 18	Apr. 3	Apr. 23	88-11
To allow transfers of certain cotton acreage allotments where floods prevent use of original allotments.	H.R. 5067	Mar. 21	Agr	....	Apr. 4	....	197	....	6042	6437	Apr. 9	Apr. 11	Apr. 26	88-12
Providing for the reappointment of John Nicholas Brown as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.	H.J. Res. 234	Feb. 5	HA	RAdm	Mar. 11	Apr. 11	85	140	4569	6522	Mar. 19	Apr. 15	Apr. 26	88-13
Releasing rights of the U.S. in certain streets in the village of Heyburn, Idaho.	H.R. 1087 (S. 22)	Jan. 9	IIA	IIA	Mar. 12	Apr. 9	91	118	5189	6432	Apr. 1	Apr. 11 Apr. 10	Apr. 26	88-14
To transfer certain public lands to the Colorado River Commission of Nevada.	H.R. 277	Jan. 9	IIA	IIA	Mar. 12	Apr. 9	92	120	4398	6433	Mar. 18	Apr. 11	Apr. 26	88-15
To permit the deposit of funds of the bankrupt's estate in interest-bearing accounts.	H.R. 2849	Jan. 28	Jud	Jud	Mar. 12	Apr. 23	100	147	4403	7093	Mar. 18	Apr. 25	May 8	88-16
To permit a court on its own motion to examine attorney fees paid in a bankruptcy proceeding.	H.R. 2833	Jan. 28	Jud	Jud	Mar. 12	Apr. 23	99	144	4402	7091	Mar. 18	Apr. 25	May 8	88-17
To allow the Chief Medical Director of the Veterans' Administration to hold another salaried office.	H.R. 4549	Mar. 6	VA	LPW	Apr. 3	Apr. 25	182	156	6162	7167	Apr. 10	Apr. 26	May 8	88-18
Authorizing Association of Universalist Women to consolidate with the Alliance of Unitarian Women.	S. 1227	Mar. 28	DC	DC	....	May 13	....	177	8512	8274	May 14	May 13	May 15	88-19
Providing additional compensation for veterans having service-incurred disability of deafness of both ears.	H.R. 199	Jan. 9	VA	Fin	Jan. 29	Apr. 25	1	157	5182	7519	Apr 1	May 1	May 15	88-20
To increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to children and parents of deceased veterans.	H.R. 211	Jan. 9	VA	Fin	Mar. 6	Apr. 25	64	158	5192	7519	Apr. 1	May 1	May 15	88-21
Providing additional compensation for veterans suffering from complete loss of speech.	H.R. 214	Jan. 9	VA	Fin	Jan. 29	Apr. 25	3	159	5183	7520	Apr. 1	May 1	May 15	88-22
Designating the week of May 20-26, 1963, as National Actors' Equity Week.	S.J. Res. 39	Feb. 5	Jud	Jud	May 7	Apr. 23	278	142	8036	6932	May 8	Apr. 24	May 17	88-23
To redesignate the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument and revise the boundaries thereof.	S. 138 (H.R. 3200)	Jan. 14	IIA	IIA	Apr. 29	Apr. 8	248	116	7810	6006	May 6	Apr. 9	May 17	88-24
Making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1963.........	H.R. 5517	Apr. 5	App	App	Apr. 5	Apr. 24	198	155	6162	7588	Apr. 10	May 1	May 17	88-25
Feed Grain Act of 1963..........................	H.R. 4997	Mar. 19	Agr	Agr	Apr. 2	May 9	180	172	7108	8864	Apr. 25	May 16	May 20	88-26
Amending the Federal Criminal Code in connection with offenses committed out of the jurisdiction of any State or district.	H.R. 2842	Jan. 28	Jud	Jud	Mar. 12	Apr. 23	98	146	4402	7092	Mar. 18	Apr. 25	May 23	88-27

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Authorizing funds for procurement of aircraft, missiles, and naval vessels for fiscal year 1964.	H.R. 2440	Jan. 21	AS	AS	Mar. 6	Apr. 9	62	123	4091	6432	Mar. 13	Apr. 11	May 23	88-28
To provide for the development of Federal and State outdoor recreation programs.	S. 20 (H.R. 1762)	Jan. 14	IIA	IIA	Mar. 28	Feb. 28	160	11	7246	3899	Apr. 29	Mar. 11	May 28	88-29
Providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit	H.R. 6009	May 2	WM	Fin	May 6	May 23	277	186	8560	9740	May 15	May 28	May 29	88-30
Reduction of temporary additional Federal unemployment tax and authorization of employment security administrative expenses.	H.R. 4655	Mar. 7	WM	Fin	Apr. 11	May 9	211	174	7229	8459	Apr. 29	May 14	May 29	88-31
Providing a 3-year suspension of duty on corkboard insulation and cork stoppers.	H.R. 2053	Jan. 17	WM	Fin	Feb. 4	Apr. 25	26	160	3002	7188	Feb. 26	Apr. 26	May 29	88-32
To change the name of Harpers Ferry National Monument to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park.	S. 18	Jan. 14	IIA	IIA	May 13	Apr. 8	291	114	8932	6006	May 20	Apr. 9	May 29	88-33
Authorizing a survey and establishment of a townsite for the Juneau Indian Village, Alaska.	S. 247	Jan. 15	IIA	IIA	May 14	Apr. 9	294	124	8933	6434	May 20	Apr. 11	May 29	88-34
Authorizing the sale of certain public lands in Nevada to Lincoln County.	S. 873 (H.R. 4151)	Feb. 20	IIA	IIA	Apr. 29	Apr. 9	251	119	7811	6432	May 6	Apr. 11	May 29	88-35
To repeal the silver purchase acts and the related transfer tax on silver bullion.	H.R. 5389	Apr. 2	BC	BC	Apr. 3	May 13	183	175	6167	9372	Apr. 10	May 23	June 4	88-36
To consolidate the Vicksburg National Military Park and provide for adjustments necessitated by the installation of a park tour road.	S. 386 (H.R. 1162)	Jan. 21	IIA	IIA	May 13	Apr. 8	292	115	8936	6340	May 20	Apr. 10	June 4	88-37
To prohibit discrimination based on sex in wages paid for employment in interstate commerce.	S. 1409 (H.R. 6060)	Apr. 30	EdL	LPW	May 20	May 13	309	176	9217	8916	May 23	May 17	June 10	88-38
Fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of the Treasury and Post Office, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies.	H.R. 5366	Apr. 1	App	App	Apr. 1	May 3	179	168	5772	8030	Apr. 4	May 8	June 13	88-39
To extend grants-in-aid to the Republic of the Philippines for hospitalization of Commonwealth Army veterans.	H.R. 249 (S. 331)	Jan. 9	VA	LPW	Mar. 6	May 27	70	190	5186	10047	Apr. 1	June 4	June 13	88-40
Authorizing the lending of certain military equipment to the Boy Scouts in connection with their 1964 Jamboree.	H.R. 2439	Jan. 21	AS	AS	Jan. 29	June 4	4	206	1632	10592	Feb. 4	June 11	June 21	88-41
To extend the filing date of a report on study of State taxation of interstate commerce being made by the House Committee on the Judiciary.	H.R. 6441	May 20	Jud	Jud	May 23	June 13	342	242	10053	10967	June 4	June 17	June 21	88-42
Authorizing modification of the repayment contract with the Grand Valley Water Users' Association.	H.R. 2821	Jan. 28	IIA	IIA	Mar. 7	June 13	73	237	4396	10966	Mar. 18	June 17	June 21	88-43
Providing for the renewal of certain long-term water supply contracts under the Reclamation Project Act.	H.R. 131	Jan. 9	IIA	IIA	Mar. 11	June 13	84	238	5187	11146	Apr. 1	June 19	June 21	88-44
To require authorization for certain appropriations for the Coast Guard.	H.R. 79	Jan. 9	MMF	Com	Feb. 21	June 4	34	205	3051	10593	Feb. 27	June 11	June 21	88-45
Providing for the withdrawal and use of public lands at Cuddeback Lake Air Force Range, Calif., by the Air Force.	H.R. 3574	Feb. 7	IIA	IIA	Apr. 1	June 17	178	258	6603	11148	Apr. 22	June 19	June 21	88-46
Authorizing continued use of certain lands in Sequoia National Park by portions of an existing hydroelectric project in California.	H.J. Res. 180	Jan. 24	IIA	IIA	Mar. 28	June 17	163	259	6602	11147	Apr. 22	June 19	June 21	88-47
Extension of period relating to placement and foster care of dependent children under the Social Security Act.	H.R. 2651	Jan. 24	WM	Fin	June 17	June 25	390	307	11235	11533	June 20	June 25	June 29	88-48
Extending the suspension of duty on imports of crude chicory and reduction in duty on ground chicory.	H.R. 2827	Jan. 28	WM	Fin	June 17	June 25	389	308	11234	11533	June 20	June 25	June 29	88-49
Extending the suspension of duties for metal scrap	H.R. 4174	Feb. 25	WM	Fin	June 18	June 25	419	309	11234	11533	June 20	June 25	June 29	88-50
To repeal the power of the Postmaster General to fix postage rates on 4th-class mail.	H.R. 5795	Apr. 23	POCS	POCS	June 13	June 25	387	311	11418	11536	June 24	June 25	June 29	88-51

Extending for 1 year existing corporate normal-tax rates and certain excise-tax rates.	H.R. 6755	June 4	WM	Fin	June 7	June 20	370	281	10859	11362	June 13	June 24	June 29	88–52
Continuing the existing reduction of the exemption from duty enjoyed by returning residents.	H.R. 6791	June 4	WM	Fin	June 7	June 25	371	305	11236	11534	June 20	June 25	June 29	88–53
To extend for 2 years the broadened eligibility presently provided for certain mortgage insurance.	H.J. Res. 467	June 11	BC	BC	June 13	June 24	386	304	10911	11720	June 17	June 26	June 29	88–54
Continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1964 through Aug. 31, 1963.	H.J. Res. 508	June 25	App	App	June 25	June 25	448	306	11458	11541	June 25	June 25	June 29	88–55
Designating the Bear Creek Dam on the Lehigh River in Pennsylvania as the Francis E. Walter Dam.	H.R. 5367	Apr. 2	PW	PW	....	June 19	....	272	5804	11300	Apr. 4	June 20	July 8	88–56
To make punishable on the same basis as perjury the making of false statements under oath relative to applications for licenses for the sale of insurance in the D.C.	H.R. 1937	Jan. 17	DC	DC	Mar. 8	June 24	77	294	3914	11722	Mar. 11	June 26	July 8	88–57
To provide for an additional Assistant Secretary of the Treasury..	S. 1359	Apr. 24	WM	Fin	June 20	May 9	432	173	11809	8451	June 27	May 14	July 8	88–58
To amend the Federal Employees' Health Benefits Act so as to provide additional choice of health benefits plans.	H.R. 1819	Jan. 14	POCS	POCS	Apr. 4	June 17	190	251	8931	11719	May 20	June 26	July 8	88–59
Increasing the jurisdiction of the municipal court for the D.C. in civil actions, and to change the name of the court.	H.R. 3537	Feb. 7	DC	DC	Mar. 8	June 24	83	297	3911	11723	Mar. 11	June 26	July 8	88–60
To facilitate the carrying out of voluntary programs for promotion, research, and education relating to livestock.	H.R. 5860	Apr. 25	Agr	Agr	May 9	June 19	284	280	8933	11369	May 20	June 24	July 8	88–61
To change the name of Short Mountain lock and dam and reservoir, in Oklahoma, to Robert S. Kerr lock and dam and reservoir.	H.J. Res. 82	Jan. 9	PW	PW	Apr. 22	June 19	220	273	7808	11300	May 6	June 20	July 8	88–62
To improve the active-duty promotion opportunity of Air Force officers from the grade of major to the grade of lieutenant colonel.	H.R. 6681 (S. 1809)	May 29	AS	AS	June 18	June 27	416	337	11804	12252	June 27	July 9	July 17	88–63
Providing for increased wheat acreage allotments in the Tulelake area of California.	S. 762 (H.R. 6998)	Feb. 11	Agr	Agr	July 1	May 1	496	166	12164	7634	July 8	May 2	July 17	88–64
Providing for acceptance by the U.S. of an instrument for the amendment of the constitution of the International Labor Organization.	S.J. Res. 60	Mar. 14	FA	FR	June 20	May 16	433	179	12158	9047	July 8	May 20	July 17	88–65
Extending the principles of equitable adjudication to sales under the Alaska Public Sale Act.	S. 535 (H.R. 6689)	Jan. 25	IIA	IIA	June 25	June 19	453	264	12161	11363	July 8	June 24	July 19	88–66
To repeal the Inland Waterways Corporation Act and provide for the liquidation of its affairs.	S. 1031 (H.R. 2876)	Mar. 7	IFC	Com	May 27	June 6	347	207	12147	10594	July 8	June 11	July 19	88–67
Extending for 2 years provisions for permitting the lease and transfer of tobacco acreage allotments.	S. 581 (H.R. 5930)	Jan. 29	Agr	Agr	June 4	June 20	360	286	12146	11554	July 8	June 25	July 19	88–68
Relating to U.S. participation in the International Bureau for the Protection of Industrial Property.	H.J. Res. 405 (S.J. Res. 64)	May 14	FA	FR	June 20	July 2	431	343	12158	12427 12253	July 8	July 11 July 9	July 19	88–69
Authorizing reimbursement for Members of the House of Representatives for transportation expenses for two round trips to their home districts each fiscal year.	H.R. 4946	Mar. 18	HA	RAdm	June 25	July 10	471	348	11498	12427	June 25	July 11	July 19	88–70
To provide medical care for certain Coast and Geodetic Survey retired ships' officers and crew members and their dependents.	S. 969	Mar. 1	MMF	Com	June 6	May 27	367	197	12153	9778	July 8	May 28	July 19	88–71
Authorizing construction funds for the Atomic Energy Commission for fiscal year 1964.	S. 1745 (H.R. 7139)	June 19	AE	AE	June 24	June 24	446	303	12175	11572	July 8	June 25	July 22	88–72
To convey certain lands to the city of Henderson, Nev..........	H.R. 2461	Jan. 24	IIA	IIA	May 23	July 2	318	344	10051	12427	June 4	July 11	July 22	88–73
Authorizing funds for State construction of research facilities at State agricultural experiment stations.	H.R. 40	Jan. 9	Agr	Agr	May 2	June 20	271	288	7815	12402	May 6	July 10	July 22	88–74
To amend the Lead-Zinc Small Producers Stabilization Act so as to assure that only small producers will receive benefits.	H.R. 3845	Feb. 18	IIA	IIA	Mar. 28	June 13	175	239	6384	12653	Apr. 11	July 16	July 25	88–75
To extend for 2 years exemption of peanuts for boiling from marketing quotas.	S. 582 (H.R. 101)	Jan. 29	Agr	Agr	May 2	June 20	272	285	12773	11556	July 17	June 25	July 25	88–76
Revising the standards for granting the Medal of Honor and other medals.	H.R. 2998	Jan. 29	AS	AS	June 18	July 15	412	359	12155	12675	July 8	July 16	July 25	88–77
To proclaim as Veterinary Medicine Week the week beginning July 28, 1963.	H.J. Res. 513	Jan. 17	Jud	....	June 16	....	555	....	12772	12825	July 17	July 18	July 26	88–78
Fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies.	H.R. 5279	Mar. 28	App	App	Mar. 28	May 22	177	181	5447	9760	Apr. 2	May 28	July 26	88–79
Extending the time by which a lease transferring a tobacco acreage allotment may be filed.	H.J. Res. 403	May 9	Agr	Agr	June 4	July 18	361	365	12146	13051	July 8	July 22	July 30	88–80
To lower from 21 years to 19 years age requirement for registration as a nurse by the Nurses' Examining Board of the D.C.	H.R. 1933	Jan. 17	DC	DC	Mar. 8	July 18	75	369	3909	13050	Mar. 11	July 22	July 30	88–81
Granting an easement for the use of lands in Camp Pendleton, Calif., for a nuclear electric generating station.	S. 546	Jan. 28	AS	AS	July 9	June 27	509	315	12492	11992	July 15	June 28	July 30	88–82

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Providing for free entry of an orthicon image assembly for the use of the Medical College of Georgia.	H.R. 3272	Jan. 31	WM	Fin	June 19	July 24	425	375	11810	13392	June 27	July 25	Aug. 5	88–83
To amend the inland and western rivers rules concerning anchor lights and fog signals in special anchorage areas.	S. 1036	Mar. 7	MMF	Com	June 6	May 27	368	195	12153	9776	July 8	May 28	Aug. 5	88–84
To allow hearing time to be set by controlling statutes in the D.C. small claims court.	S. 489	Jan. 24	DC	DC	July 18	June 24	561	295	13116	11722	July 23	June 26	Aug. 5	88–85
To provide that polished sheets and plates of iron or steel shall be subject to the same duty as unpolished sheets and plates.	H.R. 3674	Feb. 11	WM	Fin	June 21	July 24	440	376	11808	13393	June 27	July 25	Aug. 5	88–86
Providing for free entry of a mass spectrometer for the use of Stanford University.	H.R. 2221	Jan. 17	WM	Fin	June 19	July 24	423	373	11810	13392	June 27	July 25	Aug. 5	88–87
Declaring a portion of the Benton Harbor Canal, Mich., a nonnavigable stream.	H.R. 4646	Mar. 7	IFC	PW	June 27	July 18	482	361	12162	13047	July 8	July 22	Aug. 5	88–88
Eliminating requirement that an alphabetical file on motor vehicle and trailer liens be kept by the D.C.	S. 490	Jan. 24	DC	DC	July 18	June 24	562	296	13113	11723	July 23	June 26	Aug. 5	88–89
Continuing until 1966 existing suspension of duty on certain istle or Tampico fiber.	H.R. 6011	May 2	WM	Fin	June 19	July 24	427	378	11807	13393	June 27	July 25	Aug. 8	88–90
Authorizing exchange of lands between the town of Powell, Wyo., and the Presbyterian Retirement Facilities Corp.	S. 1122 (H.R. 5076)	Mar. 19	IIA	IIA	June 25	June 19	451	265	12291	11364	July 9	June 24	Aug. 8	88–91
Extending for 3 years period during which certain tanning extracts may be imported duty free.	H.R. 2675	Jan. 24	WM	Fin	June 19	July 24	424	374	11807	13394	June 27	July 25	Aug. 8	88–92
To suspend for 3 years the import duty on heptanoic acid	H.R. 5712	Apr. 22	WM	Fin	June 19	July 24	426	377	11807	13393	June 27	July 25	Aug. 8	88–93
Foreign Service Buildings Act amendments	H.R. 5207	Mar. 28	FA	FR	Apr. 4	May 15	194	178	7497	9373	May 1	May 23	Aug. 12	88–94
Extending an invitation to hold the 1968 winter Olympic games at Lake Placid, N.Y.	H.J. Res. 324 (S.J. Res. 67)	Mar. 12	FA	FR	June 24	Aug. 2	444	386	12159	14218	July 8	Aug. 6	Aug. 12	88–95
To change the name of Bruces Eddy Dam and Reservoir, Idaho, to the Dworshak Dam and Reservoir.	S. 850	Feb. 19	PW	PW	July 22	June 19	569	268	14065	11299	Aug. 5	June 20	Aug. 15	88–96
Changing the name of Fort Randall Reservoir, S. Dak., to Lake Francis Case.	S. 130	Jan. 14	PW	PW	July 22	June 19	567	266	14065	11298	Aug. 5	June 20	Aug. 15	88–97
Changing the name of Big Bend Reservoir, S. Dak., to Lake Sharpe.	S. 131	Jan. 14	PW	PW	July 22	June 19	568	269	14065	11299	Aug. 5	June 20	Aug. 15	88–98
To extend the boundaries of the Cache National Forest in Utah by including 1,700 additional acres.	S. 1388	Apr. 26	Agr	Agr	July 29	June 20	597	283	14068	11552	Aug. 5	June 25	Aug. 19	88–99
National Cultural Center Amendments Act of 1963	S. 1652	June 4	PW	PW	Aug. 1	July 18	629	362	14073	13047	Aug. 5	July 22	Aug. 19	88–100
To increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank of Washington.	H.R. 3872	Feb. 18	BC	BC	Mar. 11	June 19	86	262	7487	11374	May 1	June 24	Aug. 20	88–101
To authorize construction and equipping of buildings in connection with Bureau of the Mint operations.	S. 874	Feb. 20	PW	BC	Aug. 1	Apr. 30	628	163	14071	8205	Aug. 5	May 9	Aug. 20	88–102
To exclude cargo which is lumber from certain filing requirements under the Shipping Act.	S. 1032 (H.R. 1157)	Mar. 7	MMF	Com	Aug. 1	June 19	630	261	14082	11376	Aug. 5	June 24	Aug. 22	88–103
Authorizing payment of Federal funds for operation of the D.C. government.	H.R. 6177	May 8	DC	DC	June 21	July 18	438	371	11388	13087	June 24	July 22	Aug. 27	88–104
Authorizing the printing as a House document of the annual proceedings of the Veterans of World War I.	H.R. 7043	June 13	HA	RAdm	July 23	Aug. 14	571	392	13111	15178	July 23	Aug. 15	Aug. 27	88–105
Continuing through Nov. 30, 1963, the existing temporary increase in the public debt limit.	H.R. 7824	July 30	WM	Fin	Aug. 3	Aug. 19	634	403	14596	15432	Aug. 8	Aug. 20	Aug. 27	88–106
Authorizing presentation of an Air Force Medal of Recognition to Maj. Gen. Benjamin D. Foulios, retired.	S.J. Res. 51	Feb. 28	AS	AS	July 31	June 27	622	......	15444	11853	Aug. 20	June 27	Aug. 27	88–107
To provide for settlement of the dispute between certain railroad carriers and railroad brotherhoods.	S.J. Res. 102 (H.J. Res. 665)	July 22	IFC	Com	Aug. 26	Aug. 23	713	459	16144	15983	Aug. 28	Aug. 27	Aug. 28	88–108
Making continuing appropriations through Oct. 31, 1963	H.J. Res. 667	Aug. 27	App	App	......	Aug. 27	......	......	15995	15950	Aug. 27	Aug. 27	Aug. 28	88–109
Revising authority for deferment from certain Reserve training and revising special enlisted training programs.	H.R. 6996	June 12	AS	AS	June 18	Aug. 6	418	388	12157	14502	July 8	Aug. 7	Sept. 3	88–110

D.C. Business Corporation Act amendments	H.R. 4330	Feb. 27	DC	DC	Apr. 12	June 24	216	298	6614	11724	Apr. 22	June 26	Sept. 3	88-111
To correct a land description in the act exchanging land between the U.S. and the Southern Ute Indian Tribe.	H.R. 5883	Apr. 25	IIA	IIA	July 1	Aug. 26	493	463	12163	16098	July 8	Aug. 28	Sept. 6	88-112
Fiscal 1964 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.	H.R. 7500	July 11	SA	Aer	July 25	Aug. 2	591	385	13861	14710	Aug. 1	Aug. 9	Sept. 6	88-113
To remove percentage limitations on retirement of enlisted personnel of the Coast Guard.	S. 1194	Mar. 28	MMF	Com	July 30	June 4	603	204	14082	10592	Aug. 5	June 11	Sept. 6	88-114
Granting consent for a 4-year extension of the Interstate Compact To Conserve Oil and Gas.	S.J. Res. 33 (H.J. Res. 220)	Jan. 29	IFC	IIA	Aug. 14	Aug. 2	681	384	15307	14216	Aug. 19	Aug. 6	Sept. 6	88-115
To cancel irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Wind River Indian irrigation project, Wyoming.	H.R. 6710	May 31	IIA	IIA	July 1	Aug. 26	495	464	12163	16099	July 8	Aug. 28	Sept. 6	88-116
Designating the dam being constructed and the reservoir to be formed on the Des Moines River, Iowa, as Red Rock Dam and Lake Red Rock.	H.R. 1135	Jan. 9	PW	PW	July 30	Aug. 23	618	453	14070	16095	Aug. 5	Aug. 28	Sept. 6	88-117
To repeal a portion of the law relating to the purchase and installation of air-conditioning equipment in Government buildings.	S. 1139 (H.R. 3804)	Mar. 19	PW	PW	Aug. 12	June 19	654	278	15298	11368	Aug. 19	June 24	Sept. 6	88-118
Providing for the withdrawal and reservation for the Navy of certain public lands at Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range, Calif.	H.R. 5222	Mar. 28	IIA	IIA	May 23	Aug. 26	320	466	10052	16099	June 4	Aug. 28	Sept. 6	88-119
Authorizing acceptance of land for the right-of-way for a new entrance to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park.	H.R. 3887	Feb. 18	IIA	IIA	Apr. 29	Aug. 26	249	465	7812	16099	May 6	Aug. 28	Sept. 9	88-120
Authorizing construction of a bank protection project on the Guyandot River at Barboursville, W. Va.	H.R. 2671	Jan. 24	PW	PW	July 29	Aug. 23	592	455	14067	16096	Aug. 5	Aug. 28	Sept. 9	88-121
To modify the Rend Lake, Ill., flood control project	H.R. 4823	Mar. 13	PW	PW	July 9	Aug. 23	503	454	12491	16096	July 15	Aug. 28	Sept. 9	88-122
Designating the McGee Bend Dam and Reservoir on the Angelina River, Tex., as the Sam Rayburn Dam and Reservoir.	H.R. 7594	July 16	PW	PW	July 25	Aug. 23	581	456	14066	16097	Aug. 5	Aug. 28	Sept. 11	88-123
Favoring the holding of Olympic games in America in 1968	S.J. Res. 72	Apr. 26	F	FR	Aug. 30	Aug. 2	720	386	16565	14219	Sept. 9	Aug. 6	Sept. 16	88-124
Authorizing exchange of certain lands between the U.S., the State of Oregon, and the C. & B. Livestock Co.	S. 1185	Mar. 25	IIA	IIA	Aug. 19	June 17	690	260	16563	11147	Sept. 9	June 19	Sept. 17	88-125
To designate State agencies to work with the VA in approving educational courses for war orphans.	S. 330	Jan. 18	VA	LPW	Aug. 14	June 27	676	334	16562	12249	Sept. 9	July 9	Sept. 23	88-126
Relating to acquiring Government-insured mortgages on housing at NASA and AEC installations	S. 1952	July 29	....	BC	....	Sept. 11	....	487	17213	16846 16849	Sept. 17	Sept. 12	Sept. 23	88-127
Providing that professional nurses shall be registered as staff officers in the U.S. merchant marine.	H.R. 5781	Apr. 23	MMF	Com	June 5	Aug. 30	364	478	12147	16415	July 8	Sept. 5	Sept. 23	88-128
Health Professions Educational Assistance Act of 1963	H.R. 12	Jan. 9	IFC	LPW	Mar. 19	Sept. 10	109	485	6899	16846	Apr. 24	Sept. 12	Sept. 24	88-129
Making revisions relating to the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of Coast Guard officers.	H.R. 5623	Apr. 11	MMF	Com	July 25	Aug. 30	583	476	14083	16415	Aug. 5	Sept. 5	Sept. 24	88-130
Authorizing the President to proclaim certain regulations for preventing collisions at sea.	H.R. 6012	May 2	MMF	Com	June 6	Aug. 30	365	477	12148	16415	July 8	Sept. 5	Sept. 24	88-131
Increasing rates of pay of members of the armed services	H.R. 5555	Apr. 9	AS	AS	Apr. 11	Aug. 5	208	387	8044	14215	May 8	Aug. 6	Oct. 2	88-132
To amend in several regards the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937, and related acts.	H.R. 8100	Aug. 15	IFC	LPW	Sept. 12	Sept. 20	748	510	17215	17861	Sept. 17	Sept. 24	Oct. 5	88-133
To increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation payable to widows of veterans who died from service-connected disabilities.	H.R. 5250	Mar. 28	VA	Fin	Aug. 14	Sept. 12	678	494	15302	17993	Aug. 19	Sept. 25	Oct. 5	88-134
Permitting the selection of smaller than 5,700-acre tracts of national forest lands in Alaska for community development purposes.	H.R. 6118	May 7	IIA	IIA	Aug. 12	Aug. 26	647	468	15296	16100	Aug. 19	Aug. 28	Oct. 8	88-135
Fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare.	H.R. 5888	Apr. 25	App	App	Apr. 25	Aug. 1	246	383	7404	14502	Apr. 30	Aug. 7	Oct. 11	88-136
Authorizing immediate treatment of minors in the D.C. who are found to have venereal disease.	H.R. 2485	Jan. 24	DC	DC	Mar. 8	July 18	79	370	3913	13050	Mar. 11	July 22	Oct. 11	88-137
Establishing a Federal Commission to study possible uses of Alcatraz Island.	H.R. 1709	Jan. 10	Jud	Jud	Apr. 23	Sept. 30	232	536	7805	18552	May 6	Oct. 2	Oct. 16	88-138
Eliminating the statutory requirement that Federal district courts hold formal terms.	H.R. 2845	Jan. 28	Jud	Jud	Mar. 12	Sept. 30	96	547	4399	18553	Mar. 18	Oct. 2	Oct. 16	88-139
To define the interest of local public agencies in federally constructed reservoirs where such agencies have contributed to the construction costs.	H.R. 1696	Jan. 10	PW	PW	July 30	Oct. 2	619	554	14070	18694	Aug. 5	Oct. 3	Oct. 16	88-140
To permit the city of Detroit to transfer land purchased for low-rent housing to urban renewal purposes.	H.R. 772	Jan. 9	BC	BC	Aug. 12	Sept. 19	649	508	15297	18697	Aug. 19	Oct. 3	Oct. 16	88-141

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To change the name of the Memphis lock and dam, Alabama, to Aliceville lock and dam.	S. 453	Jan. 23	PW	PW	Oct. 1	June 19	779	267	18872	11298	Oct. 7	June 20	Oct. 16	88-142
To furnish medals in commemoration of the 250th anniversary of death of Father Junipero Serra.	S. 743	Feb. 7	BC	BC	Sept. 25	June 24	768	291	18871	11717	Oct. 7	June 26	Oct. 16	88-143
Authorizing the State of Rhode Island to maintain and operate the bridge across Mount Hope Bay.	S. 1936	July 24	PW	PW	Oct. 1	Aug. 23	780	451	18872	16091	Oct. 7	Aug. 28	Oct. 16	88-144
To release restrictions and reservations on certain real property heretofore conveyed to the State of Arkansas by the U.S.	S. 812	Feb. 18	AS	GO	Sept. 24	Mar. 1	760	14	18868	14215	Oct. 7	Aug. 6	Oct. 16	88-145
Entitling to travel expenses those student trainees assigned to Federal positions for which there is a manpower shortage.	S. 814 (H.R. 4460)	Feb. 18	GO	GO	Sept. 25	May 23	772	184	18869	9481	Oct. 7	May 27	Oct. 16	88-146
Providing for striking of medals on 100th anniversary of Nevada statehood.	S. 1125	Mar. 7	BC	BC	Sept. 25	June 24	770	290	18871	11718	Oct. 7	June 26	Oct. 16	88-147
Authorizing the GSA to convey certain U.S. lands in Arkansas to the city of Fayetteville.	S. 13	Jan. 14	VA	GO	Oct. 1	Mar. 1	788	15	18878	3489	Oct. 7	Mar. 4	Oct. 17	88-148
Fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Defense........	H.R. 7179	June 21	App	App	June 21	Sept. 17	439	502	11772	17894	June 26	Sept. 24	Oct. 17	88-149
Extending time for holding annual meetings under the Federal Credit Union Act.	H.R. 4842	Mar. 12	BC	BC	Aug. 12	Sept. 19	648	509	15297	18697	Aug. 19	Oct. 3	Oct. 17	88-150
Authorizing VA to waive or release claims following default and loss of property by the borrower veteran under certain conditions.	H.R. 242	Jan. 9	VA	LPW	Mar. 6	....	67	....	4393	10992	Mar. 18	June 17	Oct. 17	88-151
To extend Civil Rights Commission for 1 year..................	H.R. 3369	Feb. 4	Jud	Fin	Mar. 28	Sept. 12	151	495	6609	18492	Apr. 22	Oct. 1	Oct. 17	88-152
Relating to the deductibility for income tax purposes of accrued vacation pay.	H.R. 6246	May 13	WM	Fin	June 17	Sept. 12	391	488	11806	18694	June 27	Oct. 3	Oct. 17	88-153
Waiving the normal 6-month waiting period for disposal from our national stockpile of certain waterfowl feathers and down.	S. 1994	Aug. 6	AS	AS	Sept. 24	Aug. 6	759	390	18878	14504	Oct. 7	Aug. 7	Oct. 17	88-154
Authorizing the printing and binding of an edition of Senate Procedure.	S.J. Res. 123	Oct. 1	HA	RAdm	Oct. 16	Oct. 9	854	560	19611	19367	Oct. 16	Oct. 11	Oct. 18	88-155
To increase Federal aid under the maternal and child health services program for mental retardation programs.	H.R. 7544	July 15	WM	Fin	Aug. 5	Oct. 1	637	551	16013	18566	Aug. 27	Oct. 2	Oct. 24	88-156
Federal-Aid Highway Amendments Act of 1963............	H.R. 7195	June 24	PW	PW	July 11	Oct. 1	550	552	13266	18580	July 24	Oct. 2	Oct. 24	88-157
To improve housing facilities for the elderly..................	H.J. Res. 724	Sept. 11	BC	BC	Sept. 19	Oct. 10	754	561	18147	19459	Sept. 26	Oct. 15	Oct. 24	88-158
Authorizing removal of certain assessable land from the Wapato Indian irrigation project, Washington.	H.R. 641	Jan. 9	IIA	IIA	May 14	Oct. 17	295	563	8933	19854	May 20	Oct. 21	Oct. 28	88-159
Relating to the validity of certain rice acreage allotments for 1962 and prior crop years.	H.J. Res. 192	Jan. 24	Agr	Agr	July 29	Sept. 18	595	503	14068	19747	Aug. 5	Oct. 17	Oct. 28	88-160
To withdraw for use by the Navy certain lands at Mojave B Aerial Gunnery Range, San Bernardino County, Calif.	H.R. 4588	Mar. 6	IIA	IIA	Apr. 29	Oct. 17	252	564	7811	19854	May 6	Oct. 21	Oct. 29	88-161
Continuing appropriations through Nov. 30, 1963, for fiscal year 1964.	H.J. Res. 782	Oct. 28	App	App	....	....	....	....	20368	20353	Oct. 28	Oct. 28	Oct. 30	88-162
To provide for exceptions to the rules of navigation with respect to operating beneath bridges.	H.R. 75	Jan. 9	MMF	Com	June 11	Oct. 17	375	569	10910	19900	June 17	Oct. 21	Oct. 30	88-163
Mental Retardation Facilities and Community Mental Health Centers Construction Act of 1963.	S. 1576	May 21	IFC	LPW	Aug. 21	May 21	694	180	16653	9519	Sept. 10	May 27	Oct. 31	88-164
To substitute "candela" for "candle" as the unit of measurements of luminous intensity.	S. 1064	Mar. 14	SA	Com	Oct. 14	June 27	846	336	19945	12252	Oct. 21	July 9	Nov. 4	88-165
Declaring that certain U.S. land is held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation.	H.R. 844	Jan. 9	IIA	IIA	Mar. 21	Oct. 21	111	576	5190	20068	Apr. 1	Oct. 22	Nov. 4	88-166
To include the Fort Mohave Indian Reservation among reservations excepted from the 25-year lease limitation.	H.R. 2635	Jan. 24	IIA	IIA	Mar. 21	Oct. 21	113	579	5191	20069	Apr. 1	Oct. 22	Nov. 4	88-167
Establishing a fund to help finance procurement of expert assistance for Indians in cases before the Indian Claims Commission.	H.R. 3306	Feb. 4	IIA	IIA	July 1	Aug. 27	492	471	12162	19065	July 8	Oct. 9	Nov. 4	88-168

Declaring that certain U.S. land is held in trust for the Oglala Sioux Indian Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation.	H.R. 845	Jan. 9	IIA	IIA	Mar. 21	Oct. 21	112	577	5190	20068	Apr. 1	Oct. 22	Nov. 4	88-169
Authorizing funds for the rehabilitation of Guam from typhoon damage.	H.R. 6225	May 9	IIA	IIA	Aug. 21	Oct. 21	692	586	16155	20073	Aug. 28	Oct. 22	Nov. 4	88-170
To permit the government of Guam to authorize a public authority to undertake housing activities.	H.R. 6481	May 23	IIA	IIA	June 24	Oct. 21	443	587	14061	20098	Aug. 5	Oct. 22	Nov. 4	88-171
To make certain changes in the functions of the Beach Erosion Board and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors.	S. 1523	May 13	PW	PW	Oct. 14	June 19	848	271	19946	11365	Oct. 21	June 24	Nov. 7	88-172
Amending the law relating to methods of restoration to the Treasury of certain Federal funds made available to the States for unemployment compensation.	H.R. 8821	Oct. 14	WM	Fin	Oct. 18	Nov. 4	860	629	19990	21046	Oct. 22	Nov. 5	Nov. 7	88-173
Authorizing funds for military construction for fiscal year 1964...	H.R. 6500	May 23	AS	AS	May 27	Oct. 21	345	571	10188	20093	June 5	Oct. 22	Nov. 7	88-174
To amend the Bankruptcy Act with respect to the filing of claims in chapter II proceedings.	H.R. 1049	Jan. 9	Jud	Jud	Mar. 28	Oct. 29	159	605	6602	20600	Apr. 22	Oct. 30	Nov. 13	88-175
To clarify the status of Federal circuit and district judges retired from regular active service.	H.R. 2835	Jan. 28	Jud	Jud	Mar. 12	Oct. 29	95	596	4399	20599	Mar. 18	Oct. 30	Nov. 13	88-176
Granting congressional consent to the establishment of the Hanover, N.H., and Norwich, Vt., Interstate School District.	H.J. Res. 626	Aug. 5	Jud	Jud	Aug. 14	Oct. 29	674	616	16561	20600	Sept. 9	Oct. 30	Nov. 13	88-177
Authorizing the U.S. Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development to vote for an increase in the Bank's authorized capital stock.	H.R. 7405	July 8	BC	FR	Aug. 12	Nov. 1	651	625	15299	21045	Aug. 19	Nov. 5	Nov. 13	88-178
Authorizing the GSA Administrator to convey certain land in Prince Georges County, Md., to the American National Red Cross.	S. 876	Feb. 21	GO	GO	Oct. 10	May 23	830	185	20932	9481	Nov. 4	May 27	Nov. 13	88-179
Authorizing the government of the Virgin Islands to issue general obligation bonds.	H.R. 1989	Jan. 17	IIA	IIA	Mar. 25	Oct. 21	115	582	6384	20097	Apr. 11	Oct. 22	Nov. 19	88-180
Modifying the project on the Mississippi River at Muscatine, Iowa, so as to permit the use of certain property for public park purposes.	H.R. 5244	Mar. 28	PW	PW	Oct. 14	Nov. 7	849	636	19946	21470	Oct. 21	Nov. 8	Nov. 19	88-181
To approve a compromise and settlement agreement of the Navajo Tribe of Indians.	S. 912 (H.R. 7123)	Feb. 25	IIA	IIA	Oct. 30	Aug. 27	877	472	22022	16102	Nov. 18	Aug. 28	Nov. 20	88-182
Relating to the jurisdiction over certain submerged lands of Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa.	H.R. 2073	Jan. 17	IIA	IIA	Apr. 23	Oct. 22	222	589	7804	20216	May 6	Oct. 24	Nov. 20	88-183
To strike a medal in commemoration of Indiana Statehood Sesquicentennial.	H.R. 3488	Feb. 7	BC	BC	Sept. 25	Nov. 6	766	630	18870	21267	Oct. 7	Nov. 7	Nov. 20	88-184
To strike a medal in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the first union health center in the U.S. by the ILGWU.	H.R. 7193	June 24	BC	BC	Sept. 25	Nov. 6	767	631	18870	21268	Oct. 7	Nov. 7	Nov. 20	88-185
To increase authorizations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.	S. 777	Feb. 11	FA	FR	Oct. 23	June 6	863	215	22506	10844	Nov. 20	June 13	Nov. 26	88-186
Providing a temporary increase in the public debt limit for the balance of fiscal year 1964.	H.R. 8969	Oct. 30	WM	Fin	Nov. 4	Nov. 20	885	646	21406	22605	Nov. 7	Nov. 21	Nov. 26	88-187
Continuing appropriations through Jan. 31, 1964..........	H.J. Res. 809	Nov. 26	App	App	....	Nov. 27	....	....	22805	22923	Nov. 26	Nov. 27	Nov. 29	88-188
Authorizing supplemental appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission.	S. 2267 (H.R. 8971)	Oct. 29	AE	AE	Nov. 20	Nov. 20	911	647	22806	22565	Nov. 26	Nov. 21	Nov. 29	88-189
To maintain in a more up-to-date fashion the Code of Federal Regulations.	H.R. 2837	Jan. 28	Jud	Jud	Mar. 6	Apr. 23	72	145	4396	7092	Mar. 18	Apr. 25	Dec. 2	88-190
Exempting life insurance companies of the D.C. from the regulation of loans on securities.	H.R. 3191	Jan. 31	DC	DC	May 9	Nov. 22	285	650	8332	22790	May 13	Nov. 26	Dec. 5	88-191
Allowing property in the D.C to be bequeathed or devised to trustees under or in accordance with terms of an existing trust.	H.R. 3190	Jan. 31	DC	DC	Apr. 12	Nov. 22	215	657	6617	22795	Apr. 22	Nov. 26	Dec. 5	88-192
To amend the D.C. Life Insurance Act relating to annual statements.	H.R. 7497	July 11	DC	DC	Apr. 23	Nov. 22	701	651	15833	22791	Aug. 26	Nov. 26	Dec. 5	88-193
Donating certain public land to the Devils Lake Sioux Tribe of the Fort Totten Indian Reservation, N. Dak.	H.R. 2905 (S. 536)	Jan. 28	IIA	IIA	May 14	Nov. 27	297	670	8935	23110	May 20	Dec. 3	Dec. 11	88-194
To provide office facilities, franking privileges, and Secret Service protection for Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy.	H.R. 9291	Nov. 29	....	....	....	....	....	....	22978	23119	Dec. 2	Dec. 3	Dec. 11	88-195
Authorizing sale and exchange of certain land on the Rosebud Sioux Indian Reservation, S. Dak.	H.R. 2467 (S. 711)	Jan. 24	IIA	IIA	May 14	Nov. 27	296	673	8935	23111	May 20	Dec. 3	Dec. 11	88-196
Authorizing acquisition of the Andrew Johnson home at Greenville, Tenn., for addition to the Andrew Johnson National Monument.	S. 1243 (H.R. 5345)	Apr. 1	IIA	IIA	Nov. 18	Oct. 17	905	570	22971	19855	Dec. 2	Oct. 21	Dec. 11	88-197

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Granting consent to the amendment by Colorado and New Mexico of the Costilla Creek Compact.	H.R. 5949	Apr. 30	IIA	IIA	Oct. 1	Nov. 26	783	666	18873	22935	Oct. 7	Nov. 27	Dec. 12	88-198
Authorizing acquisition of the Narborne House for the Salem Maritime National Historical Park, Mass.	H.R. 976	Jan. 9	IIA	IIA	June 20	Nov. 26	430	660	12158	22933	July 8	Nov. 27	Dec. 12	88-199
To increase authorizations for the administration of the Peace Corps Act.	H.R. 9009	Oct. 31	FA	FR	Nov. 7	Dec. 10	892	759	21631	24333	Nov. 13	Dec. 12	Dec. 13	88-200
Requiring auto seat belts shipped in interstate commerce to meet certain safety standards.	H.R. 134	Jan. 9	IFC	Com	June 11	Nov. 26	378	665	12328	22935	July 10	Nov. 27	Dec. 13	88-201
Authorizing the Commission established to report upon the assassination of the late President John F. Kennedy to compel attendance and testimony of witnesses and production of evidence.	S.J. Res. 137 (H.J. Res. 852)	Dec. 6	Jud	....	Dec. 10	....	1013	....	23941	23760	Dec. 10	Dec. 9	Dec. 13	88-202
To amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 so as to extend for 1 year the Mexican farm labor program.	S. 1703 (H.R. 8195)	June 11	Agr	Agr	Sept. 6	July 22 Aug. 6	722	372 391	20732	15219	Oct. 31	Aug. 15	Dec. 13	88-203
Higher Education Facilities Act	H.R. 6143	May 8	EL	LPW	May 21	Oct. 7	310	557	14952	19892	Aug. 14	Oct. 21	Dec. 16	88-204
Authorizing funds to continue the foreign assistance program for fiscal year 1964.	H.R. 7885	Aug. 1	FA	FR	Aug. 8	Oct. 22	646	588	15676	21981	Aug. 23	Nov. 15	Dec. 16	88-205
To accelerate and strengthen the Federal Air Pollution Control Program.	H.R. 6518 (S. 432)	May 23	IFC	PW	July 9	Nov. 7	508	638	13274	22334	July 24	Nov. 19	Dec. 17	88-206
To empower the VA Administrator to delegate to the Chief Medical Director authority to act upon the recommendations of disciplinary boards.	H.R. 5691	Apr. 11	VA	LPW	Aug. 14	Dec. 9	679	755	16564	24087	Sept. 9	Dec. 10	Dec. 17	88-207
To exempt the emergency towing of wrecked or disabled vehicles from the provisions of part II of the Interstate Commerce Act.	H.R. 2906	Jan. 28	IFC	Com	June 27	Nov. 26	483	664	12162	22934	July 8	Nov. 27	Dec. 17	88-208
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Transferring functions relating to mass transportation from the D.C. Public Utilities Commission to the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission.	S. 1533	May 14	DC	DC	Dec. 5	Nov. 22	1000	655	23854	22794	Dec. 9	Nov. 26	Dec. 18	88-212
Granting an extension of a design patent to the United Daughters of the Confederacy.	H.R. 5703	Apr. 11	Jud	Jud	July 16	Dec. 4	554	690	14249	23655	Aug. 6	Dec. 6	Dec. 18	88-213
To amend in several regards the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962.	H.R. 8720 (S. 1831)	Oct. 7	EL	LPW	Oct. 18	Sept. 4	861	480	24268	24515	Dec. 12	Dec. 13	Dec. 19	88-214
Fiscal 1964 appropriations for independent offices	H.R. 8747	Oct. 7	App	App	Oct. 7	Nov. 13	824	641	19222	22476	Oct. 10	Nov. 20	Dec. 19	88-215
Conveying to California reserved mineral rights in certain real property.	H.R. 4479	Mar. 4	IIA	IIA	Aug. 8	Dec. 9	645	752	15296	24086	Aug. 19	Dec. 10	Dec. 19	88-216
For the relief of the city of Binghamton, N.Y.	H.R. 5495	Apr. 4	Jud	Jud	May 23	Dec. 4	322	726	10053	23664	June 4	Dec. 6	Dec. 21	88-217
To provide for the creation of horizontal property regimes in the District of Columbia.	H.R. 4276	Feb. 26	DC	DC	May 9	Nov. 22	288	658	8339	23692	May 13	Dec. 6	Dec. 21	88-218
To increase from 10 to 20 miles the area within which the Postmaster General may establish post office branches.	H.R. 5778	Apr. 23	POCS	POCS	Aug. 5	Dec. 10	636	757	15296	24416	Aug. 19	Dec. 12	Dec. 21	88-219
Fiscal 1964 appropriations for military construction	H.R. 9139	Nov. 14	App	App	Nov. 14	Dec. 6	901	750	22033	23830	Nov. 18	Dec. 9	Dec. 21	88-220
For the relief of the city of Winslow, Ariz.	H.R. 7601	July 16	Jud	Jud	Oct. 1	Dec. 4	785	734	18877	23706	Oct. 7	Dec. 6	Dec. 21	88-221
For the relief of certain persons involved in the negotiation of forged or fraudulent Government checks issued at Parks Air Force Base, Calif.	H.R. 4839	Mar. 13	Jud	Jud	May 23	Dec. 12	321	771	10053	24523	June 4	Dec. 13	Dec. 21	88-222

To authorize the conveyance to the Waukegan Port District, Illinois, of certain real property of the U.S.	H.R. 6001	May 1	PW	PW	Oct. 14	Nov. 7	850	637	19946	23645	Oct. 21	Dec. 6	Dec. 21	88-223
To print as a House document annual proceedings of AMVETS...	H.R. 8751	Oct. 8	HA	RAdm	Dec. 2	Dec. 10	931	767	22977	24336	Dec. 2	Dec. 12	Dec. 21	88-224
Relating to the computation of refunds of construction-differential subsidies of vessels made after Dec. 31, 1959.	S. 1172	Mar. 25	MMF	Com	Dec. 12	Aug. 30	1029	474	24831	18753	Dec. 17	Oct. 7	Dec. 23	88-225
To provide that the Commission on the Disposition of Alcatraz Island shall have 6 months after its formation in which to make its report to the Congress.	S. 2364 (H.R. 9341)	Dec. 5	Jud	Jud	Dec. 10	Dec. 12	1018	772	24788	24455	Dec. 17	Dec. 13	Dec. 23	88-226
To amend the Merchant Marine Act so as to extend the time for commitment of construction reserve funds.	S. 1698	June 11	MMF	Com	Dec. 12	Nov. 26	1028	663	24831	23168	Dec. 17	Dec. 3	Dec. 23	88-227
Authorizing conveyance of U.S. interest in Fort Miles, Del., to the State of Delaware.	S. 1767 (H.R. 6678)	June 25	AS	AS	Dec. 16	Dec. 12	1042	773	24803	24544	Dec. 17	Dec. 13	Dec. 23	88-228
To amend the Alaska Public Works Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to collect, compromise, or release certain claims held by him under that act.	S. 1756 (H.R. 7170)	June 24	IIA	PW	Dec. 2	Aug. 23	937	452	24780	16093	Dec. 17	Aug. 28	Dec. 23	88-229
Relating to adult Indian vocational training..................	S. 1868	July 11	IIA	IIA	Nov. 8	Aug. 26	894	462	22030	16102	Nov. 18	Aug. 28	Dec. 23	88-230
To provide for disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the Kootenai Tribe or Band of Indians, Idaho.	S. 2139 (H.R. 8527)	Sept. 11	IIA	IIA	Nov. 18	Oct. 21	903	584	22969	20071	Dec. 2	Oct. 22	Dec. 23	88-231
To change the requirements for the annual meeting date for national banks.	S. 2228 (H.R. 9023)	Oct. 10	BC	BC	Dec. 7	Nov. 1	1007	622	24790	21044	Dec. 17	Nov. 5	Dec. 23	88-232
Authorizing the return of ceded lands to Hawaii when no longer used by the Federal Government.	S. 2275 (H.R. 8970)	Oct. 31	IIA	IIA	Dec. 4	Dec. 3	972	675	24785	23205	Dec. 17	Dec. 4	Dec. 23	88-233
Permitting civil actions on tort claims to be brought in the district court of the district where the act or omission occurred.	H.R. 2985	Jan. 29	Jud	Jud	June 13	Oct. 29	385	620	12154	20601	July 8	Oct. 30	Dec. 23	88-234
To revise the boundaries of Mesa Verde National Park, Colo.....	H.R. 6756	June 4	IIA	IIA	Oct. 1	Dec. 13	784	778	18877	24710	Oct. 7	Dec. 16	Dec. 23	88-235
To permit persons lawfully admitted to the U.S. for permanent residence to enlist in the Armed Forces Reserves.	H.R. 3005	Jan. 29	AS	AS	Nov. 6	Dec. 12	888	775	22023	24455	Nov. 18	Dec. 13	Dec. 23	88-236
Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to market electric power generated at Amistad Dam on the Rio Grande.	H.R. 4062	Feb. 21	IIA	IIA	May 23	Nov. 26	319	667	12146	22936	July 8	Nov. 27	Dec. 23	88-237
Authorizing travel allowances for service personnel under orders which are later canceled.	H.R. 4338	Feb. 27	AS	AS	June 18	Dec. 12	414	776	12156	24455	July 8	Dec. 13	Dec. 23	88-238
Authorizing the Postmaster General to enter into agreements for the transportation of mail by passenger common carriers by motor vehicle.	H.R. 5179	Mar. 28	POCS	POCS	July 25	Dec. 10	580	756	14066	24415	Aug. 5	Dec. 12	Dec. 23	88-239
To authorize $1.5 million for the construction of the Corregidor-Bataan Memorial.	H.R. 7044	June 13	FA	FR	Aug. 19	Dec. 16	691	783	18412	24888	Oct. 1	Dec. 17	Dec. 23	88-240
To revise, codify, and enact into law Part II of the D.C. Code entitled "Judiciary and Judicial Procedure."	H.R. 4157	Feb. 25	Jud	Jud	June 11	Dec. 4	377	743	10910	23692	June 17	Dec. 6	Dec. 23	88-241
Authorizing President to designate the 1st week in March as Save Your Vision Week.	S.J. Res. 113	Aug. 27	Jud	Jud	Dec. 12	Dec. 4	1030	682	24792	23561	Dec. 17	Dec. 5	Dec. 30	88-242
To enact the Uniform Commercial Code for the D.C............	H.R. 5338	Apr. 1	DC	DC	Apr. 12	Nov. 22	219	649	6611	22790	Apr. 22	Nov. 26	Dec. 30	88-243
Authorizing funds for U.S. participation in the Hague Conference on Private International Law.	H.J. Res. 778	Oct. 21	FA	FR	Oct. 29	Dec. 16	873	781	20933	24888	Nov. 4	Dec. 17	Dec. 30	88-244
Fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies.	H.R. 7063	June 14	App	App	June 14	Dec. 5	388	747	11012	24387	June 18	Dec. 12	Dec. 30	88-245
To print compilations of materials relating to annual national high school and college debate topics.	S. 2311	Nov. 15	HA	RA	Dec. 20	Dec. 10	1090	763	25429	24336	Dec. 20	Dec. 12	Dec. 30	88-246
Providing for convening of 2d session of the 88th Congress at noon Tuesday, Jan. 7, 1964.	H.J. Res. 880	Dec. 24	....	....	....	....	....	....	25555	25520	Dec. 24	Dec. 24	Dec. 30	88-247
Fiscal 1964 appropriations for the legislative branch............	H.R. 6868	June 6	App	App	June 6	June 25	369	313	10634	11716	June 11	June 26	Dec. 30	88-248
To revise the boundaries of Carlsbad Caverns National Park.....	S. 1175 (H.R. 7458)	Mar. 25	IIA	IIA	Nov. 18	Aug. 27	906	469	24778	16100	Dec. 17	Aug. 28	Dec. 30	88-249
Fiscal 1964 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies.	H.R. 6754	June 3	App	App	June 3	Sept. 12	355	497	10362	18357	June 6	Sept. 30	Dec. 30	88-250
To make it a Federal crime for a juvenile delinquent to escape or to assist in escape from the custody of the Attorney General.	S. 1319	Apr. 11	Jud	Jud	Dec. 10	Dec. 4	1014	684	24788	23649	Dec. 17	Dec. 6	Dec. 30	88-251
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Authorizing additional appropriations for the prosecution of comprehensive plans for certain river basins.	H.R. 8667	Oct. 1	PW	PW	Oct. 1	Nov. 21	799	648	19947	23149	Oct. 21	Dec. 3	Dec. 30	88-253

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To request the President to designate 1964 as U.S. Customs Year..	H.J. Res. 680	Sept. 3	Jud	....	Dec. 10	....	1023	......	24791	25153	Dec. 17	Dec. 19	Dec. 30	88-255
To provide for the coinage of 50-cent pieces bearing the likeness of the late President Kennedy.	H.R. 9413	Dec. 10	BC	....	Dec. 13	....	1038	......	24829	24986	Dec. 17	Dec. 18	Dec. 30	88-256
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